

## Preston L. Ricks

February 4, 1944 - November 26, 2022

Preston L. Ricks was born in Wilmington, Delaware on February 4, 1944, he was 78 years old. He peacefully transitioned on November 26, 2022 at his home.

Preston was educated in the Chesapeake Public School systems and graduated from Crestwood High School in 1962. He continued his education at Norfolk State University and majored in Electronics.

Preston began his work career at Norfolk Naval Shipyard in 1973; where he worked as a Transportation Dispatcher until he retired after more than 27 years of service in 2000. After retirement, he drove charter buses at his leisure for Venture, Fun and Tri-City tours just to name a few.

Preston served the Greater Deep Creek Elks Lodge #1033 I.B.P.O.E. of W. for 25 years and was a Past Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks. He was also a member of the A. M. Jones Masonic Lodge #79.

Preston was not one to be idle, he was always involved. He was also the Manager/Drummer of "The Unique Experience" Band and was a DJ named "Mr. Big Stuff".

He is survived by four children, Jacqueline L. Ricks, Preston S. Ricks, Bryan L. Ricks (Dianne) and Rodney D. Logan; four grandchildren, Preston L. Owens, Darnell E. Coger, Allison P. Ricks and Allen S. Ricks; two great-grandsons, Noah A. Coger and Elijah A. Ricks; other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd  
Chesapeake, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Service

DEC 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

J. T. Fisher Funeral Services Chapel  
1248 N. George Washington Hwy  
Chesapeake, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Preston L. Ricks



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**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - December 06, 2022 at 07:08 PM

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“ Antonio Brickhouse lit a candle in memory of Preston L. Ricks



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**Antonio Brickhouse** - December 07, 2022 at 02:06 AM

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“ Rest in heaven cousin.

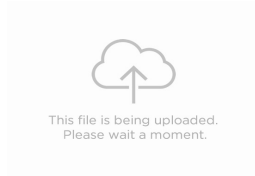


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**Ben Hamlin** - December 06, 2022 at 03:30 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Life Celebration Service*



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**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - December 06, 2022 at 12:37 PM



“ *The Lassiter family sends their condolences. May God bless and comfort the Rick's family*

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**Carolyn Williams** - December 06, 2022 at 08:00 AM



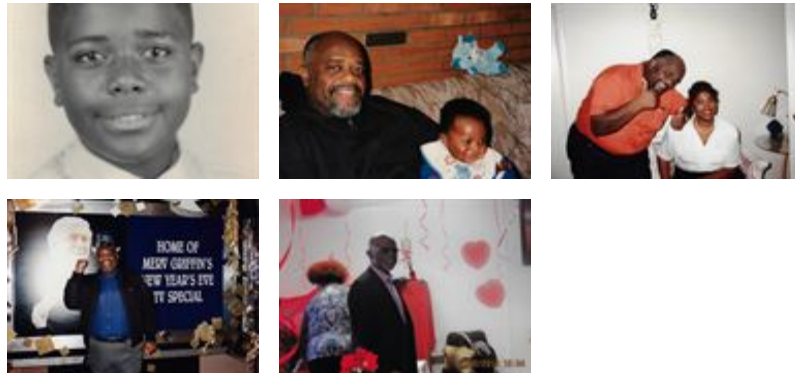
“ *To The Ricks Family - On behalf of the Fortson Family and The Greater Deep Creek Elk's Lodge # 1033 we extend out deepest sympathy during this difficult time. May the memories of the happy times sustain you now and in the days to come.*  
*Bro. Edward Earl Fortson, Sr.*  
*Past Exalted Ruler*  
*Greater Deep Creek Elk's Lodge # 1033*

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**Edward Earl Fortson, Sr.** - December 06, 2022 at 01:12 AM



“ 32 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - December 05, 2022 at 11:56 AM

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“ He was a wonderful person and always a loving grandfather and father in law. He always made his only grand daughter his little "sugar foot" feel special. He song to her every year for her Birthday. He had such a beautiful voice. He always made me feel welcome and he will truly be missed. ❤️🙏❤️

Larnette Smith Ricks - December 03, 2022 at 08:52 PM

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“ Preston was a very wonderful friend he will be miss from the Thompson family he was like family

Tracey Watkins - December 03, 2022 at 06:17 PM

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“ Tracey Watkins lit a candle in memory of Preston L. Ricks



Tracey Watkins - December 03, 2022 at 06:15 PM