



## Ricky Allen Blair

June 30, 1955 - December 19, 2023

Ricky Allen Blair (Rick), 68, a native of Johnson County, IN & resident of Hampton, VA, passed away on Tuesday, December 19th, 2023 while surrounded by friends and family at his home. Many hold the memory of Rick as being an energetic and passionate person, always willing to help anyone who needed it, that was always on the go and never took no for an answer. Though he would move around from time to time he would often engage in various activities to include Habitat for Humanity, working for Bales Pest Control at Hampton University, working with the City of Hampton, or giving his time to help others in need. Without a doubt, he impacted the lives of so many while building life long bonds and friendships.

Rick was preceded in death by his parents, Ralph E. Blair and Velda L. Blair, and granddaughter Chayoung Hayden. He is survived by his son Ricky Hayden & wife Allyssa; his son Daniel Hayden & wife Chaneice; and a daughter Elizabeth (Beth) Hayden. He is also survived by eight grandchildren Liam, Benjamin, Lily, Caitlynn, Alexander, Matthew, Abigail, and Allison.

The family will receive friends and family for a celebration of life on Thursday, December 28th, 2023 from 5:00-8:00 PM, at the second floor community room at Sinclair Commons located at 232 W Gilbert Street, Hampton, VA 23669. In lieu of a traditional burial, Rick wished to be cremated and have his ashes released in the Smokey Mountains of Tennessee by his children.

While flowers are greatly appreciated, the family asks that you also consider a contribution to Rick's Celebration of Life or to consider making a donation in his honor to CHKD, Shriners Hospital for Children, St.Jude, or the March of Dimes as these were all places that he supported on a monthly basis even though he lived on a fixed income.