



Jeffery A. Jackson

October 17, 1956 - January 21, 2020

Jeffery Antone Jackson, most commonly known as “Jeff or Lips” by family and “Never or Clever” by close friends and classmates was born October 17, 1956 in Terre Haute, Indiana to the late Ms. Cleo Malone and Mr. Ira Jackson.

In his youth, Jeffery discovered his passion for sports where he played for several local football, basketball and baseball teams before joining the basketball team at Indiana State Laboratory High School. Upon graduating from high school in 1975, Jeffery was recognized for his many scholastic achievements and granted admission into the esteemed Upward Bound program. It was during this time, where he learned of higher education opportunities ultimately leading him to Tuskegee Institute (now University) in 1976. While attending Tuskegee, Jeffery made many lifelong connections, which included meeting his Wife, Anita Louise Jackson of 27 years.

After a brief period of living in Oklahoma to pursue a business opportunity, Jeffery moved to Atlanta where he established roots. Full of energetic and infectious spirit and boundless conversation regarding any subject matter, Jeffery enjoyed attending any event that encouraged fellowship, which always yielded a new friendship. He prided himself on being self-employed in the Insurance industry for over 30 years. Jeffery found comfort and security in the tradition of Christian faith and was a member of Popular Springs Baptist Church in Ellenwood, GA.

On January 19, 2020, he answered the call to enter eternal rest. Jeffery leaves to cherish his loving memory: three daughters, India Nicole Jackson (Larry) and Ashley Joi Jackson (Terrell) in Atlanta, GA and Asia Renee Jackson in Indianapolis, IN; one son, Codi Evans (LaKendra) in Terre Haute, IN; four sisters, Letricia Greenwade in Rancho Cucamonga, CA, Shirl Morris and Chiquita Perry in Terre Haute, IN, Rosetta Taylor in Atlanta, GA ; four brothers, Michael Worrell in Pomona, CA, Darrell Perry in Land O' Lakes, FL, Ronald Perry and Brock Hudson in Terre Haute, IN; eight grandchildren, Malcolm Jaffe, Armondo Blakely, DeShon Blakely, Michael Evans, Canaan Evans, Niree Evans, Mariah Cornelius, and Noah Cornelius; one great-grandchild, Anthony Blakely; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 28. 6:00 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy.
Decatur, GA 30034
(404) 241-5656
info@levettfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

FR

“ He was friend from Tuskegee and later we connect in Atlanta. My prayers and condolences goes out to your family.

frederick - January 30, 2020 at 11:24 PM

MW

“ To my old roommate, I will miss seeing and laughing about how you never had rent money on time and I had to chase you the entire month just to laugh when I found you. May GOD welcome you with open arms. Heaven has a new angel. Condolences to the family from his Skegee family.

melanie walton - January 28, 2020 at 07:30 PM

EF

“ We would like to extend our condolences to each of you. Continue to rely on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. With caring thoughts.

Evans family - January 28, 2020 at 05:28 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffery A. Jackson.



January 27, 2020 at 10:06 PM

MS

“ Jeff was always fun and respectful of others. Memories of our history in Tuskegee will always be special. MKS



Marsha Kelley Sutton - January 27, 2020 at 09:41 PM

IP

“ Ivy Pittman-Outen lit a candle in memory of Jeffery A. Jackson



Ivy Pittman-Outen - January 27, 2020 at 09:19 PM

AB

“ To my uncle Jeff who had an infectious smile, and never a lost for words! You will forever be in my heart! I've known and loved you all my life and I will never forget you!
Your niece: Amanda Bolton (Taylor) 💕

Amanda Bolton - January 27, 2020 at 08:36 PM

JK

“ Jeff you will be missed, I remember all the times you laughed with us all the joyous memories we shared. Rest in heaven my dear. Homecoming won't be the same without you. 😭😭😭🙏🙏🙏🌸🌸🌸🌸.



Love you.
Jeanette Kirk-Hall

Jeanette Kirk-Hall - January 27, 2020 at 08:21 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jeffery A. Jackson.*



January 27, 2020 at 04:31 PM



“ *My condolences to Mr. Jeffery A. Jackson family
We know this must be a very difficult time for this family,
please except our deepest sympathy and may Almighty God
comfort you all, and ease the pain off your hearts right now.
truly sorry for your loss.*



From friends and neighbors.

Ree Anderson - January 27, 2020 at 02:45 PM



Dear Jackson Family: We are so very sorry for your loss. We've known Jeffrey "Baby" Jackson and Anita since our college days at Tuskegee. We have so many fond memories. We pray that the great LORD above will be a comfort to you all. We will miss Jeffrey. Sincerely, Alan ("Spoon) and Marva Weatherspoon

Marva Weatherspoon - January 27, 2020 at 08:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Jeffery A. Jackson.



January 27, 2020 at 12:30 PM