



## James A. Pinckney

October 25, 1945 - November 14, 2022

James A. Pinckney, son of the late Andrew Morgan Pinckney and the late Louise (Thomas) Pinckney, was born Thursday, October 25, 1945, in Georgetown, South Carolina.

James was a product of the Georgetown public school system graduating from Howard High School. Thereafter, he graduated from North Carolina A&T University. He served honorably in the United States Army and retired from Highmark Blue Shield.

As a member of Bethel A.M.E. Church, Harrisburg, PA, James loved fellowshiping with his church family never missing a Family and Friends Day, and as an event cook, his culinary skills were enjoyed by many. He served with the church's Men Allen Ministry and was a Golden Rose Honoree for his fifty-year membership. He was also a former member of the Steward Board. James spent much of his leisure time gardening, cooking, collecting coins and antiques.

While at his home in Harrisburg, PA, on Monday, November 14, 2022, at seventy-seven years of age, James transitioned from time to eternity joining his parents, four sisters, Dorthula P. Drayton, Valdena P. Blye, Frances Allen, Barbara Bethea, and one brother, Thomas W. Pinckney.

Loving memories will be cherished by his son, Eric Woods (Lauren) of Harrisburg, PA; two daughters, Vonetta Gibson (Lucas) of Downingtown, PA, and Latoia Pinckney (Joseph) of Harrisburg; his grandchildren, Tatyana Woods, Tristan Pinckney, both of Harrisburg, Lena Gibson of Downingtown, and Bryce Heim of Harrisburg; one brother, Andrew M. Pinckney Jr. (Brenda) of Philadelphia, PA; four sisters, Mary Louise Rainey of Pawleys Island, SC, Sylvia Pinckney of New York, NY, Azalee Barber (Eli) of Columbus, GA, and Delma Pinckney of Harrisburg; one godchild, Jarrett Handy; other family members and friends.

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.

# Cemetery Details

## Indiantown Gap National

Indiantown Gap Road  
Anville, PA 17003

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

NOV 28. 8:30 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.  
106 Agnes St  
Harrisburg, PA 17104  
(717) 939-9950  
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## Viewing

NOV 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Wallace Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of James A. Pinckney



Wallace Funeral Directors - November 28, 2022 at 09:28 AM

MW

“ Sincere condolences to the family and friends. Prayers to all of you during this most difficult time.

Michelle Walker - November 28, 2022 at 01:24 AM

RB

“ To my cousins Toia Vonnie & Eric may your hearts 💕 soon be filled with wonderful memories of joyful times together as you celebrate a life well lived..Happy moments Praise God Difficult moments seek God..quite moments worship God..painful moments trust God..every moment thank God..Cousin Jim will dearly be missed..sending Heartfelt Condolences 🙏 to the entire Families ...Respectfully Summited... Renée Burston



Renée Burston - November 27, 2022 at 09:49 PM

NB

“ Jim was my mom boss at Blue Shield..I also worked there later.. we would talk all the time..after my mom passed.. he was a great and nice man..loved talking to him..rest in peace my friend....

Nancy Baim - November 24, 2022 at 02:22 PM

YJ

“ My deepest condolences to the family of Jim. I worked with him at Highmark. He was a beautiful person, friendly, funny and very polite. May he rest in Heaven.

Yvonne (Vonnie) Jackson - November 22, 2022 at 11:01 AM

CF

“ Charles Buttone and Family purchased the County Basket Blooms for the family of James A. Pinckney.



Charles Buttone and Family - November 21, 2022 at 07:43 PM

RW

“ To Latoia, Vonnie, Eric, & the rest of the Pinckney, my heart goes out to you during this difficult time, Mr. Jim will be dearly missed Rest in Paradise, keeping you all in prayer 🙏



Rebecca Watlington - November 21, 2022 at 02:12 PM