



Mr. Octavis Brown Jr

April 25, 1956 - April 19, 2025

Octavis Brown, Jr was born on April 25, 1956 to the late Octavis Brown, Sr and Sadie Mae Brown in Martin County, NC. He peacefully entered eternal life on April 19, 2025 at Inova Fairfax Hospital, Falls Church, VA.

Octavis graduated from Williamston High School class of 1974. He served in the United States Army as a Radio Teletype Operator from 1976 to 1978 and did a tour in Germany.

Octavis was a handyman and loved working on cars and doing landscape. He was an avid Dallas Cowboy fan.

Octavis was a great cook and supporter. Although he is no longer among us, he will never be forgotten. Octavis has won the hearts of many that knew him, and he will definitely be missed.

Octavis was preceded in death by parents; his brother, William McKinley Brown; his sister, Edna Faye Brown Anthony.

Octavis leaves to cherish his life, his loving wife, Gearlene Brown; his only son, Jason Brown (Haneefa); his daughters, Tanya Brown Lindsey (Shon), Tonya Brown, Katina Hopkins Brown, Belinda Dee Brown; a host of grandkids, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Brown Family Cemetery

1535 Eli Bowen Rd
Williamston, NC 27892

Previous Events

Viewing/Visitation

MAY 4. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Cedar Hill Missionary Baptist Church
2131 Rodgers School Rd
Williamston, NC 27892

Celebration of Life Service

MAY 4. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

Congleton Memorial Mortuary - May 05, 2025 at 09:44 AM

RC

“ *Rev Dora Cox lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



rev dora cox - May 16, 2025 at 01:02 PM

GB

“ *My condolences to the family and loved one during your time of grieving. Praying for comfort and peace going forward. Lil Jr. was the cousin with the smile that lit up the room. Thanks cuz, God BLESS You! 🙏🙏🙏*



G. BrownVaden - May 04, 2025 at 09:25 PM

CS

“ *Cecily Sene lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Cecily Sene - April 28, 2025 at 08:46 PM

BW

“ *Lil Jr. I know that God doesn't make mistakes. He saw that you had completed your walk through life and He knew that you were getting tired. So Sweetie take your rest and your race has been run. Miss you and that infectious laugh.*



Bobbie Watson - April 27, 2025 at 04:53 PM

JW

“ *We send our condolences to you Geraldene. We know you will miss your husband, but think of all the wonderful memories you both shared! Trust In God to get you through this time. Cousins Poochie and Gladys love you very much!*

James (Poochie) and Gladys Williams - April 26, 2025 at 10:55 PM

PW

“ *Phileria Ann Washington lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Phileria Ann Washington - April 26, 2025 at 04:24 PM

RH

“ *RAMONA P HIGHSMITH lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



RAMONA P HIGHSMITH - April 26, 2025 at 04:02 PM

GB

“ *In memory of my husband. Will truly miss you.*



Gearlene Brown



Gearlene Brown - April 25, 2025 at 08:54 AM

BS

“ *Betty Stokes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Betty Stokes - April 24, 2025 at 12:23 PM

JJ

“ *Johnny A. Lloyd, Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Johnny A. Lloyd, Jr - April 23, 2025 at 01:08 PM

C-

“ *Clorette Harris -Mason lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Clorette Harris -Mason - April 23, 2025 at 07:45 AM

JB

“ My condolences to the family. Praying for the family.

Jimmy Ray brown - April 22, 2025 at 01:44 PM

BB

“ "Lil Jr" we will miss you. Abundance of precious memories to hold on to. Will definitely miss your visits, coming with your clothes to wash as if you was still in college 😭. Geraldine, may God bring comfort, strength during these times. They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. Psalms 126:5. Sam and I love you. He's still in disbelief. He loved his nephew tremendously. Peace and blessings 💕
Betty & Sam Brown
Danville, Va



Betty Brown - April 22, 2025 at 11:07 AM

CS

“ Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolences on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - April 22, 2025 at 10:06 AM

PM

“ Patricia M Modica lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr



Patricia M Modica - April 22, 2025 at 09:43 AM

EH

“ *My Condolences And Prayers Are With The Family 🙏🙏🙏*



Evangelist Gwen Hudson - April 22, 2025 at 08:26 AM

GB

“ *Glenda O. Bonds lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Glenda O. Bonds - April 22, 2025 at 08:16 AM

GD

“ *Glenda Bonds Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Glenda Bonds Davis - April 22, 2025 at 08:14 AM

MR

“ *Michael Rodgers sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr*



Michael Rodgers - April 21, 2025 at 06:58 PM

CJ

“ Cynthia B Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Octavis Brown Jr



Cynthia B Jones - April 21, 2025 at 11:10 AM

AD

So Sorry for your loss

ALFREDIA DAWSON - April 22, 2025 at 09:41 AM