



## William Benjamin Washington Jr.

August 15, 1954 - November 9, 2017

William Benjamin "Redd" Washington, Jr. of Richmond, Virginia peacefully transitioned to be with his Lord and Savior on November 9, 2017. He was born to the late William B. Washington and Frances Meadows on August 15, 1954.

William attended public school systems in Brooklyn, New York and Richmond, Virginia and graduated from John F. Kennedy High School in 1974. He later joined the United States Army along with his brother, Michael Leon Washington under the "Buddy Plan". After his tour of duty, he received an Honorable Discharge. He was employed at Du Pont for a brief time. He later became an excellent painter at MCV Hospital and shortly thereafter pursued his passion for landscaping. Many, many homes in the Richmond area proudly display beautiful yards because of his talents.

William was a sincere, loving and caring person and was loyal and protective of his family and friends. He loved life and he loved to laugh. He was indeed a people person.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, William and Nellie Washington; father, William B. Washington, Sr.; brother, Michael L. Washington.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving mother, Frances Meadows; two sisters, Juanita Meadows and caring, loving and devoted Sylvia Z. Robinson; three brother, Gregory Washington, Jesse Washington (Virginia) and Alfred Meadows, III; six children, Revanna El (Swaynetta), Angela Fife, Kelly Andrews, Jessica Tucker (Rick), Kimberly Easley and William Glover; eleven grandchildren, Qasim, Tamea, Brittany, Briona, Amanda, Kaiyla, Conner, Dajon, Tracy, Dylan, Kaeli and a host of other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane  
Richmond, VA 23222

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

NOV 15. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Wake

NOV 15. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

NOV 16. 12:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222



# Tribute Wall



“ *William Benjamin Washington Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I will miss William. I am so greatrull to home for giving me the most wonderfull gift in the world a beautiful son in the word.i have so many great memories of you I will cherish them forever.with love and peace Amen..Aimee Glover*



**Aimee Glover** - November 28, 2017 at 01:05 AM



“ *My condolences to the family, I am truly sorry for your loss.*

**Veronica Ali** - November 16, 2017 at 10:34 AM



“ *My condolences to the family.*

**Angela Turner** - November 14, 2017 at 05:42 PM



“ *My prayers are with the family..I pray that God them the strength to go through...and be able to walk their last Mile.... LORD put a hedge of rotection around the familyin Jesus name.....Love Fr the Merritte family*

**Linda Merritte Martin** - November 14, 2017 at 03:44 PM

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*Sorry for type o (protection)*

**Linda Merritte Martin** - November 14, 2017 at 03:47 PM

GS

“ G L "Dean" Golden Sr lit a candle in memory of William Benjamin Washington Jr.



**G L "Dean" Golden Sr** - November 14, 2017 at 02:44 PM



Terrell  
Chappel

*My condolences goes out to Benjamin Red Washington family. William are in better place where he don't have to suffer no more. God got u in his hands. Red u was just like a father to me. I miss u red and u will be well missed*

**Terrell Chappelle** - November 14, 2017 at 09:23 PM

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“ ANTOINETTE HARRINGTON lit a candle in memory of William Benjamin Washington Jr.



**ANTOINETTE HARRINGTON** - November 14, 2017 at 12:43 PM



“ 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, 2017 at 04:26 PM