



## Joel J. Williams

January 23, 1959 - January 4, 2002

Joel Jerome Williams, son of Doretha and the late Joseph Williams, was born on January 23, 1959 in Baltimore, Maryland. He departed this life on January 4, 2002, after a long and courageous battle with a severe heart condition. Upon completion of his education at Baltimore City College, Joel (lovingly known as “Butch”) obtained employment at Best, Products as a Warehouse Manager. After ten years of faithful service at Best, he assumed the position of Automotive Manager at Sam’s Club (previously Pace), where he remained for seven years before retiring due to his illness. During this period, he also met and married the former Denise Alexander. To those who knew and loved him, Butch was a “gentle giant”, quiet and loving, with a genuine caring spirit. He especially loved children and spending many pleasurable hours with his grandchildren, godchild, nieces and nephews. He was always a true friend and a devoted family man. He enjoyed public service, working on cars, doing odd jobs around the house, and could fix just about anything. Like his late father and brothers, he also loved a good joke and spending time in North Carolina. It was very rare that one, if not all of them, would leap into their cars and as they say “go down the country”. Butch basically loved life and never lost his faith. He made numerous friends wherever he went and will be sincerely missed by everyone who knew him. He leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Denise C. Williams, two stepsons, Randolph Chilson and Craig Hunter; four grandchildren, Randy III, Monet, Mikhayla and Lil Craig; one godchild, Calliope Hutsnell; his loving mother, Doretha Williams; his

mother-in-law, Lorraine Alexander; six sisters, Mary, Carolyn, Claytee, Johanna, Elizabeth and Hazel; five brothers, Henry, Spencer, Kirby, Mike and Willie, five sisters-in-law, Cornelia, Linda, Grace, Deanna and Deborah; four brothers-in-law, Gary, Leonard, David and Milton; nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. "WITHOUT WARNING" You may wonder why I went away and failed to say goodbye, I couldn't bear to tell you, for it upsets me when you cry; My ship came in early and it was beautiful to see, For the Captain was King Jesus and He safely beckoned me; I hurried through the portal and fell humbly at His feet, He gently took me in His arms and now all is complete. Lovingly Submitted The Family

# Tribute Wall



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“ I will miss Butch's smiling face. He was really special and never said no to anyone.##imported-begin##Randy Chilson##imported-end##

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“ May God bless you and be with you in your time of sorrow. May He give you strength and hope to meet each new tomorrow. He has said I will never leave thee nor forsake thee...

Hebrew13:5##imported-begin##The March Family and Staff##imported-end##

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“ To the Williams Family: We all need to hang in there pray,be there for one another, and be strong. Not just one, but all of us have lost a loved one, someone that was very special to us. May God Bless and be with us.##imported-begin##Chon and Family##imported-end##

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“ *Butch, You will be missed by all of us. I already miss seeing you at the light at Chester and North Ave. and you saying what are you doing on this side of town. You are in a much better place now. No more suffering and no more pain. I'll see you when I get there tell everyone I said Hello. Love you. Your niece, Kita*###imported-begin###*Kita*###imported-end###

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“ *To the Williams Family: Sorry to hear of your loss but we have to be there for one another and help each other through this difficult time. I know it's hard, but we can do it. God won't give you anymore than you can handle, so continue to keep your faith in the Lord and he will see you through this. Keep me in your prayers and I'll continue to keep you in mine. We're a strong family let's continue this trend. God Bless us.*###imported-begin###*Kita and Family*###imported-end###

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“ *In your time of sorrow we just wanted to let the family know that Joel is in a better place and if you just ask God for the strength he will help you through. May God smile upon each and everyone of you and keep you strong. You all are in our prayers. Respectfully Submitted Charlene and Robert.*###imported-begin###*Mr. & Mrs. Robert E. Hudnall Jr.*###imported-end###

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“ All I can say is Uncle Butch is in a much better place now. There will be no more worrying, stress or heart aces for him. Uncle Butch I want you to know that I love you. And although your gone you will never be forgotten. Yes, I still weap over your death but to know your with God puts me more at ease. Love you Uncle Butch R.I.P###imported-begin###Mayumi Williams###imported-end##

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“ To the Williams. We have to all be strong and keep our heads held high to the sky. Butch is in a much better place now. Butch we love and miss you so much. R.I.P###imported-begin###Spencer, Judy snd family###imported-end##

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“ Butch, We are going to miss you brother. I'll be looking for a new star in the sky###imported-begin###Henry Brown###imported-end##

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“ Butch, you were a special friend to me and my family and we will miss your company and your smile. You are forever in God's grace.###imported-begin###Charlene Wilkins###imported-end##

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“ To Niece, sorry for your lost. Peace be with you and your family###imported-begin###Carolyn Hardin###imported-end##

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“ I am sorry for your lost of your love one,he will be missed.##imported-begin##Cheryl E. Davis##imported-end##

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“ Hey Butch,I love you brother and I miss you something terrible.I haven't gotten much sleep lately , since you have left but nevertheless lam still hanging in there.Rest In Peace. Your Loving Brother Mike.##imported-begin##MIKE WILLIAMS##imported-end##

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