



Winston Richard Rollison Jr.

June 14, 1941 - December 24, 2016

Winston Richard Rollison, Jr., the only child of the late Kate M.(nee:Wilson) and

Winston R. Rollison, Sr., was born on June 14,1941, in Richmond, Virginia. Winston was affectionately known as "JuKnuckle" by his parents and close family; and was called

"Rolli ", "Rock", and "Rollison", by his friends and coworkers. He departed from this earthly realm on Christmas Eve, December 24, 2016 (at 6:18 p.m.) at the Bon Secours Memorial Regional Medical Center (Critical Care Unit) in Richmond ,Virginia.

Winston attended the public schools of Richmond ,Virginia and graduated from Armstrong High School. He furthered his education at Norfolk State College (now Norfolk State University) , graduating with a Bachelor's Degree in Fine Arts in July 1965. While at Norfolk State College, he pledged and became a member of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

Winston was reared in a Christian home. He was baptized as a child and until his early adulthood attended Mt. Olivet Baptist Church with his parents in Richmond. He later joined Fourth Baptist church on "P" Street in the Churchill section of Richmond.

Winston enlisted in the United States Army in 1966 and was stationed at Fort

Holabird, Maryland. He was assigned to the security Division of the U.S . Army Intelligence Command. He was honorably discharged in October 1968.

While stationed at Fort Holabird , he met the former Carolyn J . Winegan, with whom he formed a bond. From this union, one son was born , Richard Winston Rollison. ·

He later met and married the former Judy Staten Banks. That union lasted 12 years.

After leaving the United States Army, Winston remained in Maryland. He was employed by the Baltimore City Department of Recreation (Street Club Service Division) until his return to Richmond in 1972. He was later employed by Phillip Morris, USA, in Richmond, Virginia for over 25 years. He retired in 1998.

He was an artist in his own right. He could be found painting in the wee hours of the morning. His home and his parents' home reflected his works and his strokes of genius. From time to time he would return to Norfolk State to assist with the creation of floats for parades and other occasions.

Until later years, he enjoyed playing tennis. He always marveled at the fact that he had occasion to play tennis with the late renowned tennis great Arthur Ashe, who was from Richmond , Virginia.

He was quite the history buff, with a special interest in World War II. Some of his hobbies included building model ships and airplanes, collecting model trains and making furniture. He even dabbled at photography.

Winston enjoyed traveling and spent a great deal of time touring the east

coast throughout

various states. Even though he was mostly quiet and reserved, he lived his life to the fullest.

Winston leaves to mourn their loss: His son, Richard Winston Rollison, daughter-in-law, Anina Tripp Rollison, three grandchildren, Ashli Lacole, Ananda Christen and Alexandra Ophelia; one great-grandchild, Payton Avee, of Virginia Beach, VA.; special cousins Kate Scott, Lillian Evans, Jay Evans, and Edna Theresa Woolridge, of Richmond, VA.; Carolyn W. Franklin and her husband, James, of Baltimore, MD.; his devoted companion, Alice Fay Jones and her two daughters Theresa Reed and Felicia Bryant; Godchildren, Antonia Staten, Kevin and Terrie Davis, and others; special friends, John Davis (his childhood friend); Charles E. Brent, Joseph Spratley, Leroy "Mad Dog" Love, Wyoma Dee Staten and Yvonne Wright, all of Richmond, VA., and other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

viewing

JAN 3. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

JAN 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Winston Richard Rollison Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Our heartfelt condolences to The Rollison Family. May you find peace and comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible where He assures us that our dear loved ones have a resurrection hope. His Son, Jesus Christ even promises us at John 11:25 that this is a fact. Our prayers are with your family.*

linn family - January 10, 2017 at 10:17 AM



“ *To the family and friends of Mr. Winston, please accept my condolences for your loss. May you each find comfort in your fond memories, and in knowing God "is close to the brokenhearted". (Psalm 34:18)*

T.Charity - December 30, 2016 at 04:03 PM



“ *Hello I want to give the family my deepest condolences and to also let you know that the last enemy death will be no more as found in God's word the Bible in Rev 21:4 And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." I hope that this gives you comfort*

Takiea L - December 30, 2016 at 09:14 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.

March Funeral Homes - December 29, 2016 at 02:56 PM

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