



Mr. Frank James Haynes

September 1, 1946 - April 10, 2016

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“For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.”

II Corinthians 5:1

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Frank James Haynes was born September 1, 1946, in Uniontown, PA, and had the nerve to leave the rest of us on April 10, 2016, in Hershey, PA, due to being too phenomenal to stick around this plane of existence. He was born to the late Evadell McDowell Stone and Frank James Stone, and raised by the late Beatrice and James Scruggs.

Frank was many things, but everyone would agree that he pursued life with a zeal for love and family.

Growing up in the Hill District section of the City of Pittsburgh, Frank dreamed of the life he wanted to craft. The vessel he chose to do that was the United States Navy. He served three tours in Vietnam and was highly decorated. His honors were things that he humbly declined to boast about. He continued to serve and protect the public upon returning to the states. He joined the ranks of the Allegheny County Police Department and worked as an undercover narcotics detective—complete with flashy clothes and fast cars. His skills

attracted the attention of the FBI, a law-enforcement agency that he collaborated with to continue to rid the streets of the negative influences of drugs. He moved on to work for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and held several positions including helping to secure the State Office Building in Pittsburgh, and investigative roles in both the Department of State, Bureau of Professional Licenses, and the Department of Education.

Upon his final retirement, there was much discussion about how long it would be before he would find another job. Frank remained retired and focused his full attention on his family and his love.

Frank had many loves--reading authors such as James Patterson and Tom Clancy; he took fashion cues from no one; shopping for bargains; investing in real estate; and especially traveling, spending time with family and fellowship at The Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church where he was a member. However, his greatest love was for his wife Joanne Haynes, and Joanne was equally in love with her husband. Their union served as a barometer for others as to how a marriage works. He showered all who came in contact with him with acts of kindness. Their home was constantly abuzz with the coming and going of family and friends. Frank was gifted with the spirit of hospitality, and at Frank's Store, you could find any kind of treat that your heart could desire. He counted among his greatest blessings the time spent with his children and witnessing them grow closer to one another. His family affectionately referred to him as "The Don." God broke the mold after he made Frank James Haynes.

In addition to his lovingly devoted wife, he will be severely missed by his siblings, George Lee "Junior," Shirley Crosby, James and Debbie Stone, John and Marlene Arnold, Luis and Beverly Rodriguez, John and Kim Stone, Darnece Lawson, James Michael Lawson, Bev Smith, George Sloan, Jose and Doris Palacios, Lenwood Sloan, Joyce Sloan, LaTasha Scruggs, Tynetta and Chuck Clanagen; his children, Dwayne and Denice Johnson, David and

Teresa Sims, Sonya Marie Toler, Frank Lash, Wesley and Erica Pullen, Melvin Gay Jr. and Rhonda, James and Lateshya Ellis, Lamont and Sarah Wynne, Jason and Julianna Wynne; mother-in-law, Isabelle Sloan; and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives by both blood and love and friends.

Lovingly and Respectfully Submitted, The Family

A viewing will be held Sunday, April 17th, 3-5 p.m., at Wallace Funeral Directors. Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Monday, April 18th, at his church, 212 N. Progress Avenue, Harrisburg, with viewing 10-11 a.m. Interment will be at Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens with full military honors. Flowers may be delivered to The Greater Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 212 N. Progress Avenue, Harrisburg, April 18, 2016, 9-9:30 a.m.

Tribute Wall

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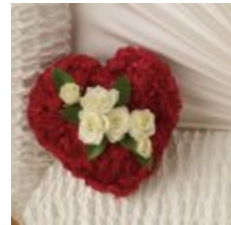
“ *Earl Buford and Mark Buford Pittsburgh Police Department purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.*



Earl Buford and Mark Buford Pittsburgh Police Department -
April 15, 2016 at 04:27 PM



“ *A Devoted Heart Casket Insert was purchased for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.*



April 15, 2016 at 02:43 PM

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“ *UPMC Health Plan Complaints & Grievances/Provider Appeals purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.*



UPMC Health Plan Complaints & Grievances/Provider Appeals - April 15, 2016 at 01:59 PM

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“ *Jacqueline Pullen Hayes & Cox Family - Atlanta, GA purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.*



Jacqueline Pullen Hayes & Cox Family - Atlanta, GA - April 14, 2016 at 11:44 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.*



April 14, 2016 at 10:45 AM

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“ *Harry and I were blessed to have meet Frank through Joanne. But we were honored when they welcomed us into their family and become known to us as Dad and Mom. Frank was always there for us and always made our day when we saw him with his smile!*

Dad - Thanks for taking us in and making an impact in our lives. We are grateful for the time we had with you. We will be there for mom!

Love and miss you! Harry n Pam Miller

Pam Miller - April 14, 2016 at 08:32 AM

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“Karen Taylor and Family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Mr. Frank James Haynes.



Karen Taylor and Family - April 13, 2016 at 05:58 PM