



James Lee Reid

December 31, 1950 - August 23, 2016

James Lee Reid was the second son of a set of identical twin born December 31, 1950 to Eldred Prentiss Reid, Sr. and Nora Lee Reid, in French Camp, California. After the death of his father, his mother and three siblings relocated to Oakland, California where he attended Longfellow Elementary School, Herbert Hoover Junior High School, and Berkeley High.

James Reid departed this life on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at Alts Bates Hospital, Berkeley, California. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife: Imelda Reid; Step-son: Jerrell Anderson; Step-daughter: Julia and son, Jaheim; Son: James Anthony Reid and Grandson, Kerry Reid; Brothers: John Walter Reid, (Twin), and William Arthur Reid; Sister-In-Laws: Shirley Reid; Janice Maxie-Reid; Monica Reid; Nephews: Eldred Prentiss Reid, Jr.; Justin Prentiss Reid, and Antoinette (wife); John Maxie Reid; Jason Andrew Reid; Prentiss Reid; Jonathan Reid; Nieces: Rosetta Reid; Tina Reid-Gates, of Sacramento, CA; Veroncia Reid, Cousins: Phillip (Reid) Thomas of Texas; Allie (Reid) Harrison of Texas;

James was preceded in death by his father, Eldred P. Reid, Sr.; Mother, Nora L. Reid; and brother, Eldred P. Reid, Jr., and Step-father, Charles Guinn.

Cemetery Details

Rolling Hills Memorial Park

4100 Hilltop Drive
Richmond, CA 94803

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM (PT)

Harris Funeral Home Legacy Center
1331 San Pablo Ave.
Berkeley, CA 94702
(510) 525-1331
<http://www.harrisfuneralhomelegacycenter.com>

Service

SEP 8. 11:00 AM (PT)

Abyssinian Missionary Baptist Church
Missionary Baptist Church
Oakland, CA 94609

Tribute Wall



“ *Harris Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James Lee Reid*



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KI

“ *Your words of encouragement will never be forgotten. I will always cherish our long conversations about life and the importance of taking care of family. You would often say, I got this! Our Heavenly Father got you now! Mrs. Andy, remember God is on the throne and He will rock you in His arms.*

KC

kimberly - September 08, 2016 at 02:26 AM

GW

“ From God we come and to him we return. I was so saddened to learn that Mr. Reid has transitioned from this life. He taught a training class with Ms. Roquemore a few months ago. You just never know the last time you see a person is really the last time. I always admired him. He was funny and caring. I also love and admire Ms. Anderson (Mrs. Reid). My prayers are with you guys!!! Jimmy Jam will truly be missed! Gods Blessings on you all.

Love always,
Ms. Wadud

gloria wadud - September 07, 2016 at 06:19 PM

CB

“ I am sad to hear of the passing of Mr. Reid. He was one of the first people I met when I started in probation. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Crystal Barton

Crystal Barton - September 07, 2016 at 06:12 PM



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TC

“ I have so many wonderful memories of JR but the one that sticks in my head the most is when I started to cry in the ISII office. He looked at me and said "there is no crying in my office". I walked out slammed the door and he made my co-workers (Aaron and Lei) go after me and bring me back into his office. Stubborn knows stubborn! I love you JR and you will be greatly missed. We definitely don't have any supervisors like you anymore.
Chattie

Teresa Chatfield - September 01, 2016 at 09:18 PM