



Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr.

July 22, 1956 - January 23, 2023

Derrick L. Young Sr., known as "Jimmy" by family and friends, was born Sunday, July 22, 1956, in Harrisburg, PA, son of the late Clifton Young and the late Roberta (Shadel) Vennie.

Derrick retired from Dayton Parts Stanley Springs where he helped the company develop product, policy and procedures for future use. During his thirty-five-year tenure, Derrick became known as the MASTER of eye formation and trained many operators over the years.

Derrick was a man of faith and great integrity. His word was always his bond. His greatest accomplishments in life were his four children and the strong, loving bond he shared with his beloved wife Carmen. He was united in Christian fellowship with Community Alliance Church. Derrick was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan and a master strategist in the game of chess.

After a very private battle with cancer and dreams of a very poetic end to his life that played out in real time just as he planned, Derrick transitioned from this life into eternal life on Monday, January 23, 2023, joining his parents and three siblings, Theresa Shadel, Elista Vennie and Connie Barreto. Derrick prayed that those who loved him would continue to share stories so that his legacy would live for generations to come: "The Man, The Myth, A Legend."

Blessed to have shared life with Derrick are his devoted wife of thirty years, Carmen Young of Harrisburg, PA; his children, Christina Davis (Ricardo Jr.) of Tampa, FL, Derrick Young Jr. (Mackenzie), Quincy Young and Brandon Young, all of Harrisburg; his siblings, Melissa Vennie, Daniel Vennie, Carl Vennie of Harrisburg, Michael Shadel (Robina) of Kentucky, Vicky Clark, Vernon Grier and Clifton Young of Harrisburg. Derrick's legacy will also be honored by his grandchildren, Augustine Young, Ahmad Davis, Nashod Davis, Essense Garcia, Ricardo Davis III, Dominic Davis and Trinity Davis; as well as other family members and friends.

Memorial gifts may be made to Hospice of Central PA, 1320 Linglestown Road, Harrisburg, PA 17110.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

Previous Events

Flower Delivery

JAN 28. 9:00 AM (ET)

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Viewing

JAN 28. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 28. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JS

“ My name is John from Africa. I lived in Harrisburg and met Derick at the Gym opposite the Mall at Derry street. We connected instantly and became workout buddies and very good friends. He would invite to his house where I met Carmen and Jimmy then the twins came. He loved Carmen and spoke fondly of her. Derick was a gentleman and as the eulogy mentioned his word was his bond. I can still hear his laughs. He had been in my mind after two decades of separation so I googled his name just to get this sad news. May his soul rest in peace. Carmen please contact me at jjatta96@yahoo.com.

John Solomon - September 05, 2024 at 02:42 AM

AC

“ Sending prayers & condolences to the family, from Me & my family.
Anna Cobb & Family

Anna M Cobb - January 31, 2023 at 06:45 PM



“ Rest In Heavenly Peace old friend 🙏😊



Jo Brandon - January 28, 2023 at 10:39 AM

OB

“ Odell Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr.



Odell Brown - January 28, 2023 at 12:40 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr..



January 27, 2023 at 03:57 PM



“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr..



January 27, 2023 at 03:11 PM

LT

“ Love, Tameca & Triniti purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr..



Love, Tameca & Triniti - January 27, 2023 at 01:22 PM

JB

“ *Derick was a outstanding person to know and to be around His Love for the Dallas Cowboys was Phenomenal ...Derick you will be sadly so sadly Missed Thank You for letting be apart of Your Life God Bless and I will never ever Forget You 🙏🙏🙏*

James Barber - January 26, 2023 at 09:27 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr..*



January 26, 2023 at 07:05 PM

JM

“ *As a manager, Derrick was both a blessing and a friend. Also maintained a positive outlook even in challenging times lifting those around him up with him. Wasn't a day passed he didn't offer 110% effort to move the company forward. Go in peace brother, I'll see you at another time. Jerry Miller*

Jerry Miller - January 26, 2023 at 06:21 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Derrick L. "Jimmy" Young Sr..*



January 26, 2023 at 10:02 AM

AK

“ *Carmen, I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers and heart go out to you and your family .*
Ann Krynock

Ann Krynock - January 26, 2023 at 08:02 AM

SM

“ *PFunk family! I'm so sorry 😞 I'm praying for you. Carmen!!! I am soooooo sorry for the loss of your beloved Jimmy. 🙏❤️*

Sonya McKnight - January 25, 2023 at 11:04 PM

GE

“ *I am so sorry for Uncle Jim's passing. He was a big part of so many people's lives, including my father John Prince, who was one of his best friends! I am honored to have all the wonderful memories of time together with him & my family. I love you all. Gena*

Gena - January 25, 2023 at 06:43 PM