



Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr.

August 6, 1961 - March 1, 2024

On August 6, 1961, Lloyd Bernard Jackson, Jr. (Bernie) was born to the late Lloyd B. Jackson, Sr. and Felicia Williams Jackson, both of whom knew the importance of raising a child in the admonition of the Lord.

As a very small child and young man, Lloyd attended Parochial school and the Basilica of Saint Mary's Catholic Church. Bernie was born in Portsmouth, Virginia, but became a life-long resident of Chesapeake, where he attended Deep Creek Schools and was an outstanding athlete on the gridiron throughout high school and as a student at Virginia State University that he affectionately dubbed "Big State." Lloyd obtained his Bachelor's Degree in Business from VSU which prepared him for a career in Economic Development, where he proudly served as a Senior Business Development Manager for the City of Virginia Beach and most recently for the past four years at Chesapeake Economic Development. Additionally, Bernie was an avid golfer and cyclist, and participated in rides for Tour de Cure.

Bernie was initiated into Omega Psi Phi via the Zeta Iota Chapter of Portsmouth, Virginia in April 1984. Some of the Chapter Offices and Committees that Bernie held were Past Basileus, Keeper of Records and Seal, Assistant Keeper of Records and Seal, Assistant Keeper of Finance, Ways and Means Chairman, and Achievement Week Chairman. Bernie was also a committee member of Adopt a Highway, The Golf Tournament

Committee, as well as the Boat Ride Committee. On the District Level, Bernie was on the District Achievement Week Committee. Some of the Honors presented to Bernie were 3-times Chapter Omega Man of the Year, Service Award (10 year, 25 year, and 30 year pins). Bernie was due to receive his 40 year pin at the Conclave this Summer in Tampa Florida. Bernie loved his Fraternity and was proud of the work that he did for Omega.

In 1998, Bernie married his Loving and Devoted Wife Michele Harris Jackson. When Michele and Bernie were married, Bernie willingly and lovingly shared in the parenting of his daughter Tennille E. Middleton and son Cameron A. Middleton. From the union of Bernie and Michele, God blessed them with his pride and joy, his baby girl, Camille Joi Jackson. Bernie was a man of integrity and a family man who loved the traditions and bonds that were created when God favored him to lead his family in a way that was pleasing to God and honored his family.

Bernie has been a faithful member of First Baptist Church South Hill under the Pastoral leadership of Rev. Michael R. Toliver, where he is also a member of the men's Ministry.

Bernie transitioned this life for his heavenly home on March 1, 2024. He leaves to honor and cherish his memory his beloved wife Michele Jackson of 25 years, Daughter Tennille (Lena M.), Son Cameron (Lea M.), Daughter Camille Joi, Father and Mother Augustus and Idella Harris, Sisters Wanda Robinson (Duncan R.) and Angela Long(Kenneth), Brothers Augustus Harris,III(Sophia H.) Anthony Harris(Kirstie H.), Granddaughters Makaala Ambush, Chrissette Middleton, and Olivia Middleton and a host of Aunts and Uncles, cousins, family, and friends, including his brothers of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. Lloyd will be greatly missed but we know that we can be confident in his eternal destiny that, "To be absent from the body, is to be present with the Lord" 2 Corinthians 5: 6-8.

Cemetery Details

Roosevelt Memorial Park

1101 Campostella Road
Chesapeake, Va

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com
<https://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com>

Wake Service

MAR 12. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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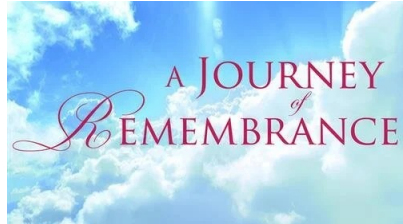
MAR 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist South Hill
3633 Galberry Rd.
Chesapeake, VA 23323

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr.



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - March 12, 2024 at 03:19 PM

OL

“ Happy heavenly birthday, Lloyd. You are deeply missed!

Olivia - August 06, 2024 at 09:55 AM

LS

“ *"My deepest sympathy goes out to the family, friends, colleagues and neighbors on the passing of the beloved Bernie. He is sorely missed."*

Lamont Simmons - April 06, 2024 at 11:36 AM

RI

“ *Our condolences to the Jackson family for the passing of Bernie, an outstanding and fun young man. As a friend and fellow Trogan there are many great memories to cherish. Thank God for the friendship and amazing times.*

Many prayers to the family.

Reuben Clarke III

VSU Trojan Graduate 1984

and Hall of Fame Member

Reuben Clarke III - March 14, 2024 at 06:41 AM

DF

“ Sending sincere condolences to the Jackson family. My heart is with you.

Revelations 21:4

“And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”

Dr. T

Dr. Tamarra Felder - March 13, 2024 at 11:45 PM

CK

“ Deepest condolences for his Family and Friends. Respectfully,
Curtis and Renée Kilgore
Augusta Ga

Curtis and Renée Kilgore - March 13, 2024 at 05:20 PM

DM

“ So sorry for your loss. Lloyd was a wonderful friend and business leader. May God comfort and strengthen you during this time of transition.

Delceno Miles - March 13, 2024 at 06:58 AM

SB

“ Mrs. Jackson and Camelia , my prayers are with you and the family. I know this situation is a hard one. But he's now your guardian Angel and he's always going to be there to the both of you. Ms. Jackson I will contact you after everything calms down. Praying for strength and comfort for the family. 🙏🙏🙏
Love , 🙏
Shona Boyd



Shona Boyd - March 13, 2024 at 04:18 AM

MF

“ To The Jackson Family,

Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the passing of your husband. His love and guidance will forever be a part of you and his memory will live on in the hearts of those who knew him. Blessing to the family.

VSU Trojan Football Family

Morgan Faison - March 13, 2024 at 12:46 AM

JS

“ Special prayers to the family of “Bernie” Jackson, as God massages the emptiness resulting from the transitioning of a great family guy. Rest now, Bernie, in the everlasting arms of a perfect God.
From Jimmy & Olga Summerville



Jimmy and Olga Summerville - March 12, 2024 at 11:51 PM

RF

“ *Ray Baskerville and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



Ray Baskerville and family - March 12, 2024 at 10:59 PM

AF

“ *To The Jackson Family,*

I was sadden to hear the passing of my Trojan Football and Omega Psi Phi brother. I know their nothing I can say to make the pain in your heart go way but now that god is always with you. My Condolences and comforting wishes to the family.

*Your Trojan Football Family & Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Brother
Coach Andrew Faison*

Andrew M Faison - March 12, 2024 at 09:33 PM

CA

“ *I'm so proud to have call Bernie my friend, I have known him since we were 5 years old. Also had many great memories planning our class reunion, Dara, Teresa, Ann, Vaughan and myself had many good laughs. Bernie I Love You my friend you will never be forgotten.*



Connie Allison - March 12, 2024 at 08:58 PM

TH

“ Dear Jackson Family,

I was as professional colleague with Lloyd. We considered him the "Elder Statesman" of economic development with his knowledge and experience in the industry. He will be sorely missed by the Hampton Roads region. May he rest in peace and power.



Toi Hunter - March 12, 2024 at 10:32 AM

TH

“ 1 file added to the album Videos



Toi Hunter - March 12, 2024 at 10:29 AM

LL

Lloyd was a certainly an "Elder Statesman" of Economic Development. A true professional and great person. My sincerest condolences to the Jackson family.

Letitia E Langaster - March 12, 2024 at 02:03 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



March 12, 2024 at 09:57 AM



“ *I will always remember the 'stare' the 'laugh' but most of all the good times we shared doing nothing but laughing our way through the good times at VSU and not taking ourselves too serious and enjoying our University experience. My man Bernie!*

Raymond W. Alston (Slim) - March 11, 2024 at 11:00 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



March 11, 2024 at 08:23 PM

VB

“ To Michelle and Camille and Family,
It's taken me this long to send this message
because I'm still in complete shock! What a
loving person Bernie was! We are praying
with you here in Pooler, GA! I remember his
dear Mother helped me diligently to finish my high school diploma!
Rest in Heavenly Peace Bernie



Verna Walton Bowden & LaTonya

Verna Walton Bowden - March 11, 2024 at 07:21 PM

KB

“ Sending my sincere condolences to Michelle,
Camille and the Jackson Family. I met
Michelle and Camille when my goddaughter
was a Eureka Debuntae with Camille. I pray
for you today, tomorrow and the days ahead.



Kippy Barnes - March 11, 2024 at 07:17 PM

AT

“ My sincere condolences to Michele, Camille,
and the Jackson family. Bernie was a
wonderful friend and classmate. His memory
will give you comfort and legacy will live
through you.



Angela (Allen) Tucker - March 11, 2024 at 05:05 PM

JW

“ Lifetime friend from Deep Creek, so thankful to have known Bernie and his family since our childhood days. A very humble guy, enjoyed taking care of his home improvements when he called. A great guy will truly be missed; Rest in Peace my friend. 🌹🌹🌹



Jasper Walton - March 11, 2024 at 03:46 PM

RJ

“ To the family of Bernie, I am sorry to hear of your loss. May God be with you.
Richard Button Smith and Family

Richard Smith jr - March 11, 2024 at 02:18 PM

YT

“ Your friends at Damuth Trane purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



Your friends at Damuth Trane - March 11, 2024 at 02:16 PM

YT

“ Your friends at Damuth Trane planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Your friends at Damuth Trane - March 11, 2024 at 02:16 PM

WH

“ Warren, Gina and Warren II Harris purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



Warren, Gina and Warren II Harris - March 11, 2024 at 01:18 PM

BH

“ Barry H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Barry H. - March 11, 2024 at 11:56 AM

JS

“ Condolences to the family. Praying for comfort and healing as you go through this difficult time. 🙏 We were basketball teammates at Deep Creek High School. He had great leadership. Bernie will be missed. Rest in peace.
J. Speller
R. Speller



J. Speller - March 11, 2024 at 10:28 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



March 11, 2024 at 10:03 AM

CH

“ Charlotte H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Charlotte H. - March 11, 2024 at 07:27 AM



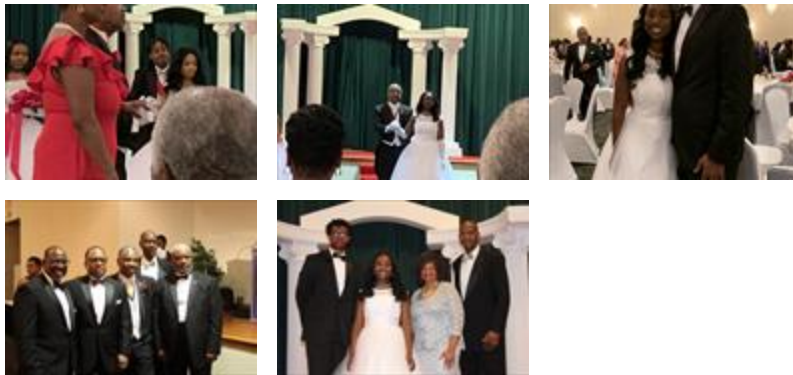
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March 10, 2024 at 08:01 PM

SB

“ Words cannot explain the love, fondness, and admiration we have for Bernie, Michele and Camille. So many memories will live in our hearts forever! The hardest thing I ever had to do was to go home and tell Dale about the phone call from Camille. Bryson did not want to tell him while he was alone. I know God will strengthen and comfort us all in this most difficult time, for we are not alone. Love, cousins Dale, Sandra and Bryson Bunns



Sandra D Bunns - March 10, 2024 at 07:31 PM

KT

“ Kris and Tanya purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



Kris and Tanya - March 10, 2024 at 12:05 PM

KT

“ Kris and Tanya planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Kris and Tanya - March 10, 2024 at 12:05 PM

FB

“ Felita Bunn lit a candle in memory of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr.



Felita Bunn - March 10, 2024 at 09:46 AM

FB

“ Michele, words cannot express how deeply sad I am for your loss. I remember when Lloyd fell in love with you. We were still working together at Canon. You and Camille brought him so much joy! He sent photos of you every year keeping me updated on how beautifully you all were doing and vice versa. He will be truly missed. He was very special and he had a way of making others who he cared about feel special. He was lighT ... he had IT. Lloyd will be missed! With warmest and sincerest condolences, Felita

Felita Bunn - March 10, 2024 at 09:44 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



March 09, 2024 at 10:20 AM



“ *Landy family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*

Landy family - March 09, 2024 at 10:20 AM



“ *Jeff and Gretta Waugh purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



Jeff and Gretta Waugh - March 08, 2024 at 08:34 PM



“ *My condolences to the Jackson family. Lots of prayers and to the family. We are here for you.*

The cash and James family. - March 08, 2024 at 06:23 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



March 08, 2024 at 06:12 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..*



March 08, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Michelle V. Jackson - March 08, 2024 at 04:24 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*

Michelle Jackson - March 08, 2024 at 04:20 PM

PS

“ Prescott & Natascha Sherrod purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



Prescott & Natascha Sherrod - March 08, 2024 at 02:52 PM

RI

“ My brother, my friend!! Your friendship will be truly missed. Ride on!!
RIP



Roosevelt Brown, II - March 08, 2024 at 12:18 PM

KG

“ Kenny, Thomasina Wright and the girls purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



Kenny, Thomasina Wright and the girls - March 08, 2024 at 10:28 AM

RL

“ Dear Family of Brother Lloyd Jackson , Jr., I sincerely offer my condolences and sympathy to your entire family . Truly one of the "sturdy trees " of Omega has fallen and I like others could not believe the sound came from Brother " Bernie " . I have only known Brother Lloyd for a few years but somewhere in that time frame our spirits joined together in brotherly love . I shall miss him but I believe that he now rests in the bosom of the Supreme Basileus of the Universe (our Lord and Saviour). Rest in peace my good brother.
Bro. Rev. Dr. James Edwards , III
Immediate Past 3rd. District Chaplain-Zeta Iota-Lambda Omega

Rev. Dr. James Edwards, III - March 08, 2024 at 10:01 AM

LS

“ Stick , my friend , my teammate, my brother from another mother RIP! You will always be remembered and loved !
My condolences to the family!

Lloyd B Jackson Sr - March 07, 2024 at 08:02 PM

BD

“ God bless the Jackson family during this hard time of bereavement The Diggs (Bill, Marie, Drew and Dominique) family stands by you and prays for you as you handle such a tough ordeal. We love you.

Bill Diggs - March 07, 2024 at 03:39 PM

JC

“ Big Pa, where can I even start... I've been knowing auntie Michele, Big Pa, and Millie since forever...literally forever lol, and I thank God he put you guys in my life because he showed me from a young age what a real family, a marriage, and genuine love not only looks like but feels like. Not having many positive male and father figures growing up, Big Pa contributed to the few I did have. Oh the memories and times we had make me wish I can rewind back in time. It breaks my heart knowing I didn't come visit and share my gratitude I have for you for your contribution in my life. I know you're up there in heaven in your man cave doing your thing lol. May you rest in Gods heavenly presence. ☐



-Jazmon Carter AKA jazzygirl

Jazmon Carter - March 07, 2024 at 11:59 AM



“ Mr. Jackson you will be missed so so much! Although I'm a friend of Camille, thank you for treating me like your own. Your presence was nothing short of caring and gracious. We'll take good care of your babygirl down here. ❤️

Sleep in peace ❤️

Makyah Harper - March 06, 2024 at 08:01 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



March 06, 2024 at 04:12 PM

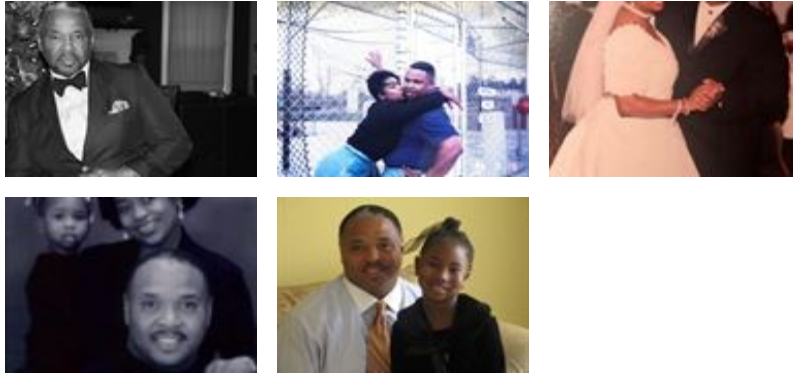
DJ

“ Dwight and Jackie Jackson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Dwight and Jackie Jackson - March 06, 2024 at 04:12 PM



“ 31 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - March 06, 2024 at 02:43 PM

DC

Dear Michelle and Camille Jackson,

In this moment of profound loss and sorrow, please accept my deepest condolences on the passing of your beloved husband and father, Lloyd. May the grace of God provide you with strength, comfort, and solace during this time of mourning.

As we navigate the depths of grief, let us find reassurance in the words of Isaiah 41:10: "So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." May this verse be a beacon of hope, guiding you through the darkness towards the light of healing and peace.

In the quiet moments of reflection and remembrance, may our prayers rise as incense, offering solace and serenity to your hearts. Let us seek divine comfort and guidance, trusting in the infinite compassion and love of the Almighty to bring you solace and restoration in this time of loss.

Please know that you are not alone in your grief. We stand by your side, offering our unwavering support, companionship, and assistance in any way that may lighten your burden. Lean on us, dear Michelle and Camille, as we walk together through this journey of mourning, united in solidarity and compassion.

May the memories of Lloyd's love and legacy be a source of strength and inspiration as you navigate this path of sorrow. Our thoughts, prayers, and deepest sympathies are with you both, as you honor the life and cherish the memories of your beloved husband and father, Lloyd. With heartfelt condolences and steadfast support.

*Love,
The Copeland,
Bruce, Allison, Alandra and Myles*

Dr. Bruce A. Copeland - March 07, 2024 at 04:21 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



March 06, 2024 at 02:21 PM



“ Cheryl Banks Manley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..

Cheryl Banks Manley - March 06, 2024 at 02:21 PM



“ I miss you so much Daddy❤️ you will live in my heart forever and ever!

Rest in Peace, Pa👤



camille jackson - March 06, 2024 at 01:24 PM

RJ

“ Our hearts are heavy. The kids and I are so numb... We have many beautiful years together with Bernie. Holidays, summers that can never be replaced. Michelle, Camille. Tem, our hearts are with you. Sending our deepest condolences to you. We love you guys.

Renee, Mariano, Rianna and Madison

Renee Jones - March 06, 2024 at 11:03 AM

GC

“ Offering my most sincere condolences at the transition of my dear friend, Lloyd (Bernie) Jackson. Praying that Our God of comfort will bring peace to the family and to the hearts of all who knew and loved him. I'm believing that our fond memories will ease the pain of the grief that we feel. Amen

Geraline Cox - March 06, 2024 at 10:16 AM

MW

“ To Michele and the entire Jackson Family,

Words cannot express the depth of sadness immediately felt when I got the word of Bernie's passing on Friday afternoon. In fact, the mental and emotional numbness is still here. However, I trust and believe that God will provide comfort and relief in some form in days to come. My family and I offer our deepest condolences to you, Camille and the entire family.

There was no level of height or depth that Bernie would not go to provide for his family. For he understood that "love should not be just words and talk, but it must be True Love which shows itself in action." He will surely be missed by my family and so many others. I pray that some measure of hope, comfort and peace will come to you real soon, for 'God is the giver of every good and perfect gift.' Yes, Bernie was surely a "gift" from God.

I encourage you to cherish the pleasant memories and to lean and depend on God to keep you, just as he has in all-times before this.

With much sympathy and Love,

Brother Michael, Michelle and Bria Williams

Michael L. Williams - March 05, 2024 at 03:30 PM

DF

“ Dear Jackson Family, It is with deep sadness that I extend my sincere sympathy to your family on the loss of Bernie. I was fortunate to have known him and been a classmate of Bernie's since our days at Deep Creek Elementary until we graduated from Deep Creek High School. It has been my honor to work with him on our four class reunions. Our special group of six friends shared many happy memories. In a world of so few, Bernie was always a true gentleman. I am blessed to have been able to call him my friend. While our hearts are broken, we know that Heaven has gained a new angel. Bernie will be terribly missed and never forgotten. My thoughts and prayers will be with your family in these difficult days ahead. Dara Faison Snell (Deep Creek Class of 1979)

Dara FaisonSnell - March 05, 2024 at 03:08 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lloyd Bernard (Bernie) Jackson, Jr..



March 05, 2024 at 12:32 PM

CC

“ I never got the chance to know him as "Bernie," just Lloyd from work, but every moment spent with him was genuinely uplifting. Seeing him in this video, lining up his putt with such hope, really captures the essence of his spirit. He always brought a lightness to our workdays that I'll deeply miss. Sending my heartfelt thoughts to his family. Lloyd's positivity and joy have left a mark on all of us who had the pleasure of knowing him, even if just in the hallways or during brief meetings.



Cliff Copley - March 05, 2024 at 11:52 AM

CC

“ 1 file added to the album Videos



Cliff Copley - March 05, 2024 at 11:50 AM

WG

“ Prayers & Condolences to the family of "Bernie" Jackson. His "sense of humor" while "keeping it real" was second to none!
RIP Bernie 🙏🙏🙏🙏

Walt Green - March 05, 2024 at 12:01 AM

MK

A Great Person, Friend and VSU Teammate. My thoughts are with you, the family. I know that even in times as these GOD IS STILL AND ALWAYS FAITHFUL.. Seek your STRENGTH in Him
Butch "kiwi"Knight # 2

Melvin Knight - March 06, 2024 at 12:14 PM