



SFC Marvin Jackson

January 6, 2024

SFC Marvin Jackson was born October 3, 1956, to the late Mr. Sam and Claudia Mae Jackson in Elmore County, Alabama. Known to most as "Big Red", his presence was well known as a star fullback at Stanhope Elmore High School from his sophomore year until he graduated in 1975. It was there he broke multiple athletic records that still stand today. He excelled on the football field as well as the basketball court. He met his future wife, Dorothy Tyus, as a sophomore at Stanhope in 1972. They were united in Holy Matrimony on January 2, 1976. That same year he joined the United States Army to support his growing family. He fought for our country in Iraq, serving in Desert Shield/Storm, for 6 months in 1991. While in the military he still enjoyed sports participating in the Army flag football games as well as multiple basketball tournaments with his battalion. He also began lifting weights and started an intense workout program where he garnished the term "Body by Hard Work" that he was so proud of. After 21 years, he retired at the rank of Sargent First Class in 1996. He was a member of Jackson Chapel in Millbrook but later became a member of Lake Elam Missionary Baptist where he stayed an active member until his demise. On January 6, 2024, Marvin Jackson was called home to be with our Lord. He was preceded in death by his brothers Henry Lee Jackson, Franklin Jackson Sr., Thompson Jackson, Peter Brown Jackson, Nebertha Jackson, sister Hattie Lee Jackson Jones, son-in-law Rashad Martin, grandson Marlon Washington Jr and devoted friend Ricky Brown. He leaves behind his loving wife of 47 years, Dorothy Tyus Jackson,

son Marvin Morise (Amber) Jackson, Tameka Jackson Martin, Sheryl Antwanette (Marlon) Washington, sister Minerva Jackson and brother Sammy (Joanne) Jackson and devoted niece Justine Jackson. Grandchildren Michaela (Niko) Ruiz-Monsanto, Morissa Jackson, Marcus (Deazja) Jackson, Iyana Martin, Aniyah Martin, Tiana Martin, Ashanti Washington, Amoni Washington, Marlon Washington III, Ariana Washington and Great-grandchildren Aunavey, Kennedy, Kilo devoted cousins Kerry Abrams, Mose Abrams and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Homegoing services will be held on Saturday, January 20, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. from Lake Elam Missionary Baptist Church with Pastor Gary Jackson officiating. The interment will follow at Brookside Memorial Gardens with military honors. The family will receive friends on Friday, January 19, 2024, from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the funeral home and one hour prior to the services at the church. Brookside Funeral Home, Crematorium & Memorial Gardens of Millbrook, AL directing.

Cemetery Details

Brookside Memorial Gardens

3360 Brookside Drive
Millbrook, AL 36054

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Brookside Funeral Home
3360 Brookside Dr
Millbrook, AL 36054
(334) 285-7442
<http://www.brooksidefuneralhomeal.com>

Homegoing

JAN **20**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Lake Elam Missionary Baptist Church
3268 William Ashley Drive
Millbrook, AL

Burial

JAN **20** (CT)

Brookside Memorial Gardens
3360 Brookside Drive
Millbrook, AL 36054

Tribute Wall

KY

“ My deepest condolences to the Jackson family on your loss. I reconnected with cousin Marvin in 2017 when he talked of chittlins and snapper turtle soup. And how every year those snapper turtles would cross through Grandfather Henry Abram's farm prime for catching and soup making. His smile was infectious. Marvin will be missed. May he rest in peace.
Love, cousin Kattie Yoko-chan Abram



kya - February 01, 2024 at 12:31 PM

SJ

“ Samantha and Jayden planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of SFC Marvin Jackson.

Samantha and Jayden - January 18, 2024 at 11:20 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of SFC Marvin Jackson.



January 18, 2024 at 11:20 PM

TH

“ *Tim Hall lit a candle in memory of SFC Marvin Jackson*



Tim Hall - January 16, 2024 at 11:32 AM

JL

“ *To Family:
Grace be with you, mercy, and peace, from God the Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of the Father, in truth and love.
2 John 1:3 (KJV)
Real Soldiers don't die they consolidate on the other side. Meet you at the objective Cuz.
Please share with loved ones. Julian Long (Minister Salute) El Paso TX
https://youtu.be/_h6NFKA8x24?si=rDqIA5vO8do-cjNT*

Julian Long / Warren Long - January 14, 2024 at 01:28 PM

LM

“ *"Let us not mourn that such a man died, but rejoice that such a man lived. Fond memories of high school times with Marvin. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Linda R McCafferty - January 14, 2024 at 01:16 PM

LR

“ *Linda R. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of SFC Marvin Jackson.*

Linda R. - January 14, 2024 at 01:14 PM

PT

“ *Pat Thomas lit a candle in memory of Marvin Jackson*



Pat Thomas - January 13, 2024 at 05:15 PM

EP

“ *Cousin Marvin, I enjoyed playing softball with you in front of Grandma and Grandpa Abram's house. Rest in peace now!*



Emma A. Faulk, PRP - January 13, 2024 at 12:12 PM

KD

“ *KD DUNCAN lit a candle in memory of Marvin Jackson*



KD DUNCAN - January 13, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of SFC Marvin Jackson.*



January 12, 2024 at 04:48 AM

TG

“ To the Jackson Family:
I extend my sympathy and prayers to my cousins in your time of loss. May God strengthen and comfort each of you. Marvin will be missed in the neighborhood. "Earth hath no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal." We will continue to remember you all in prayer.

Tonia Z. Garrison - January 11, 2024 at 07:34 PM

DW

I extend my prayers to the Jackson Family during their time of heavy heart. I pray for peace and understanding.

Daisy Wilson - January 12, 2024 at 05:52 PM

TG

“ Tonia Garrison lit a candle in memory of Marvin Jackson



Tonia Z. Garrison - January 11, 2024 at 07:31 PM

FF

“ From Petra and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of SFC Marvin Jackson.

From Petra and Family - January 10, 2024 at 02:29 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of SFC Marvin Jackson.*



January 10, 2024 at 02:29 AM



“ *Karen Larson lit a candle in memory of Marvin Jackson*



Karen Hull Larson - January 09, 2024 at 07:09 PM