



## Troy Rafael Williams

March 24, 1975 - August 13, 2010

Portsmouth – Troy Rafael Williams, 35, of the 900 block of Suburban Parkway, was called home to be with the Lord on Friday, August 13, 2010. He was born on March 24, 1975 to Vanzella and David P. Williams.

Troy leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Cynthia Williams; one daughter, Shakera Long; two sons, Braxton Purvis and Dwain Nepton; two step-sons, Shelton Riddick and Larry Riddick; mother, Vanzella Williams; father, David P. Williams; one sister, Dara Williams and three brothers; David A. (Danielle), Jonathan (Chrishanda), and Jamaica Williams, his brother-in-law, Carl Riddick; mother-in-law, Carolyn Green and father-in-law, Willie Green, Jr. He also leaves a special aunt, Carolyn Gunter and a host of other relatives and friends. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

# Previous Events

## Service

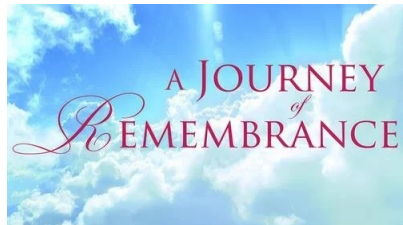
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Mt. Sinai United Church of America, Inc.  
2710 Columbus Avenue  
Portsmouth, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Troy Rafael Williams



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**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - August 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Daddy, it's your baby girl. I love and miss you so much. J.T funeral home is amazing they still have your video and everything up here, its been almost 15 years dad.. wow I LOVE YOU so much time has passed ..

Kera

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**Shakera Long** - January 16, 2025 at 06:34 PM



“ My mother, Millie, and I would both like to offer our condolences to the entire Williams family. We are very sorry for your loss!##imported-begin##Clinton Getzinger##imported-end##

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August 20, 2010 at 04:50 PM



“ Vanzella & Family, I was so sorry to hear about Troy. We haven't talked in a while but you are always in my thoughts and prayers. May God be keep you in perfect peace doing this sad time.##imported-begin##Vanessa Cason-Collins##imported-end##

August 20, 2010 at 11:44 AM



“ My prayers are with the Williams family in their time of need. May God keep you all during this difficult time and He give you all comfort and peace. Weeping may endure for a night but joy will come again. In time, God will restore your joy. Luther Jenkins##imported-begin##Luther Jenkins##imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 01:34 PM

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*I knew Troy as a child. He was 14 & I was 13. He had always been a good person, great dad to his daughter. It had been just the two of them for so long. My heart goes out to his family. Especially his wife Cynthia and his little girl. God bless you. And always know that you're loved. By God & by Troy.*

Kim Elliott - October 15, 2018 at 11:23 PM

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*i miss you💔*

Dwain Nepton - December 28, 2020 at 11:21 PM



“ *cynthia, may the peace of God rest, rule, and abide in you forever. troy will be missed not never for gotten. we will never forget his jokes and his laughs. he will always be in our hearts. cynthia be encouraged. just know that you have the strength of your family all around you. if you need anything, we're only seven digits away. i love you and troy. may God be with you always.*

*your cousin,*

*Leah Williams##imported-begin##leah williams##imported-end##*

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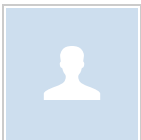
August 19, 2010 at 12:53 PM



“ *Vanzella & family, It has been a while since we've been in touch so I just wanted to let you know that I think of you often, and to let you know that YOU'RE NOT ALONE IN YOUR SEASON OF SORROW Godsshertering arms will always be there. offering the comfort of His gentle love and the refuge of His tender care. May God continue to comfort and bless your entire family.##imported-begin##Valerie Miles##imported-end##*

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August 19, 2010 at 11:57 AM



“ *To the Family: We are so very sorry to hear of your loss. May you find comfort from God's abiding love and His understanding, and peace in days to come. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of bereavement because we care. Stay encouraged! Richard & Liz Andrews##imported-begin##Richard & Liz Andrews ##imported-end##*

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August 19, 2010 at 10:25 AM



“ To Vanzella and family I am sorry to hear of the passing of Troy. I am remember babysitting David and Troy and seeing them as young boys when you all attened Macedonia. My prayers are with you all during your time of loss.##imported-begin##Shelby Miles baker##imported-end##

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August 19, 2010 at 10:24 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. May God be with you to help you through this difficult time.##imported-begin##Jacqueline Butts##imported-end##

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August 19, 2010 at 09:38 AM



“ Dear Braxton Purvis,  
I am sorry for the lost of your father.  
But remember that you have a heavenly father who is with you always. Our prayers are with you and your mom and also your dad's family.

With sympathy and love,  
God bless:]##imported-begin##Miriam Horsey##imported-end##

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August 18, 2010 at 04:24 PM



“ Cynthia, may God be with you and the family. Troy will be missed, but just know that we as a family are here for you. We will be praying for you. Just stay encouraged. God bless you and the children.##imported-begin##christian williams##imported-end##

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August 18, 2010 at 12:57 PM



“ To Braxton Purvis and all the beloved family and friends of Troy: Today may seem cloudy and your hearts heavy with grief but just know the sun will shine again. You are surrounded with many people who love you and will be there to support and protect you. God can!###imported-begin##Audrey Saunders###imported-end##

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August 18, 2010 at 11:20 AM



“ I am going to miss you Troy. I love you brother in law, thank you so much for always being my family.###imported-begin##Chrishanda Williams###imported-end##

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August 18, 2010 at 09:07 AM



“ Sorry to hear about a lose of a loved one. You and your family are in my prays and I pray that God strengthens you in your time of need.###imported-begin##Pamela Bailey###imported-end##

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August 18, 2010 at 08:03 AM



“ Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May God continue to bless the Williams Family.###imported-begin##Dee L. Wright###imported-end##

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August 17, 2010 at 03:13 PM



“ Sorry for the lost of your family member... You are in our prayers may God bless the family.

*Elliott & Sears Family##imported-begin##Mildred Sears##imported-end##*

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August 16, 2010 at 08:10 PM



“ Sorry about your loss, you and your family have my deepest sympathy, may God continue to bless each and everyone of you.

*From: Donna, Donnesha and Darrion Quinerly##imported-begin##Donna Quinerly##imported-end##*

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August 16, 2010 at 08:10 AM