



David Williams Jr.

May 6, 1961 - January 29, 2011

DAVID WILLIAMS, JR. son of the late David Williams, Sr. and Marjorie Ridley was born on May 6, 1961 in Baltimore, Maryland. He was the fifth of six children. He departed this life on Saturday, January 29, 2011 with the comfort of his loving family

David attended the Baltimore City Public School System and graduated from Lake Clifton High School in 1979. He played recreational basketball and enjoyed football games and wrestling. David had many nicknames given to him by family and friends over the years. Some people knew him as Big Dave, Biggie and Preach. He will be missed for his big heart, mentoring skills, ability to bring resources to formerly incarcerated men and his profound love for his family. He was a kind, great story teller, honest and hardworking man.

Mr. Williams was always a polite, professional man with integrity who was able to obtain good employment. He was employed for Baltimore City at the Montibello Filtration Plant, The Riker McKenzie Human Development Center and lastly at Druid Heights Community Development Corporation. There he served as Case Manager for a Re-Entry program that successfully transitioned men back into society from incarceration. David was an expert and leader in this field as he received many accolades and recognition for his outstanding work. This job gave him the ability to do what he does best, "Helping Others."

David gave his life to Christ in the summer of 1996 at the United House of Prayer Church. He was known for telling lots of good stories to keep other spirits high and most of the time he invited you to church. He was a spiritual leader, man of God and one who always had a positive word of encouragement. He was an active member at the United Baptist Church in Baltimore, Maryland. David married Leslie Armstrong on May 23, 1998. He fathered five children, Davontae, Kyisha, David III, Shaleece and Dajanae. The Williams children all loved and admired their father. He will be remembered for his dedication to church, family, friends and those in need. David was a tall, gentle, strong, humbled gentleman whose personality attracted others to love him. He was an active participant in sponsoring the Feed the Children program.

David Williams, Jr. leaves to cherish him and his loving memory: a dear friend Cheryl McMillian; ex-wife, Leslie Armstrong; his brothers, Joseph Childs and Michael Robinson; his sisters, Elaine Robinson, Rose Sharon and Jewel Lee and Jewel Lee; his children, Davontae, Kyisha, David III, Shaleece and Dajanae; his nieces and great-nieces, Tashea Chiles, Lakeya, Amya and Courtney; his nephews, Leonard and Collins; his godchildren, Deandra and Deandre Fisher. He also leaves a great host of admirers, friends and love ones.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Marjorie Ridley and David Williams, Sr.; and brother, Hamice "Raynard" Ridley.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 3. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

FEB 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

FEB 4. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

United Baptist Church
1615 Eager street
baltimore, MD 21205

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *David Williams Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I Miss You Big Guy , <3 Love Your Bby Girl Djanae , Yu Were The best Father A Girl Could Have I Would Give Up Life In This Hell Hole To Be With Yu Again !*

dajanae williams - May 25, 2011 at 01:13 PM



“ *Please accept my condolences for your loss. During this time, may you be comforted by wonderful promise at Revelation 21:4: "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither mourning, nor outcry nor pain be anymore, the former things have passed away."*

A Robinson - February 05, 2011 at 09:40 AM



“ *OSIE ERIC HURSEY lit a candle in memory of David Williams Jr.*



OSIE ERIC HURSEY - February 04, 2011 at 09:28 AM



“ *My prayers go out to the family David will be missed. Onyx UBC Choir Member*

Onyx James - February 03, 2011 at 02:35 PM

MC

“ *I will miss seeing you as you stroll around Lake Montebello and sitting in your favorite seat at The United Baptist Church. Rest in peace.*

Mother Thompson of United Baptist Church - February 03, 2011 at 02:09 PM



“ *We used to hang out at Christopher's Place and going to meetings. (smile)*

Kanita Lindsey - February 02, 2011 at 07:10 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Kanita Lindsey - February 02, 2011 at 06:54 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - February 02, 2011 at 04:44 PM