



Jesse L. Whittaker

May 29, 1946 - October 26, 2024

With a heart filled with loving kindness, we celebrate the life of Jesse Lamont Whittaker, Sr., who peacefully journeyed to his eternal home on October 26, 2024, at SECU Hospice Hospital in Smithfield, NC, at the age of 78. Born in Chester, PA to the late Jessie Logan and Catherine Whittaker, Jesse was a graduate of Chester High School, class of 1964.

Jesse dedicated years of his life as a laborer at the Petroleum Quartz Corporation in Chester, PA, before relocating to Goldsboro in the fall of 1993. There, he found a community of faith and love at The Lord House Church, where he selflessly volunteered three days a week to provide food to those in need. Through his service, Jesse created a family of friends who cared for him deeply.

A proud veteran, Jesse served as an assistant Medic in the United States Army, earning The AF Good Conduct Medal for his dedication. He is now reunited in spirit with his son, John Quentin Sterling, brother Percell Whittaker, and Aunt Lillie Mae Carter.

Jesse's loving memory will be carried on by his children, Jesse L. Whittaker, Jr., Damien J Cooper (Carla), his sibling Betty L. Daniels (Kelly McLeod), cousin Clementine Whittaker Kelson, sister-in-law Gloria Whittaker, 8 cherished grandchildren, including Dayonna Whittaker (and gg Sevyn

Montalvo), Johnathan Foster (and gg London Foster), Chloe, Akira, Aurora, Magic Cooper, Giovanna Harrison, step-grandchild, nieces, nephews and cousins.

May his spirit of compassion and kindness continue to inspire us all. Jesse will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 7. 10:30 AM (ET)

Temple Baptist Church
736 W. 7th Street
Chester, PA 19013

Burial

DEC 17. 10:30 AM (ET)

Washington Crossing National Cemetery
830 Highland Road
Newtown, PA 18940