



Mr. Gerald V Riser Jr.

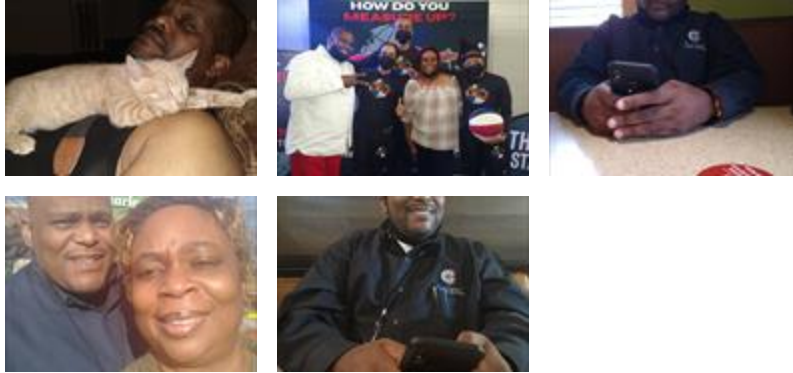
December 24, 1971 - October 24, 2022

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LY

“ I'm Sooooo sorry I lost you my love... My heart is so broken 💔😭 I miss so much and I'm forever grateful that you spent a lot of the last year of your life with me. I will love you forever my love.... until we meet again my angel 😇❤️🙏❤️😇😭😭😭



Lynn - December 29, 2022 at 11:07 PM

SH

“ What a great sense of humor and intelligence behind that effervescent smile. He will be missed!

Scott Haerberlin - November 03, 2022 at 01:51 PM

“ To say my heart is broken to lose such a kind, loving, gentle, protective friend and brother from another mother and father, is an understatement. I met G back in 1985 when I was 12 in East Atlanta. He lived around the corner from my Grand daddy's house. He lived on Patterson Ave, and I was on Metropolitan Ave. The first time I saw him, he was wearing a book bag that became an ice breaker for us starting a conversation. I asked him why he was wearing a book bag when school was out in the middle of the summer. He smiled in that little sneaky way with his eyes squinted and said, "It's top secret little lady. Why do you want to know?" We both laughed. That was the mark of the beginning of a strong bond and friendship that lasted 37. We went on to play baseball and softball at Brownwood Park together.

He was very protective of me like a little sister, and I loved it. We would lose contact off and on over the years, but when we would reconnect again, it was like no time had passed. He became my BFF. He was the only one that called me "LA." He was very clear about no one else calling me that. Over the years he served as a big brother support for me when I would date guys or life was overwhelming for me. He was quiet and laid back, but when he didn't like a guy I was dating he made it known, loud and clear. No he didn't yell, but there were no misunderstandings how he felt. Usually he was right to be concerned.

Recently, he supported me with some things my husband and I were going through. G was really good at helping me understand things from the male perspective. He is the reason why my husband and I are still together now. I will miss those long calls, Facebook and IG long conversations. He never was bothered or too busy to make me laugh or give me advice. I did the same thing for him. I'm crying again as I'm typing this, because I still can't wrap my mind around G is gone. 😭 I had no idea when I did a pay it forward contest drawing on Facebook last year, that he won, would be the last time I saw him in person. We cut up like we usually did, of course, in the moment. I hugged him and we both said I love you.

He even remarked that our friendship and bond was and will always be special to him. I agreed and I hugged him again. Well, I have rambled on long enough. I guess I'm rambling because I know I can't talk to him on this side of life anymore. G always said I had a habit of running away from things when it got too painful. He was right. We were a lot alike, plus we're both Capricorns. (Dec 24th & Jan 10th) You can imagine the stubborn moments we shared that seemed like we were arguing and the friendship was ending. It never came to that, thank God. Ok, let me stop. I don't want to put 37 years of memories up.

To Gerald's family, friends and most of all his parents, children and grandchildren, I send my deepest condolences, love and prayers to all of you. May God bless and comfort you all. Thank you for sharing Gerald (G) with me and my family. RIP Gerald Vondue Riser Jr.

*#ForeverEastAtlantaWillHoldOurMemories #IMissYouMyBuddy
#YouAreMyAngelWatchingOverMe #IWillLoveYou4ever*



LaSonya Charleston - November 02, 2022 at 11:04 PM

MW

“ What can I say? He was a true gentleman. I met him back in 2015 shortly after moving here, to North Ga. We continued our friendship, while I moved to Fla. and back. He kept me encouraged and always knew the right words to say. I am still in shock and miss his morning texts. To his family, you all have my most heartfelt condolences. May God grant you the peace that surpass all your understanding and comfort you in this most difficult time. May "Cloud" be at peace also.


Mary Wright - November 02, 2022 at 09:50 PM

CB

“ Prayers and Condolences to the family. This is still unbelievable to me that my co-worker Gerald, is no longer with us. Gerald and I would talk about his family, life events, work and my family. When things would get rough at work I would tell him if I could I would leave and he would always come back with encouraging words and tell me that I'm very much needed. It's hard to accept that I now have to accept that someone else will have to come by the office to pick up the permits. Gerald, was a kind hearted young man, he never met a stranger and he will truly be missed.
Mrs. Bevel

Charleen Bevel - November 02, 2022 at 06:21 PM

GG

“ Gerald MissingmyLuda Riser .. The memories we have made through the years will always play in my head and be stored in my heart. Missing you like crazy. You always said that no matter what, we'll always be together. Although, you've left us in flesh you will remain in my heart until we meet again .. Praying for the family and friends during this difficult time.

Gee-Gee Graham - November 01, 2022 at 04:50 PM

RT

“ My sincere condolences to the Riser family..much ❤️ Rudine B. Tucker,



Rudine Benton Tucker - November 01, 2022 at 08:59 AM

KR

“ Gerald, you were my voice of reason, my concert buddy, my prayer partner...my best friend I'm so thankful you were apart of my life. I'm glad we told each other we loved each other daily..I will miss you bestie



Keisha Robinson - October 30, 2022 at 06:03 PM

CR

“ Gerald Riser was a gift from God. Me and my son and the cats will miss him deeply. Not a day go by that I don't think about him. I just want to thank God for giving him to us for the time he was here. You will be deeply missed. Love you forever you can rest now.

Christy rhymer - October 29, 2022 at 09:00 PM

SS

“ My deepest condolences to the Riser family Gerald had a heart of gold and the sweetest person anyone could every meet. Thank you for sharing him with me he will be missed deeply! 🙏

Shawanda Smith - October 29, 2022 at 12:14 PM