



Rodney Lee Evans

December 5, 1957 - May 3, 2006

RODNEY LEE EVANS, SR., beloved son of James Garland and Helen Josephine Evans was born on December 5, 1957 in Baltimore, Maryland. The third child of five, "Rod", as he was affectionately called, departed this life at Sinai Hospital after a lengthy illness. Rod accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at New Shiloh Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. James A. Everett. A product of the Baltimore County Public Schools, Rod graduated from Dundalk Senior High in 1976. A very outstanding athlete, he participated in sports programs in the community and at school. We remember his exciting performance as a football player for the Turner Station Vikings, the Dundalk Wolf Pack and the Dundalk Owls. He was known as "Scrap", because of his aggressive style of play. He also played lacrosse with the Dundalk Owls in his senior year. He loved a challenge. In 1981, he was united in marriage with Vickie Simmons. From this union three sons were born, Rodney, Jr., Michael and Richard. Rod chose a career with the Baltimore County Police Department and was determined to be successful. He continuously strived for improvement and perfection. Rod was a very disciplined, dedicated, determined, hard working police officer; he was promoted to Lieutenant while serving at the Garrison Precinct. Rod remained with the Baltimore County Police Department for over 20 years until his retirement due to failing health. His ultimate goal was to become Captain. Before becoming too ill to work Rod worked as a Wage and Hour investigator for the State of Maryland, Department of Labor, License and Regulations. A

kidney patient for fourteen years, he remained active until October 1, 2005 when he was admitted to Sinai Hospital; where he stayed until his death. Rod was quite knowledgeable about the many facets of kidney dysfunction and bravely and aggressively addressed it with his family standing tirelessly at his side. Earlier in his illness, his brother, Garland Jr., donated a kidney which his body later rejected. For the last seven months his brother, Joseph, visited him daily giving him the tender loving care he so greatly needed. Through it all Rodney fought a good fight. When able to communicate he still gave orders and was in charge even from his sick bed. He leaves to cherish his memory, three sons, Rodney, Jr., Michael and Richard; his father and mother, Garland and Helen; two brothers, Garland, Jr., (Denita) and Joseph; one sister, Kim Evans; two nieces, two nephews, four aunts, two uncles, two great aunts, mentors, Roosevelt Brice and Dean Jones and a host of cousins, relatives and friends. He was predeceased by his sister Debbie.

Tribute Wall



“ Rodney Lee Evans

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ Rodney Lee Evans

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Dear Mr & Mrs Evans I will continue to keep you in my prayers. I know that Christ is your strenght and he will support you through these very hard times. Your son knew how much you both love him. Please know that your son had the best parents to love him from the start and to the end. God bless you both. Sincerely Phyllis A. Johnson (Elsie Winston's friend)##imported-begin##Phyllis A. Johnson##imported-end##

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“ I wish to express deepest sympathy to the Evans family on the loss of their beloved one. Such sorrow and tragedy was never apart of God's original plan. One day soon by means of His kingdom He will remove death forever. His very name Jehovah, means He causes to become. May you find comfort in the words at John 5:28, 29 knowing that one day soon this promise will be a reality.##imported-begin##K. Smith##imported-end##

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“ To the family of Rodney Lee Evans please except my condolences for the loss of your son. Isaiah 33:24 says, "No resident will said: I am sick." Jehovah God who started mankind off in a lovely garden, has promised to restore Paradise on this earth under the rule of his heavenly kindgom in the hands of the now glorified Jesus Christ. (Genesis 2:7-9; Matthew 6:10) In that restored Paradise, the human family will have the prospect of enjoying life without end, free from all sickness and disease. (Revelation 21:3,4; Job 33:25; Isaiah 35:5-7) At Revelation 21:5 "Look! I am making all things new." "Write, these words are faithful and true." I am truly sorry for your loss. My Deepest Sympathy Shirel Halstead.##imported-begin##Shirel Halstead##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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“ Hi! Evan's! I would like to take this time to send my condolences to you all. It has been a little over a year since Rodney died. Illness is all around us today, would it not be wonderful if every one could live for ever. The time coming when our heavenly father will make the earth a paradise. Living will be a joy then for every one. No more kidney problems ,hearing,seeing,etc. Death break the faimly circle so many times these days. I am looking forward to the time when no one will ever die because our creator is making all things new, Rev.21:5.I send my fellow feeling to you all, Lillian.##imported-begin##lillian crosby##imported-end##

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