

Reginald De'Angelo Wilson

February 5, 1991 - August 9, 2021

A very special young man began his life on February 5, 1991 when Reginald DéAngelo Wilson was born in Norfolk, Virginia. On that day, Melanie C. Cuffee and Victor R. Wilson welcomed their beloved son to the world. He is preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Francis Speight, paternal grandparents, Mary Lee Wilson and Percy Whitaker, and maternal great-grandmother, Rachel Speight.

A mighty warrior, Reggie weighed in at 1 pound, nine ounces, born four months early. He proved that he would defy all odds against him when he kicked out his IV and oxygen lines and began to thrive on his own. He went home after three months in the neonatal intensive care unit; and so, his journey of strength, perseverance and bravery kicked off.

Reggie received his formal education through the Chesapeake and Portsmouth Public Schools systems. He graduated from I.C. Norcom High School, Portsmouth, Virginia in 2009. As a student he polished his skills as a trumpeter. Reggie was a member of the concert and marching band and played the trumpet for church morning worship services. He joined and was

baptized at New Saint Thomas Baptist Church at the age of six years old. As an active member of NST, he served as a youth usher and member of the youth choir. As a teen, he served as a Vacation Bible School recreation leader.

The traits of a hardworking man were instilled in him at an early age and carved out his professional and personal life. Reggie launched his career as a hard and dedicated worker. His experiences ranged from working for the State of Virginia to the restaurant industry. Using work as a driving force in his life, he served as a motivator for his peers until the very end. Through the years, he forged relationships with a vast amount of people from every walk of life, having the strong ability of never meeting a stranger. His personality drew people to him. He loved his family, adored his friends, and considered himself a blessed man. He had a gracious soul and never felt it robbery to go out of his way for another.

Though he may have finished the race early, he leaves adored loved ones to mourn his memory. Reggie was a great man who lit up every room he entered. He was so personable and was quick to make people feel like they had known him for a lifetime. He was a loving son, brother, nephew, cousin, and friend. Those who remain to cherish his wonderful memory are his parents, Melanie C. Cuffee and Victor R. Wilson; his sisters, Lanaya Cuffee, Carla Wilson, and Lavichia Wilson; aunts, Glenda Wilson, Sonya Wilson, and Rosalyn Cook; uncles, Thomas Wilson and Cleveland Wilson; very special friends, Delano Alston, Paul Turner, Jalen Southhall, Emona Wilson, and numerous cousins, close relatives, and friends.

His memory will live on as his loved ones will fondly reflect on his loving spirit. There is pleasure and comfort in knowing that his soul has now returned to the glorious source from whence it came. Yes, he will be missed in body, but his spirit and memories will live on. Wipe the tears from your eyes and smile; that's what Reggie is doing! His warm smile was a true reflection of his personality. He leaves a legacy of love, friendship, and happiness — teaching us to enjoy life to the fullest and appreciate each and every day with those you love.

Cemetery Details

Olive Branch Cemetery

2 Cpl J M Williams Ave
Portsmouth, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 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>

Church Service

AUG **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

New St. Thomas Baptist Church
2700 Elm Avenue
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall

DN

“ *My heart and prayers go out to the family of the late Reggie Wilson! During the time of bereavement! I use to work with Reggae Wilson at ABC Store some years ago when I was employed with the company! He was a very nice, laid back, humble, respected, well raise young man! Who was always smiling and enjoying life! May his soul continue to r.i.p. in heaven!* ”



Duane Newton - August 24, 2021 at 03:28 PM

MC

Thank you so much for your prayers and your kind words

Melanie Cuffee - September 14, 2021 at 09:19 PM

CY

“ *My prayers and hugs are with Reggie's family. May God continue to hold you in His loving arms of peace and comfort.* ”

CynthiaBrown - August 19, 2021 at 11:42 PM

JK

“ My prayers and condolences are extended to Reggie's Mom and family on this shocking loss. Reggie was a fine always respectfully disciplined caring and sharing young man. He was an excellent student achiever at I.C. Norcom High School and a joy to have taught. It was just a few months ago that we chatted at Walmart's. He was so happy and joyful speaking of his career and adult responsibilities. Yes, we will all miss this gentleman of class and distinction. Yet, we can always cherish the memories. Be strong in the Lord.



*Dr. J. Leon Knight
I.C. Norcom High School*

Joseph Knight - August 19, 2021 at 05:00 PM



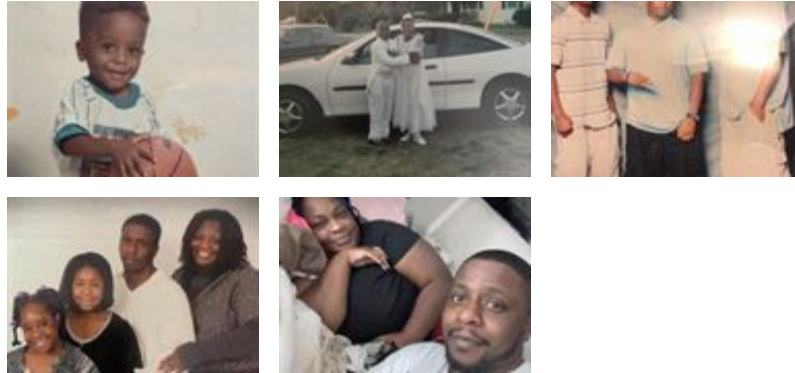
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J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 19, 2021 at 03:46 PM



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J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 19, 2021 at 10:58 AM

KW

“ *Kamilah White lit a candle in memory of Reginald De'Angelo Wilson*



Kamilah White - August 19, 2021 at 06:26 AM

MP

“ *Melissa Parker lit a candle in memory of Reginald De'Angelo Wilson*



Melissa Parker - August 18, 2021 at 10:00 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Reginald De'Angelo Wilson.*



August 18, 2021 at 11:08 AM



“ *Wallace Long purchased the Meat & Cheese Sympathy Gift Crate for the family of Reginald De'Angelo Wilson.*



Wallace Long - August 17, 2021 at 11:56 PM



“ *My most sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of Bro. Wilson. Please know that each of you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Rev. A.B. Wyrick, II

Rev. A.B.Wyrick,II - August 17, 2021 at 10:31 AM



“ *Vikki Ridley And Family lit a candle in memory of Reginald De'Angelo Wilson*



Vikki Ridley and Family - August 16, 2021 at 09:08 PM