



James C. Brown

August 6, 1944 - January 7, 2017

James Cleover Brown was born August 6, 1944 in Petersburg, VA to the late Clem Sr. and Ida Washington Brown. His elementary education was completed in Petersburg, VA. He attended St. Emma Military Academy High School where he excelled with expert rifle range challenges and in football. After graduation from high school in 1962 he was accepted to Delaware State College on a football scholarship with a major in Business and History. After three years, he dreamed of bigger, “better things”, so off he went to the Marine Corp. He married Barbara Hyland, from that union he was blessed with two children. After his discharge from the Marine Corps, he and his family moved back to Delaware. He accepted a job with Playtex as a mechanic. After retiring from Playtex with 20 years of service, James enjoyed interior painting and handyman jobs in the local area.

In addition to his parents, James was preceded in death by a sister, Carrie Cox.

He leaves to cherish his memories a son James Brown Jr. (Renee'), a daughter Michelle Brown, his ex-wife Barbara, a brother Clem Brown Jr. (Barbara), his extended family: Harvey Hyland Jr., John and Doris Collins, Janice, Paulette and Marsha Hyland and a host of relatives and friends.

James also leaves to cherish his memories two very special devoted friends:

Reverend James Whitaker and Ms. Paulette Smith, members of his Whatcoat Church family.

He also leaves to cherish his memory, his Delaware Veterans Home family and its staff which became a part of his family for the past year plus.

We, his family are eternally thankful for the love and dedication you have given to James.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of James C. Brown, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

Tribute Wall

KB

“ I will miss seeing that beautiful smile and hearing that gut busting laugh. For some reason you thought my jokes were funny 😊
❤️ Misty

Karen aka Misty Blue - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ I only had the honor of knowing James for the last eight months; he was a beaut bloke, and I wish I could have had longer to get to know him.
We are sorry for your lose; he will surely be greatly missed by all of those that were lucky enough to have had James touch their lives.
David & Diane Ogden

David Ogden - January 16, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ Love & Prayers to Ms Brown & Mrs Brown

alice - January 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. may GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

M Jones - January 10, 2017 at 12:00 AM