

Pallbearers

Family Members and Friends

Flower Attendants

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Interment

Jacksonville National Cemetery

"To Those I Love & Those That Love Me"

When I am gone, release me, let me go; I have so many things to see and do; you must not tie yourself to me with tears; be happy that we had so many years; I gave you my love, you can only guess how much you gave me in happiness; I thank you for the love you have shown but now it's time I traveled on alone.

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must then let your grief be comforted by trust. It's only for a while that we must part, so bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on so if you need me, call and I will come though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near. And if you listen with your heart, you will hear, all my love around you, loud and clear. And then, when you must come this way alone, I'll greet you at Heaven's gate with a smile and a "Welcome Home."

Acknowledgement

On behalf of the family, we wish to express our gratitude to everyone for all expressions of concern, care and love.

~The Family of the late Timothy Elbert Waters, Jr.~

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Honoring the Life of Timothy Elbert Waters, Jr.



Sunrise

June 7, 1951

Sunset

January 9, 2021

Service

12:30 PM, Thursday, January 21, 2021

Jacksonville National Cemetery

4083 Lannie Road
Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Pastor Shawn Williams, Officiating

Obituary

"To everything there is a season, A time for every purpose under Heaven; A time to be born, and a time to die...A time to weep, and a time to laugh; A time to mourn, and a time to dance..."
Ecclesiastes 3:1-4.

Timothy Elbert Waters, Jr. was born in Jacksonville, Florida on June 7, 1951, the eldest son to Timothy Elbert Waters, Sr. and Margrette Waters.

His public education began with Duval County Public Schools, attending New Stanton High School, where he played the trombone in the New Stanton Blue Devils Marching Band. He graduated from high school in 1969 and met and married Delores Sanford Waters that same year. Soon after graduation, Timothy enlisted into the United States Air Force, where he served as an Airman for over 6 years. He was extremely proud of his military service and he often spoke of the people and places he encountered during his military career. Upon leaving the military, he earned his Associates of Arts Degree from Florida Community College of Jacksonville and began his career as a Firefighter and Emergency Medical Technician with the City of Jacksonville.

He was an avid reader and he enjoyed listening to music from one of his favorite bands, Earth, Wind and Fire. He also had a passion for vintage westerns and martial arts movies. Although he was a reserved and serious man, he was also a great storyteller. He enjoyed entertaining his children and grandchildren with colorful stories he created just to make them laugh. He rededicated his life to Christ on November 4, 2012 and was baptized at the Northside Church of Christ, Jacksonville, Florida. He was a praying man and he often spoke about the mercies of Jesus Christ on his life.

On January 9, 2021, God in His infinite Wisdom, Mercy and Grace called from among us a beloved father, son, brother, grandfather, uncle and friend. He leaves a legacy of love and great memories. Timothy was preceded in death by his loving parents, Timothy and Margrette Waters.

He will forever be cherished by his children, Timothy E. Waters, III (Katina), Adrian Waters, LaVett Waters, Tia Martin, Ovan Taylor, Poka Rose, Tamia Haywood, Isiah Waters, Alexander Haywood, Nicole Haywood, Miracle Simmons (Elijah), Devin Prince and Miguel Prince; his siblings, Frances Waters, Carolyn Johnson, Gwendolyn Whigham, Michael Waters, Cynthia Brown, Keith Waters and Jacquelyn Waters and a host of beloved grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Pastor Shawn Williams

Prayer of Comfort Pastor Shawn Williams

Remarks (*Two Minutes Please*)

Words of Comfort Pastor Shawn Williams

United States Air Force Honor Guard

Committal & Prayer

Recessional

