



## Linnie Edward Pryor, III

November 2, 1953 - November 5, 2014

Linnie Edward Pryor, III of Lithonia, Georgia formerly of Richmond, Virginia, departed this life for his eternal home on Wednesday, November 5, 2014 at the Atlanta Medical Center.

Linnie was born on November 2, 1953 in Richmond, Virginia to the late Linnie Edward Pryor, Jr and Sarah West Pryor. Linnie was preceded in death by his sisters, Lamone Pryor and Regina P. Crump; his nephew Timothy W. Crump, Jr.

Linnie confessed Christ at an early age and was baptized at Good Shepherd Baptist Church. He once served as an usher and as a member of the Senior Center Advisory Board.

Linnie was educated in the Richmond Public System and later attended J. Sargeant Reynolds and John Tyler Community Colleges. Taking a hiatus from his education, he began employment with Western Electric and remained with them throughout all of their transitions, until he transferred to OFS in Georgia. He retired shortly thereafter in 2002.

He was united in holy matrimony on March 20, 1980, to Shelia K. Brice, and from that union, there was one son, Linnie Edward "LJ" Pryor IV.

Linnie was a faithful, loving, a devoted husband, father, son, brother, uncle, and friend. He never judged anyone but, quick to point out the good in everyone. He was very passionate about his family. He spent a lot of time with his nieces and nephews trying to instill in them life lessons and how to be successful individuals.

Linnie had a passion for cars. During his retirement and illness he amassed a large collection of model cars, which gave him much comfort. He was loved and admired by his friends and neighbors.

Linnie leaves to cherish his memories, his wife Shelia B. Pryor; one devoted son, Linnie

Edward Pryor, IV; mother-in-law, Katie H. Brice; one sister Marilyn H. Cassells; two uncles, Reverend George N. West (Mary), and devoted Cornelius J. West, Sr. (Inez); three sisters-in-law; Yolonda B. West. Aljawana B. Atkins and devoted, Deborah B. Hatcher; two brothers-in-law, William E. Brice, Sr. and John L. Brice, Jr.; a host of nieces, two devoted, Sharita C. Bryant and Jermone M. Hatcher; a host of nephews, other family members, and friends, 2 devoted, Jacqueline Dixon and Judy Mines.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Previous Events

## viewing

NOV 13. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Family Hour

NOV 13. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

NOV 14. 12:00 PM (ET)

Good Shepherd Baptist Church  
1127 N. 28th Street  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Tribute Wall



“ *Linnie Edward Pryor, III*

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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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**March Funeral Homes** - November 13, 2014 at 01:27 PM