



Mr. William Henry Best Jr.

MAY 4, 1954 - OCT 17, 2024



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Ashville - Mr. William H. Best Jr., 70, transitioned from this earthly walk of life on Thursday, October 17, 2024 at home. The celebration of his life will be held on Tuesday, October 29, 2024 at 12:00pm with a viewing from 11:00am to 11:50am at J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations, 1701 Wayne Memorial Drive, Goldsboro, NC. He will be laid to rest at the Eastern Carolina State Veterans Cemetery, 164 Longs Plant Farm Road, Goldsboro, NC at 2:00pm.

He was born on May 4, 1954 in Wayne County, NC to William H. Best Sr. and Bessie Lee Speight Best. He is survived by his son, Lorenzo Williams; his sister, Yvonne B. Goodman (William), Goldsboro, NC and host of nieces, nephews and other loving relatives and friends.

Services of caring, compassionate and distinguished class entrusted to J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home & Cremations of Goldsboro.



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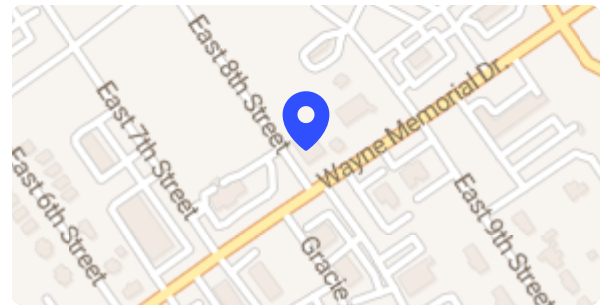
Chapel Viewing

Tuesday, October 29, 2024

11:00 AM - 11:50 AM ET

J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations, Inc.

1701 Wayne Memorial Drive, Goldsboro NC
27534



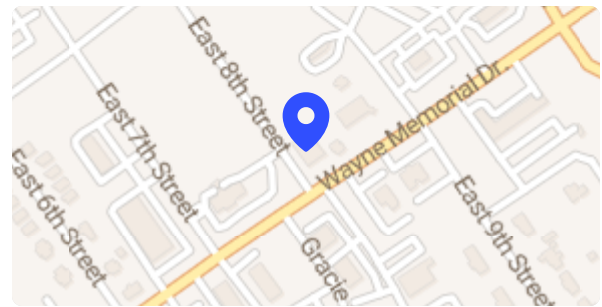
Celebration of Life

Tuesday, October 29, 2024

12:00 PM ET

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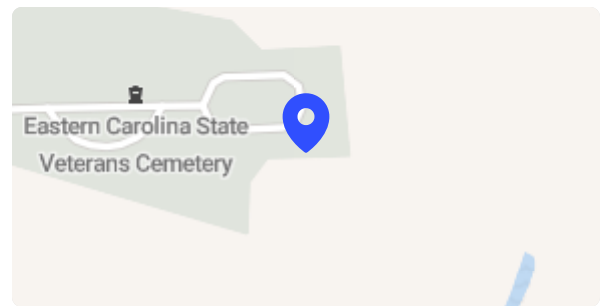
Burial

Tuesday, October 29, 2024

2:00 PM ET

Eastern Carolina State Veterans Cemetery

164 Longs Plant Farm Road, Goldsboro NC
27534






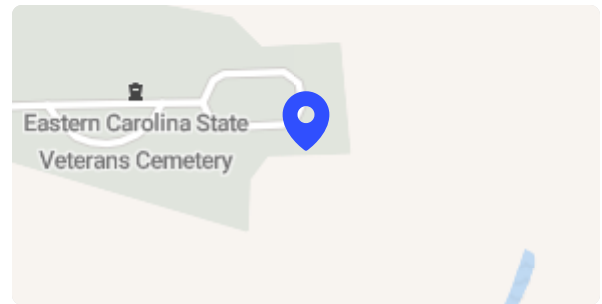
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Cemetery Details

 **Eastern Carolina State Veterans Cemetery**
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JT

Jamie Tyler lit a candle in honor of William.

December 6 at 6:55 AM



PD

Priscilla Dawson sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

November 15 at 6:41 PM



DH

Darlene Holdren lit a candle in honor of William.

Prayer's and condolences to his family...you will be missed

November 1 at 7:44 PM



LT

Linda Crooms Thompson sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

My condolences to the family of my classmate. Will best. Apos.linda crooms Thompson.

October 28 at 8:32 PM



LD

Lillie Bizzelle Dunican posted:

My prayers go out the the Best family. William and I were classmates.

October 28 at 5:57 PM

EJ

Esther Johnson lit a candle in honor of William.

Deepest Sympathy and condolences to the Family. Alano & Esther I. Johnson

October 28 at 5:24 PM





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J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home & Cremations, Inc shared 20 photos to the **LifeTributes** album.

October 19 at 3:24 PM



Rhonda Coley Delcour lit a candle in honor of William.

October 28 at 10:57 AM



Diana James Wynder lit a candle in honor of William.

October 27 at 8:57 PM



Ethel Hobbs Gamble posted:
My friend and CBA classmate of 1972. We will miss you!

October 27 at 5:44 PM



Ethel Hobbs Gamble lit a candle in honor of William.

October 27 at 5:41 PM



Elaine Royal lit a candle in honor of William.

October 27 at 5:40 PM





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Jeannette Barnes lit a candle in honor of William.

October 27 at 5:11 PM



Clarissa Coley Jacobs lit a candle in honor of William.

October 27 at 1:58 PM



Priscilla Dawson sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

October 27 at 12:26 PM



Sarah Spicer & Family lit a candle in honor of William.

Our prayers are with our family. Sarah (Spicer) Hampton & family.

October 27 at 6:00 AM



Foy And Evelyn Coley lit a candle in honor of William.

We are praying for the family. Treasure fond memories and the time you shared. God bless you.

October 26 at 7:24 PM



Celestine Walker October 27 at 11:02 AM

The Walker family is praying for the Best family 🙏 God Bless you and your family 🙏



Shirley Croom & Elwood Croom lit a candle in honor of William.

Condolences and prayers to the family. 🙏

October 26 at 5:03 PM





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EH

Edward Hamilton lit a candle in honor of William.

October 26 at 5:17 AM



LS

Les Sloan lit a candle in honor of William.

October 25 at 6:24 PM



IR

Isabella Reid lit a candle in honor of William.

A candle lit in memory of my classmate and a very dear friend, William Henry Best Jr. My sincere condolences to the family.

October 24 at 3:13 PM



TR

Tamra Renfrow lit a candle in honor of William.

Junior and I clicked the first time we met. He always had a smile and we laughed at anything and everything! I always kept in touch with your sister throughout the years Junior and there was never a time I didn't ask about you. Prayers to the entire Best family in this time of sorrow. Love to you Kitty for always being my mentor for many years and a true friend! I love you! Tamra and Robbie Renfrow 🧑❤️🧑

October 24 at 2:26 PM



HF

Hilda Farmer lit a candle in honor of William.

October 24 at 8:15 AM



GM

Gwendolyn Mitchell lit a candle in honor of William.

October 24 at 8:12 AM





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TS

Thomas Smith lit a candle in honor of William.

My condolences to the entire family, my life time friend and cousin whom I have shared so much with in life. RIP Bruh!!!

October 23 at 6:24 PM



CT

Callie Ayers Turner sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

October 22 at 5:52 PM



CW

Carmen Williams lit a candle in honor of William.

With deepest sympathy . Sorry to hear of June's passing. Carmen Williams

October 22 at 4:24 PM



TS

Tonette Speight Simmons lit a candle in honor of William.

To the family of June Best, please accept my deepest condolences. 🙏

October 22 at 9:26 AM



HB

Hilda Battle sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

October 22 at 7:46 AM



SP

Sis Bertha Pridgen lit a candle in honor of William.

October 22 at 6:25 AM





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DH

Dorothy Hsrdy lit a candle in honor of William.

My sincere condolences to Yvonne and the Best family. I was so sorry to hear of the passing of June.

October 22 at 4:51 AM



MJ

Michael Johnson posted:

So sorry to hear about Cousin June. For several years he served as the Boys Scout troop leader at Atkinson Chapel Church where I pastored. Kitty, we are praying for you and our family. God bless you. Michael and Wanda Johnson

October 22 at 12:39 AM

BK

Betty Kennedy lit a candle in honor of William.

My heartfelt sympathy to the Best family.

October 21 at 11:14 PM



JB

Jeannette Barnes lit a candle in honor of William.

October 21 at 9:47 PM



FC

Foy And Evelyn Coley lit a candle in honor of William.

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October 21 at 5:36 PM



SC

Shirley Croom lit a candle in honor of William.

Elwood & Shirley Croom

October 21 at 5:01 PM





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CG

Carolyn Gatling sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

October 21 at 3:58 PM



FL

Flossie Lang lit a candle in honor of William.

My 1st Cousin, always called me beautiful, Rest Easy Love you Jr.

October 21 at 1:42 PM



EL

Evon & Doris Rowe Lassiter sent a virtual gift in honor of William.

October 21 at 12:59 PM



Jl

Janice Isler lit a candle in honor of William.

October 21 at 10:20 AM



CC

Clara Costner lit a candle in honor of William.

October 21 at 9:43 AM



RL

Reese Lewis posted:

" June Best" as you were called by close friends will be missed. We pray for your family for God's grace and mercy. Reese & Bertha Lewis

October 21 at 4:33 AM



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BB

Beverly Best lit a candle in honor of William.

October 21 at 3:59 AM



TW

Thelma Woodard lit a candle in honor of William.

My Condolences to the family

October 20 at 4:34 PM



CW

Cynthia M. Whitfield lit a candle in honor of William.

October 20 at 3:57 PM



SH

Shelia Coley-Harvey posted:

So sorry to hear of my classmate and friend passing....Praying for the families 🙏

October 20 at 10:46 AM

LB

Larry C Bell lit a candle in honor of William.

October 20 at 10:43 AM



LB **Larry C Bell** October 20 at 10:46 AM
My prayers and condolences to the entire Best and connected families.



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ND

Norma A Dawson lit a candle in honor of William.



October 20 at 10:32 AM

ND

Norma A Dawson October 20 at 10:38 AM

Praying for the family. We will truly miss his smile and caring nature at the Dawson house.

BS

Betty Smith sent a virtual gift in honor of William.



October 19 at 8:09 PM

SS

Shirel C Shepard sent a virtual gift in honor of William.



October 19 at 4:07 PM

ES

Esther (Bootsie)Smith sent a virtual gift in honor of William.



October 19 at 3:24 PM



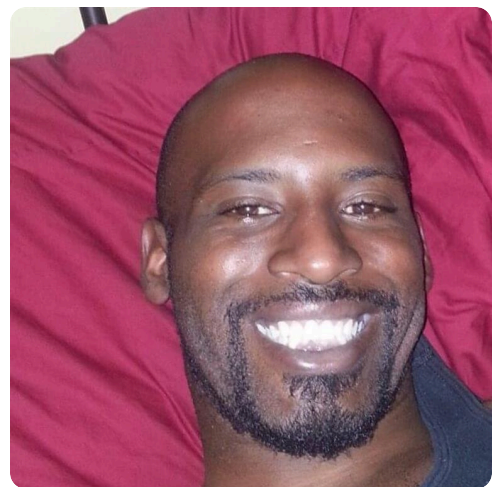
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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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