



## John Manning

December 31, 1952 - March 14, 2016

On Monday, March 14, 2016, John Jasper Manning, affectionally known as "Brother" departed this life after a lengthy illness. He was born on December 31, 1952, to the late George and Marie Manning. John was born fifth of eight children. His sisters Shirley Barnes and Loretta Manning preceded him in death. He received his education through Baltimore City Public Schools. He was employed by General Refractories Brickyard at the age 16 and worked there for 15 years. After that he worked various jobs until his health begin to decline.

John was a fun loving man who loved to make people laugh. He had a nickname for everyone and never had a problem with speaking his mind. He was a great prankster who would always keep you in stitches with his phrases like, "I gotta cake bake for your tail" or "Where are you going with that bopditty outfit on". He was a great protector of his family and always enjoyed spending his time with them. He was loved by all who knew him and built strongbonds with all of his friends.

He found the Lord at an early age and always held tight to the spiritual values taught to him by his mother. The source of his strength were his children and he spent the latter part of his years taking very good care of them. His pastime was watching Westerns which always annoyed his children.

His life partner, Paulette Maple preceded him in death.

He leaves to mourn and cherish his memory: three sons, Antonio Beckwith (Pamela Beckwith), Trayvon, and Brandon Manning; four daughters, Kendra, Manisha, Briana and La'Bria Manning; the children of his life partner, Jamal Maple, Deontray and Kiawyna Coleman; granddaughter, Arnisha Beckwith; four grandsons, Bryan, Andre, Jakari and Trayvon Jr.; two great-granddaughters and great-grandson; three brothers, George Jr., Larry and Jerome; two sisters, Christine Hankins and Joanne Manning; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## viewing

MAR 18. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

MAR 19. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *John Manning*

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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.*

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