



Mr. Lyman Harris

May 3, 1945 - December 8, 2017

Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy.

Jude 1:24 KJV

Lyman Earl Harris aka “Boojack” was born May 3, 1945 to the late William Harris, Jr. and the late Lizzie Boyd in Pitt County. He departed this life on December 8, 2017 at home. Lyman attended Stokes Elementary School and Bethel Union School.

Lyman was married to Shirley Little on December 7, 1965. To this union two children was born, Linwood Earl Harris and Onteds JeRay Harris.

Lyman worked at Ormond Wholesale for many years, Waste Industry, ECU and when he passed he was employed at C & W Services. He loved working, keeping his cars cleaned, watching the Dallas Cowboys and UNC Carolina Tarheel.

Lyman was preceded in death by his sisters, Doris Battle and Bernice Sheppard.

Lyman leaves to cherish his memories, his wife, Shirley L. Harris; two sons, Linwood Harris (Donna) of Falls Church, VA, Onteds JeRay Harris of Atlanta City, NJ; two daughters, Sylvia Murchison of Elizabeth, NJ, Sheneathia Jones of Raleigh, NC; six grandchildren, Ontashie Harris, Infiniti Harris, Tywan

Suggs, Armani Whitfield, Kamora Harris, Chase Harris; five brothers, William Harris, Sr. (Phyllis), Robert Harris, Bennie Harris all of Greenville, NC, Alton Harris (Kelley) of Washington, DC, James Harris (Sandra) of Raleigh, NC; six sisters, Annie Ward (Eddie), Velma Smith (Zeno), Laforest Ward, Brenda Ward (Charlie), Vernell Harris and Helen Ward all of Greenville, NC; five sisters-in-law; five brothers-in-law; special sister-in-law, Dorothy Lee (Thomas) of Patterson, NJ; two special nephews, Antonio Harris, Steven Sheppard, Jr.; one uncle, Larry James Armwood (Barbara) of Washington, DC; two special friends, Michael Ray Rogers and Dalton Hardy; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Homestead Memorial Gardens

4251 E. 10th Street
Greenville, NC 27858

Previous Events

Service

DEC 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

St. Peter's Missionary Baptist Church
1295 Mumford Road
Greenville, NC 27834

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Lyman Harris*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *Congleton Funeral Home And Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - January 09, 2018 at 03:35 PM



“ *Valeria Little lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Valeria Little - December 15, 2017 at 01:47 PM



“ 87 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Congleton Memorial Mortuary - December 14, 2017 at 10:24 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Mr. Lyman Harris.



December 14, 2017 at 02:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mr. Lyman Harris.



December 13, 2017 at 08:44 PM

RC

“ *Some great memories and times that won't ever be forgotten, My condolences to Shirley, Linwood and Onteds. Wishing I could be there.*

*Runaye Close
Atlanta, GA*

Runaye Close - December 13, 2017 at 12:18 PM

AT

“ *Ann Taft lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



ann taft - December 13, 2017 at 12:05 PM

AC

“ *Lyman was such a nice person and exactly the person you want to work around... he was happy to be there, he did great work, and he did everything he could to make things better for those around him. We will truly miss him at Patheon. Blessings to you, his family!! My husband and I are so sorry for your loss.*

Ann Cherry - December 13, 2017 at 12:15 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Mr. Lyman Harris.*



December 12, 2017 at 10:16 PM

KT

“ Karen Sharp Thigpen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris



Karen Sharp Thigpen - December 12, 2017 at 05:02 PM

BF

“ To the HARRIS' FAMILY!

The VINES' FAMILY sends their condolences to you and I (Brenda) is going to miss Lyman. Whenever and wherever he saw me, the conversations were always positive and with love. However, I can say that was his personality. R.I.P. Lyman and my family and I are going to miss you!

Brenda Vines and Family

Brenda Vines and Family - December 12, 2017 at 02:47 PM

EV

“ Uncle BJ, memories of you sitting at my daddy's house, seeing you around town, the jokes, the hugs, and that loving warm smile you always greeted me with, will forever remain in my heart. Aunt Shirley, Linwood, & Onteds continued prayers for you all and my entire Harris family. Love y'all.....I will miss you...rest easy Uncle BJ

Your niece Evette, Treyven & Tyshaun (great nephews)

Evette - December 12, 2017 at 01:57 PM

GA

“ To the Harris Family,

The entire Atkinson family would like to extend our condolences to you all during this very tough time. It was an honor to have known such a great person (Lyman) and we will truly miss him. We are truly sorry for the Harris family loss. Lyman will be missed and he will never be forgotten. Prayers and fond memories are what we have to remember Lyman by. May the love of family and friends comfort you all during these difficult days. Lyman has always and will always be a part of the Atkinson's family.

Love,

The Atkinson Family!

Gloria Atkinson - December 12, 2017 at 01:56 PM

KA

“ *Kim Atkinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Kim Atkinson - December 12, 2017 at 01:35 PM

SJ

“ *Sending my heart felt condolences to the family of Mr. Lyman Harris. Im really going to miss our conversations , or just a listening ear at work. The laughter we shared. Most of all his honesty,loyalty, and just being straightforward. RIP MR. LYMAN*

Samara Johnson - December 12, 2017 at 08:35 AM

SJ

“ *Samara Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Samara Johnson - December 12, 2017 at 08:29 AM

MF

“ *Our hearts are saddened by your loss.....thoughts and prayers are with you. When someone you love becomes a memory, the memory becomes a treasure. May your memories give you peace and comfort. May "boojack" rest in GOD's peace!*

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Murchison Family!

Murchison Family - December 11, 2017 at 04:26 PM

 Derone Brown Jr

“ *To the Harris family, I would like to extend my condolences to you during this trying time. I'm going to really miss Lyman. I had only been working with him for little over a year at Patheon with C&W Services. He always greeted me with 2 of his trademark lines, "What s up Jack" or "What s up YO!" every day at shift change.lol Lyman was a very wise man who always told it like it should be told when he addressed life, issues at work or just being humorous. That s how we hit it off good at work, outside work etc. It really hurts right now because he was one of only 2 co workers who helped me when I lost my home back in March of this year to fire. He always said, "Keep ya head up YO." Couldn't never win a debate with him as well.lol It was always a draw.lol In the coming days and beyond, to the Harris family, I'm here . To you Lyman , R.I.P. brother. You were a 100 O.G. See ya on the other sude5🥹*

Derone Brown Jr - December 10, 2017 at 07:04 PM



“ *Derone Brown Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Derone Brown Jr - December 10, 2017 at 06:43 PM



“ *Susan Bright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



Susan Bright - December 09, 2017 at 06:50 PM



Lyman worked with us at Patheon and was such a nice person, so sorry to hear of his passing.

Susan Bright - December 09, 2017 at 06:51 PM



“ *MINISTER DORA COX sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lyman Harris*



MINISTER DORA COX - December 08, 2017 at 10:18 PM