



## Lawrence Russell Smith

July 20, 1950 - November 23, 2008

LAWRENCE R. SMITH a.k.a. "Punchy," son of the late Leroy Smith and Dorothy Smith, was born on July 20, 1950 in Baltimore, Maryland. He departed this life on November 23, 2008, after a lengthy illness. Lawrence received his education in the Baltimore City Public School System attending Lombard Junior High School and graduating from Dunbar High School. Upon completing his education, he became employed at Oriole Baking Co. and Continental Can Co. and CSX Transportation Co. Throughout his life he experienced a wonderful life with his former wife Mardrella Smith in which two children were born, the late Kimberly Smith and his son, Eric Smith. He also experienced a loving relationship and a second marriage to Brenda Smith, and a loving child D'metrius Smith was born. In the year 1993, he met and came to love Debbie Scott and in that happy relationship of fifteen years came two other children, Datiowe and DaJana Smith. He leaves to mourn his passing: his beloved Debbie Scott and children, Kimberly, Eric, D'metrius, Lakisha, Antonio, Datiowe and DaJana; brother, Gregory Smith; eight grandchildren, Larry, Brittany, Dominick, Ishley, Kala, Eric, Santazia and Tyyara; great-grandchild, Timothy Brown; aunt, Marlene Cox; his his second mother, Elnore Knight; six sisters-in-law, Marlita, Carla, Leta, Ethel, Shelia and Barbara; brother-in-law, Anthony; five nieces, Angie, Michelle, Nikki, Candance and Sonny; three nephews, Gregory, Michael and Terry. Punchy made numerous friends wherever he went he will be truly missed. He will always be a true friend and father. He also leaves to cherish a host



# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence Russell Smith*

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“ *Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. Acts 24:15 lovingly declares:"There is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort and strength every time you think about this wonderful hope found in the Bible.##imported-begin##Sharon Hill##imported-end##*

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“ *Dear Debbie, My deepest sympathy goes out to you and your family. I was shocked to hear about Punchy. I pray that GOD will grant you the peace and understanding that you need during this time. You know that GOD knows best and he will supply all your needs. Keep the faith and don't give up. Because you know God is a Healer, comforter and anything else that you stand in need of. I LOVE YOU BABY GIRL!!! Please call me I miss hearing from you. (443)682-4352 Scipio Pratt Library##imported-begin##Candy Scipio-Hewlett##imported-end##*

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