



## Mr. John Briddell Shuemate

December 19, 1952 - June 16, 2023

JOHN BRIDDELL SHUEMATE, affectionately known as “Jay” and “Jay B”, was born on December 19, 1952 in Baltimore, MD to the late John and Iva Shuemate. On Friday, June 16, 2023, the Lord requested his presence and called John home.

John was raised in Baltimore City where he received his formal education. He was good with numbers, working with his hands and people. John held numerous positions throughout his lifetime. He worked as a Sprinkler Installer, a Construction Laborer, a Security Guard and his last position was as a House Manager at Wilson Care Assistant Living. He held his CMT, CPR & First Aid, Alzheimer’s, and Schizophrenia certifications.

On November 7, 1979, John married Patricia Davis and from that union, Quiana Shuemate was born. Out of John and Shirley Smith’s relationship came the birth of his youngest daughter, Danielle Smith. John loved music and singing, enjoyed chess, dancing, going to the casino, watching football, and spending time with his family and friends. He felt lucky all the time, you’d often catch him playing the lottery. He was a very upbeat, stylish, tall, handsome, and on-the-go man. You couldn’t tell him he wasn’t 25 and fly. Helping people came naturally to him, which drew him and others together. He had a wonderful personality and was loved by many. If he had it, you had it!

The memory of John “Jay” “Jay B” will live on through: his two daughters, Quiana (Darryl) and Danielle (David); stepson, Glenn Sr. (LaKim); twelve grandchildren, Earl III, Shanika, Marquise, Tyler, Diamond, Kiersten, Maconio Jr., Dakari, Sire’, Khloe, Amiyah and Tristian; six greatgrandchildren; his ex-wife, Patricia; two nieces, Lynne and Kim; a special longtime friend, Myra; and a host of family and friends.

To love unconditionally, we obey God’s command, to put on love or respect despite the circumstances. Romans 12:10, 1 Peter 2:17

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 28. 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - East  
1101 E. North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202

## Wake

JUN 29. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

JUN 29. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



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“ *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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