



Roland William Ayres Jr.

June 28, 1974 - June 16, 2025

Roland William Ayres, Jr. was born on June 28, 1974, the son of the late Hattie and Roland Ayres, Sr. He departed this earthly life on Monday, June 16, 2025.

Born and raised in Accomack, Virginia, he left Virginia and moved to Paterson, New Jersey to further his education. There he lived with his late aunt and uncle, Vera Ayres and John Ayres.

Roland Ayres, Jr. "AKA J.R / Jersey", was a fun and humble person. He always made it his priority to keep a smile on everyone's faces. He was very athletic. He would also make jokes about who would cook his favorite foods. Whenever he was around, everyone knew him as Uncle J.R. or Uncle Jersey. Although family always held a major role in his life, his nieces had a soft spot in his heart. Roland loved hands-on activities and building. During his life he worked in construction and HVAC.

Roland leaves to cherish fond memories: his sisters, Fammy Smith (Travis Smith) of Atlantic, Virginia, Kim Smith (John Smith) of Parksley, Virginia and Masandra Wesley of Fort Mill, South Carolina and brothers George Fitchett of Easton, Maryland, Clearence Ayres of Salisbury, Maryland and Keith Jubilee (Best friend/brother) of Washington, DC; Calvin Lewis, Ugatha Ayres and Blannie Ayres; brothers-in-law, Ted-Brandon and Kenneth Harris; fiancé, Sherlene Wallace and step daughter Ebony Wallace, both of Salisbury, Maryland; nine nieces; eleven nephews; one great niece; one great nephew and a host of other relatives and friends.

He is united in heaven with his parents, Hattie and Roland Ayres, his sister, Paulette Davis and his nephew, Master Caine Wesley.

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