



Elmore Hayes Jr.

June 13, 1945 - November 21, 2019

Legacy of Life

Elmore Hayes, Jr. departed this life on Thursday, November 21, 2019 after a brief illness in Richmond, Virginia. He was born on June 13, 1945 to the late Elmore and Lugenia Hayes, Sr. He was preceded in death by his wife of 24 years, Darlene I. Hayes, his daughter Pamela R. Hayes and sister Dorothy A. Greene.

Elmore accepted Christ at the age of 12 at Saint Disciples Church of Christ. He sang in the Junior Choir and was a Junior Usher. He was a faithful and active member of Greater Mt. Moriah Baptist Church and sung with the Male Chorus for several years until he relocated to Southside Richmond and moved his membership to Christ Christian Church Ministry. There he sang with the male chorus and was a member of the Men's Ministry until his health failed him.

Elmore worked at Cripple Children's Hospital (now Children's Hospital) as a custodian for many years. He left there and went to work for the Richmond Public School system as a custodian at William Fox Elementary School until he retired in June 1999 after 20 years.

Elmore was a devout member of King David Lodge #28 for over 40 years. He

was a die-hard Redskin fan. He was a long time member of Ovoutees Social Club. He enjoyed life to the fullest especially social events. He also enjoyed being with family and friends. Elmore was always willing to help anyone who was in need-day or night. He meant so much to so many people. He was hard-working, inspiring and dependable. Elmore will always live in our hearts.

He leaves to cherish his loving memory, daughter, Chamique S. Hayes; granddaughter, Erica N. Reilly (Leslie); great-grandchildren, Aamir and Amari Reilly; devoted sister, Marjorie Haskell (Donald); two nieces, Donnetta L. Beatty (Kenneth) and Dana G. Robertson (Ray); nephew, Brian Hayes; four great-nieces, Ajah and Imani Haskell, Amaya and Olivia Beatty; two great-nephews, Cortez and Brian Hayes, Jr.; brother-in-law, Steward Greene; two sisters-in-law, Belinda Cooper and Anna Claiborne; two devoted friends, Jeff and Mallisena; a host of other relatives and friends.

To have touched so many lives bears testament to the fact that his purpose was divine.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

viewing

NOV **29**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Wake

NOV **29**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

NOV **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Elmore Hayes Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 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 - November 22, 2019 at 04:48 PM