



Ronald Joseph Redding

March 14, 1959 - September 24, 2020

Ronald J. Redding, 61 of Princess Anne, MD was born March 14, 1959 to the late Helen Johnson Redding and the late James Redding. Ronald went to his eternal rest on Thursday, September 24, 2020.

Ronald was educated in the Somerset County Public School System and graduated in the class of 1978. He attended a year of college before deciding to join the U.S. Navy where he served a total of 12 ½ years and 1 year with the Army National Guard.

Ronald was a hard worker and held many jobs to provide for his family. He did security at Montgomery Ward, Zayre, Boscov's, UMES, Department of Social Services, Wicomico Detention Center, ECI and Super Max in Baltimore for a total of 25 years in Correction. He also officiated basketball for many years for ages youth through college. He umpired girls' softball for several years. He was an active member of the Princess Anne Fire Department, National Basketball Association and worked in the Athletics Department at UMES for many years, and God knows how he still found time to cut grass, power wash, detail cars, and help others in times of need.

Ronald loved to play the drums and sang with several gospel choirs. Just this January he spoke for the first time at New Psalmist Non – Denominational

Church.

Ronald is survived and loved by his wife of 35 years Isha Redding, one daughter –Tiffany (Donte); three sons Dominic, Sr. (Monica); Lamar and Rondell (Jade); 21 grandchildren: Dominic Jr., Nia, Morgan, Christopher, Khalil, Taylor, Tyler, Taliyah, Lamar Jr., Nicholas, Nyannah, Mikayla, Amara, Landyn, Jayden, Raheem, Journee, Ryan, Nari, Tristin, and Teagan. Four sisters: Laura Polk (Jaye), Oneida Walker (Alexander), Cherry Doane and Sis/Mom Priscilla Redding. Father - in - law, Lawrence Wise (Brenda); two brothers – in – law, Julian and Rudell White; two sisters – in – law Arnelda Redding (Omar), Arvenia Saunders (William Jr.) and Linda White.

Grandmother – in – law Phyllis Cropper; three aunts, Agnes Jenkins (Richard), Margaret Johnson and Gladys Collins (Thomas Sr.), two uncles – in –law, William Trader (Marie) and Alphonso Hemmeain (Cherrae). Other family include Warren Carter (Marie), a multitude of nieces and nephews that were more like his children and a host of other family and friends. Four special friends that were like brothers to him: Oliver Wigfall, Ivan Barkley Sr., Leroy Gaines and Walt Stevenson.

He is preceded into eternity by two siblings, Ardrilla Jackson and James Henry

Tribute Wall

BR

“ We miss you pop. Thanks for all the good memories., and teaching jerry the correct way to cut grass.

Brittney - October 22, 2020 at 01:17 PM

AR

“ Anne Rucker-Carter I had the privilege of working with Ron at Maryland Eastern Shore Athletics in Princess Anne, MD. He was a fun loving, dedicated employee with always laughter to share. Also I send love and condolences to Isha, his wife, and his whole family. May God hold your hearts in His hands during this time!

Anne Rucker-Carter - October 03, 2020 at 01:26 PM

AC

“ Precious Isha prayers are with even though I was unable to be their for his Homegoing Services. After this week is past, my love and prayers remain!

Anne Carter - October 03, 2020 at 12:37 PM

BS

“ To the Redding Family, We are praying that God will give you all the strength. We are here for you all if you need us. Please look to the hills from whence cometh your help. God be with each and everyone one of you. Bishop Isaac Jenkins, Sr. & Family

Bishop Isaac Jenkins Sr. - October 03, 2020 at 09:06 AM

IS

“ Going to miss my uncle coming by the house and helping me harass my dad about the Ravens. I still have a lot of memories from when they lived off of Old Ocean City road,also. I hope he is at peace. To my Aunt and older cousins, I hope they find peace in their own time,also. I feel sometimes things aren\u2019t meant for us to understand but meant for us to find strength that we did not know we had.

Isaac - October 02, 2020 at 09:24 AM

SF

“ Praying that the Lord will comfort you with His peace during this time and encourage you with His presence. We love you very much.

Sharon Holden and family - October 01, 2020 at 06:04 PM

AH

“ With heartfelt condolences, May God strengthen your heart & stand for his family in the name of Jesus Christ. Peace John 14:27

Alphonso Hemmeain - October 01, 2020 at 09:06 AM

AH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May God continue to bless & comfort you in this time need Phyllis Cropper & The Hemmeain family.

Alphonso Hemmeain - October 01, 2020 at 08:58 AM

BD

“ I had the privilege of working with Ronald Redding at ECI. He was a kind, compassionate man who had his opinions on a lot of things but would listen to others opinions as well. He was an enthusiastic person who always offered to help. He will be sadly missed by friends and family. We don't know when our time on this earth will be up but know that Ronald LOVED his family and spoke of them often. RIP Ronald

Barbara Diss - September 29, 2020 at 04:38 PM