



James Herbert Palmer Jr.

February 28, 1949 - October 7, 2017

An avid outdoorsman, he enjoyed fishing, hunting, motorcycle riding, and traveling. Jimmie was a wonderful provider who loved spending time with his family. He also enjoyed listening to jazz, cooking, watching football and westerns on his big screen. Jimmie was an original member of the Everyday People Social Club, and was a diehard Redskins fan.

Jimmie and Pinkey, always unique, were married on New Year's Eve after Watch Night service at 31st Street Baptist Church in 1996. The one of a kind wedding was a total surprise to church members, and will always be remembered. They were extensive travelers until his health began to fail.

Left to cherish his memory is his loving and devoted wife of 21 years, Valerie "Pinkey" Palmer; his son and best friend, Jermaine H. Palmer; one brother, Jerry H. Palmer (Denise) of Ellicott City, MD; one aunt, LuDella Williams, of Fayette, NC; four devoted and loving grandchildren, Jacelyn, Jayden, Jessica, and Kacey Palmer; mother-in-law, Alberta D. Henderson; two brothers-in-law, Walter A. Henderson (Denise) of Atlanta, GA and Keith T. Henderson; one sister-in-law, Alfreda A. Davis (William).

He also leaves a host of friends, nieces, nephews, cousins and one devoted cousin, Vanessa Brown. Several dedicated health care providers and nurses, who cared for a patient who never complained, will also treasure his memory,

along with his trusted dog, Kierra.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **14**. 12:00 PM (ET)

31st Street Baptist Church
823 North 31st Street
Richmond, VA 23223

Tribute Wall



“ *James Herbert Palmer Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Hey Uncle Jimmie, I miss you and I know you're still watching me. I wanted to let you know I'm doing well and junior year is going well, I'm trying out for basketball but I just want you to know that you're a big motivation for me and you always rooted for me in moments like such so I just wanted to tell you how I was doing. - Your great nephew, Zuri*

Zuri Henderson - October 08, 2019 at 01:29 PM



“ *We offer our deepest sympathy to the Palmer family with comfort from God's word at Ps. 55.22 ,*

Harris Family - October 29, 2017 at 01:15 PM



“ *Deborah, Marcel, Alex, and Olivia Ames purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Herbert Palmer Jr..*



Deborah, Marcel, Alex, and Olivia Ames - October 11, 2017 at 09:13 PM

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“ So sorry 2 here of a friend &co worker.my prayers are with you.Keep the faith. Edwina Swann



Edwina Swann - October 11, 2017 at 02:36 PM

AB

“ Alvin Brownlee lit a candle in memory of James Herbert Palmer Jr.



Alvin Brownlee - October 11, 2017 at 02:31 PM

FH

“ To Valerie Henderson Palmer and the Palmer Family,

Nothing prepares you for saying good-bye to some who's always been such a big part of your life but I hope it comforts you to know that Jimmie will always be loved and be someone so many people wee glad to know.

Sincere sympathy in your sorrow.

*God's Blessing
The Duncan Family
Florine Henderson Duncan*

Florine Henderson - October 11, 2017 at 06:49 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 - October 09, 2017 at 03:59 PM