



Dayton Lester Allen

February 4, 1951 - March 4, 2017

Dayton Lester Allen was born in Richmond, Virginia on February 4, 1951.

“Bubba”, as he was affectionately called by many, was the eldest son born to the late Dayton and Nellie Brown Allen. On Saturday, March 4, 2017, he was called home to begin his new life with his heavenly father.

Bubba attended Richmond Public Schools. He was a 1969 graduate of Saint Andrew’s School, a preparatory school located in Middletown, Delaware. He later attended Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts.

At any early age, Bubba accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior when he joined Fourth Baptist Church, Richmond, Virginia. On August 10, 2014, he joined First Bethel Baptist Church and became a diligent worker until his failing health.

Until his retirement in 2011, Bubba was a correctional officer for the Virginia Department of Corrections for over 35 years. He also worked as a security officer at the Shops at Willow Lawn for over ten years and RMC, Inc. for several years.

Bubba was a “Number One” fan of the Dallas Cowboys and always kept his loyalty to them. He was an intelligent and very knowledgeable person. Bubba enjoyed sitting in his man cave watching movies. Over the years, he had accumulated a large collection of videos and CDs.

Bubba was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Elsie Virginia Allen. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife and soulmate of almost thirty years, Patricia C. Allen. Bubba is also survived by daughter, Nicole L. Conyers,

granddaughter Tiara King; two brothers, Vernon "Meatloaf" Allen and Wallace Allen; sister, Patricia A. Mines; niece, Simone (Jerome) Reid of Macon, Georgia, and one great nephew, Isaiah Reid. Also surviving are his mother-in-law, Roberta C. Johnson; two brothers-in-law, John Mines and Curtis Wayne Conyers, Sr.; and sisters-in-law, Francine Puryear, Brenda Conyers, Lorraine C. Robinson, Helen C. Turner, Barbara Ann Hobson, and Jacqueline (Arthur) Pemberton; and other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 13. 5:00 PM (ET)

First Bethel Baptist Church
1851 Kingsland Road
Richmond, VA 23231

Tribute Wall



“ *Dayton Lester Allen*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Patricia and Nicole, I worked with Bubba when I was with the Henrico Police Department and security at Willow Lawn. For many years we shared laughs and good times. He was always talking about you two and loved you very much. I was thinking on the way home from the memorial service of his unmistakable laugh and how much he enjoyed working at the "WLPD". He was truly one of the good guys, I wished that I had know he was ill, but we often times loose physical touch, but not memories.*

Please know that he was well respected by all of us and we loved working with "Bubba". He was truly one of a kind!

*Lt. Mark E. Domnick (ret.)
Henrico County Police*

Mark E. Domnick - March 14, 2017 at 02:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dayton Lester Allen.*



March 12, 2017 at 04:32 PM

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“ *I would like to express my sincere condolences to the family in the loss of your loved one . John 5 : 21,28,29*

Delores Allen - March 10, 2017 at 07:41 AM



“ *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 - March 08, 2017 at 12:46 PM