



## James Arthur Manley

December 26, 1943 - June 21, 2023

### Life Reflections

#### A Time To Be Born

James Manley was born December 26, 1943 in Enfield, North Carolina to the late Wade and Corine Manley.

#### A Time to Die

At the age of 79 he peacefully departed this life and entered into eternal rest on June 21, 2023. He was preceded in death by his beloved sister Jean Underwood.

#### A Time to Sow

Jim moved to California in 1981. He was in the meat cutting industry for 45 years with various grocery stores. Jim had a great sense of humor and loved and cared for his family and friends. One of his favorite past times was sitting outside and talking to neighbors and people passing by. He enjoyed cooking and made a mean prime rib at Christmas. Another favorite past time was laughing with the guys at the donut shop every morning. He loved spending a lot of time on the phone talking to family and friends and also playing spades and the horse racing game.

#### A Time To Embrace

Remaining to cherish his memories is his loving and devoted wife of 38 years, Marsha Manley, his loved children Pam, Lamont, Crystal, and Kevin, 11 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; and a host of family members and friends.

### He Only Takes The Best

God saw that he was getting tired, and a cure was not to be.  
So he put his arms around him and whispered "Come with Me".  
With tearful eyes we watched him suffer,  
and saw him fade away.  
Although we loved him dearly, we could not make him stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating, hard working hands to rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes "the best".

# Cemetery Details

## First Union Baptist Church Cemetery

1631 Pole Green Road  
Mechanicsville - Hanover, VA 23116

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

JUL 12. 9:00 AM - 12:45 PM (ET)

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

## Celebration of Life with live streaming

JUL 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a To View the Webcast of the Funeral for James Arthur Manley, Please Click the Link below. in memory of James Arthur Manley*



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**March Funeral Homes** - June 28, 2023 at 04:51 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.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - June 27, 2023 at 11:15 AM

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*Sending my deepest condolences to Inez and the family and friends. May your memories of Buddy bring you some comfort and joy.*

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**Mabel Cosby** - July 04, 2023 at 03:50 PM