



James Thomas McInnis

October 7, 1955 - February 28, 2012

A Time To Be Born: “And God proceeded to create the man in his image in God’s image he created him; male and female he created them.” (Genesis 1:27) Our beloved James Thomas McInnis born October 7, 1955 to Mildred Ross and the late Thomas McInnis. He was called home to be with his Lord and Savior February 28, 2012. He is preceded in death by his brother, Robert McInnis.

A Time To Live: James graduated from James Madison Senior High School. He furthered his education at Alabama State University and received his degree from Virginia State University with a B.A. in Sociology. He was an articulate, avid sports fan - high school and college basketball player. His lifetime career was in Human Services even though he had been a Vocational Education Teacher and Behavioral Health Program Manager. He met the love of his life Sandra Ratliff and married August 12, 1987 and from that union they reared two children, Jamie Lynn and Jasmine Saneé. He was a member of New Bridge Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend Marcus Martin until his health began to fail.

James was a loving husband, father, brother and strong family provider. He was a true patriarch of his entire family taking on the role upon his father’s passing, which continued throughout the years. James was a confident man, full of knowledge and always willing to share his wisdom.

A Time To Mourn: “Blessed are they that mourn; for they shall be comforted.” (Matt. 5:4) James will be missed by all. We know that he lives in the hearts and minds of those who knew and loved him as being upbeat and full of life. We were so fortunate to have had him in our lives and we feel empty without him. He leaves to cherish his memory a devoted and loving wife, Sandra McInnis of 24 years; two daughters, Jamie Lynn and Jasmine Saneé; mother, Mildred Ross (Perry); two brothers, Warren McInnis (Roberta) and Mark McInnis; sister, Lynn Fairley (Moses); his sister cousin, Lorraine McKenzie (Clint); sisters-in-law, Fannie Ratliff Feaster, Lois Lee Ratliff and Myrtle Ratliff Denny; aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 5. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Family Hour

MAR 5. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

MAR 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ James Thomas McInnis

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Sorry to hear about the death of your loved one. The bible says at Revelation 21:4 “And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away”. God gives us this promise.

Magenta B.I. Howard - March 02, 2012 at 10:15 AM



“ Sorry to hear about your loss, but the bible says at Isaiah 25:8 that “He (God) will actually swallow up death forever, and the sovereign Lord Jehovah will certainly wipe the tears from all faces.

Evyn W. S. Howard - March 02, 2012 at 09:47 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 - February 29, 2012 at 12:27 PM



I'm sorry about your lost

Janay Nicholson - September 08, 2015 at 08:22 PM