

Friday, October 15, 2021 - 3:00 p.m.

Jane United Methodist

660 Monroe Street, Brooklyn, NY





Valdemore James Richardson, affectionately known by family and friends as "Val", was born in New York, New York on September 7, 1972 to Valdemore Tripp and Kim Richardson. Val was the first born of three. He attended Washington Irving High School and then joined Job Core followed by enlisting in the the U.S. Army.

Val began his employment with Access-A-Ride then moved on to the NYC Transit Authority as a dedicated Terminal Cleaner (at the Stillwell Terminal in Coney Island) where he devoted approximately 7 years of service. Throughout his tenure, his personality allowed him to be cherished and admired by all his colleagues, in

particularly Fabian Pellegrino aka "Pelli", of whom Val shared a special relationship with on and off the job.

Match made in Heaven - Val and Shatisha first met at Hit or Miss department store in 1996. Shatisha resigned from Hit or Miss department store to work at Delias Catalogue, leaving Val behind. Life took them both in different directions but that didn't stop Val from constantly thinking about Shatisha. Val decided to "let his fingers do the walking" and search for Shatisha in the White pages. He knew Shatisha had siblings and came across Pam's information in the white pages (Shatisha's sister) and gave Pam a call to inquire about Shatisha. As usual, Shatisha was at Pam's house. God saw fit for the two of them to reunite in 2013, and after reuniting, Val and Shatisha joyfully became husband and wife. Val's favorite number is 7, as he and his siblings were all born on the 7th day of different months (Val, September 7th; Nicole, August 7th and Giovanni, January 7th). His mother lovingly called them her "triple 7's". With the love of the number 7, Shatisha and Val wed on 7/7/17.

Our gem was given his wings on Monday, October 4th, 2021; and although our hearts are saddened, God's profound plan is unquestionable. Our beloved is at rest and he will be forever celebrated while his legacy continues through his wife, Shatisha Richardson; daughter Summer Rayne Richardson; two children he lovingly called his "bonus children"

Kayla Jade Dickerson and Chase Anthony Dickerson; his loving parents Kim Richardson & Valdemore Tripp; sister Nicole Richardson and brother Giovanni Sykes.

Val was a very loving husband and father who wanted nothing more than the best for his family!



Order of Fervice

Processional	Pastor Donald Francis Internal Change Ministry
Prayer of Comfort	Pastor Donald Francis
Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 14:1-6	
Solo	Rev. Anita Wells
Acknowledgements of Condolences	Genese Morgan
Obituary Reading	Michael McCrea
Solo	Rev. Anita Wells
Eulogy	Pastor Donald Francis
Benediction	
Recessional	

Calverton National Cemetery Riverhead, New York



Precious Memories

Acknowledgement

The family of Valdemore James Richardson wishes to extend our sincere gratitude for all acts of kindness and sympathy shown to us at our time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness, presence and prayers.

Special Thanks

The family would like to give special thanks to Pastor Donald Francis; Robert Kelley, Vice President of Transport Workers Union Station Department and to Pamela Noonan, NYC Transit Authority Station Manager.

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