



## Eric Lamar Byrd Sr

October 23, 1987 - April 2, 2023

### ERIC'S STORY

Eric Lamar Byrd, Sr. was born in Salisbury, Maryland on October 23, 1987 to Alphonso Byrd, Sr. and the late Carmone Ballard. Eric was suddenly called home on Sunday, April 2, 2023. Eric was raised in Pocomoke City, Maryland surrounded by family and friends. Since a child, Eric showed a great love for food and especially Peterbilt trucks.

Eric was educated in the Worcester County public school system and graduated from Pocomoke High School in 2005. While attending high school, Eric entered the workforce through Sysco and later worked for Trader's. Eric also held numerous positions with Tyson Foods and Perdue Farms. Getting back to one of his passions, Eric spent time helping a close family friend with his long hauls as often as he could. Eric was known for his cooking skills, as well as his love for food!

Eric leaves behind cherished memories with: his father, Alphonso Byrd, Sr.; a daughter, E'nijah; three sons, Eric, Jr., Joel, King; sister, Ebonie (Kevin), brothers, Devery, Sr. (Angela), Alphonso, Jr. (Tameka) and Alex; aunts, Lovie, Mary, and Barbara (Alfonzo); uncle, Douglas (Sylvia) and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, and dear friends.

Eric was preceded in death by his mother, Carmone Ballard, grandparents, Mildred Bryant, Norman Ballard and Rachel and Dorsey Byrd and aunts, Patricia and Clara Ballard.

LOVINGLY SUBMITTED,  
THE FAMILY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **16**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bennie Smith Funeral Home - Princess Anne  
30479 Prince William St.  
Princess Anne, MD 21853  
(410) 621-0566  
info@benniesmithfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.benniesmithfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

APR **16**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MO

“ Love u unc ❤️ rest up



monyae - April 16, 2023 at 10:09 PM

TW

“ Tracey White lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr



Tracey White - April 16, 2023 at 08:17 PM

JM

“ Jeanie Mason lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr



Jeanie Mason - April 15, 2023 at 06:49 PM

KC

“ Karen Collins lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr



Karen Collins - April 15, 2023 at 01:26 PM

TP

“ *Tiffany Purnell lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



Tiffany Purnell - April 15, 2023 at 12:07 PM



“ *Telia Mills lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



Telia Mills - April 15, 2023 at 08:35 AM

L-

“ *Very sweet young man know him when he was born I will miss him*



Leola white -Ayres - April 15, 2023 at 07:19 AM

LH

“ *Linda Holden lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



Linda Holden - April 15, 2023 at 04:21 AM

GH

“ *Gwendolyn Holden lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



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**Gwendolyn Holden** - April 15, 2023 at 12:28 AM

LB

“ *Lendora Bonneville lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



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**Lendora Bonneville** - April 14, 2023 at 10:46 PM

KM

“ *Kimberly Maddox lit a candle in memory of Eric Lamar Byrd Sr*



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**Kimberly Maddox** - April 14, 2023 at 08:56 PM