



Harold E. Brown III

March 27, 1955 - June 11, 2022

Harold Edward Brown III was born March 27, 1955, in Wiesbaden, Germany at the United States Air Force Hospital. Rudy was raised in Plainfield, New Jersey, to the late Harold Edward Brown, Jr., and Milcah Louise Brown (nee Bowie). Harold was affectionately known as Rudy throughout his life.

He was educated in the Plainfield Public School Systems. After finishing school, he joined the United States Marine Corps., serving four years and then serving two additional years as a reservist with the Navy. Rudy lived by once a Marine Always a Marine. Following the military Rudy worked several jobs. From security guard to a Household Mover to Union Hazmat Laborer, Limousine Professional Driver and last before becoming disabled a Dispatcher and Regional Vehicle Distributor for Enterprise-Rent-A Car.

In 1987, he met Toni, when she was visiting family in New York. A year later, they would wed and live happily in Plainfield, New Jersey for three years before relocating to Pennsylvania.

Rudy was extremely outgoing, thoughtful, and friendly. He would easily talk to a stranger for hours. Rudy especially had a calling to speak to young men, instilling in them community values and adult responsibility. He knew everything about sports and world news and could easily talk to anyone from all walks of life. He was a huge Chicago Bulls and Bears fan. Rudy had many passions. His most important one was working out, even after he became disabled. It was his favorite thing to do. He worked so hard at his daily routine that one of his first Physical Therapist, Brian Hall became his “brother from

another mother” , maintaining a strong relationship well beyond his need for therapy. Another one of his passions was his lawn and vehicle maintenance, thru this passion, he became exceptionally good friends with Perry Dickerson. His last passion was his Jordan gear!! He made sure that he had the latest Jordan's on the market even if someone had to hang on a computer at midnight to snag them.

Rudy also had a lifetime love of animals, even cajoling his wife to rescue six Rottweiler's (not all at one time) over the past seventeen years.

Rudy first accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior while attending Community Baptist Church, the late Pastor William J. Alston as a young child. To this date, his Christian beliefs never wavered. After relocating to Pennsylvania in 1991, he attended and joined the Wesley A.M.E Church of Swarthmore.

Rudy who was a loving husband, leaves to cherish wonderful memories, his wife Toni Brown (nee Williams), his sister, Celeste Marie Brown of Plainfield, NJ and his Mother-in-Law, Lois Williams, Swarthmore, PA also a dear Aunt Ellen P. Smith, Plainfield, NJ. Cousin Subrina Camp, North Brunswick, NJ, cherished caregiver Tamika Pannell and various other family members and friends.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 22. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Wesley AME Church
232 Bowdoin Avenue
Swarthmore, PA 19081

Service

JUN 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Burial

JUN 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

Hillside Cemetery
1401 Woodland Avenue
Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Tribute Wall



“ *Harold E. Brown III*

October 07, 2023 at 11:34 AM



“ *Harold E. Brown III*

October 04, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“ *It's been a month today, we miss you.*

Toni - July 11, 2022 at 02:52 PM



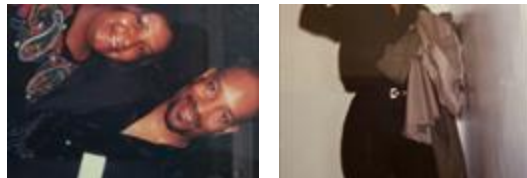
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Toni - July 11, 2022 at 02:51 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Toni - July 03, 2022 at 08:59 PM

JO

“ Rudy, there are no words. It has been my honor to have known you for over 10 years and call you my dear friend. I will always remember your funny stories and our long talks about everything from sports and politics to your Jordans and our mutual love for classic TV and cheesy sci fi movies. I know I've said it before but thank you for your service to America. You embodied what a US Marine is in every way and represented the best of us. While I can no longer call to say hi, I want you to know that you have made a difference - in the world and to me. You will be remembered. I will continue to pray for you and Toni.

Joe

Joe - June 21, 2022 at 08:35 PM

CF

“ Corey, Autumn, and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



Corey, Autumn, and family - June 21, 2022 at 11:20 AM

TR

“ Tracy Rafine purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



Tracy Rafine - June 20, 2022 at 05:51 PM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 20, 2022 at 12:04 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 20, 2022 at 11:51 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 20, 2022 at 07:07 AM



“ Adoration Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 19, 2022 at 06:39 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 19, 2022 at 06:38 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 17, 2022 at 06:16 PM



“ *Majestic Heart* was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 17, 2022 at 12:22 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.



June 17, 2022 at 12:10 PM

BH

“ *Brian Lang and the Matrix Crew @ HBLR purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Harold E. Brown III.*



Brian Lang and the Matrix Crew @ HBLR - June 17, 2022 at 09:51 AM

MN

“ *Matrix NAC purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Harold E. Brown III.*



Matrix NAC - June 17, 2022 at 06:36 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Harold E. Brown III.*



June 16, 2022 at 08:52 PM