



## James A. Armstead Jr.

October 13, 1952 - August 28, 2019

James Allen Armstead, Jr., also known as 'Poopie' and 'Baldy', was born October 13, 1952, in Brooklyn, New York, to the late Rev. James Allen Armstead, Sr., and Serne Herring Armstead. He received his education in the New York Public School System, attending PS 159, JHS 218, and Westinghouse High School.

After graduating from H.S. James entered the Armed Forces. After his service in the armed forces he held several jobs his last being Brookdale Hospital in Brooklyn, New York. James has many hobbies. He taught karate, he loved cooking but his passion was singing and he sang with many groups. James was a jokester and he always made people laugh and smile.

James was the proud father of his only child, ShaRhonda Brown-Simpson and especially proud of his only grandchild Adin. He later married Darlene Pope Armstead and they relocated to Dover, Delaware, where he lived until his death.

James was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Denise Williams

James leaves to mourn, his daughter, ShaRhonda Brown-Simpson (Jerry); one grandson, Adin Simpson; wife, Darlene Pope Armstead; four sisters, Sharon Raysor (Leon), Edna Thompson (Anthony), Cynthia Watkins (Gregory); two

brothers, Kirt Taylor and Roger Armstead; five nieces, Serne Bryant, Kristi Taylor, Serne Thompson, Sharon Thompson and Shanese Thompson; four nephews, Calvin and Saquan Johnson and Anthony and Julian Thompson; grandnieces and nephew; two aunts. Geneva Monroe and Odessa Moore; and a host of cousins and friends.

Lovingly Submitted,

The Family