



Samuel Henry McNeil Jr.

June 12, 1961 - December 28, 2023

SAMUEL HENRY MCNEIL, JR. affectionally known as “Sam” or “Sammy” of Stamford, CT passed away on December 28, 2023 at St. Mary’s Hospital, Waterbury, Ct. Born on June 12, 1961 to the late Samuel Henry McNeil, Sr. and Carol Carter McNeil. Sam graduated from Rippowam High School and began his career working alongside his father, in the family business, McNeil’s Asphalt Paving, LLC for many years. Sam also worked for United Parcel Service (UPS) for over 25 years, and at F & G Construction in Norwalk, CT. In his spare time, Sam would enjoy the company of his family and friends, football games being a die-hard Dallas Cowboys fan, Sunday barbecues and cruising with his family.

Sam is survived by his mother, Carol C. McNeil of Stone Mountain, GA. Five sisters, Cynthia Cook of Stone Mountain, GA, Olivia Roundtree of Waterbury, CT, Laurinda Williams of Stone Mountain, GA, Desiree Reich of San Jose, CA. and Rovonica Daniels McNeil of Stamford, CT. and two brothers, Rodney Rollins of Arizona and Marcus McNeil of New Rochelle, NY. He is also survived by daughter, Sherri McNeil of Stratford, CT, son Kian Minors of Bermuda, grandson, Cam’ron Shelley, and granddaughter, Cali Shelley of Stratford, CT. He was predeceased by Samuel McNeil, Sr., Samuel Thomas McNeil, and Nora McNeil.

A viewing and funeral service will take place on Friday, January 5, 2024 at Bethel AME Church, 150 Fairfield Avenue, Stamford, CT with viewing from 10 to 11a.m. and service to follow at 11 a.m. with The Reverend Dr. Robert A.

Jackson, Jr. officiating.

Interment will take place at Woodland Cemetery, Stamford. Professional Services are entrusted to Graves Medley Funeral Services Inc., 31 Stillwater Avenue, Stamford, CT.

Cemetery Details

Woodland Cemetery

66 Woodland Place
Stamford, CT

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethel AME Church
150 Fairfield Ave
Stamford, CT 06902

Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethel AME Church
150 Fairfield Ave
Stamford, CT 06902

Tribute Wall

CI

“ To the Mc Neil Family, my deepest condolences to the family. I was saddened to learn of Sammy's passing. Like his Dad before him I remember Sammy's love of life and his hard work ethic! Loved talking about sports with Sammy and the topic of the day. He truly will be missed. I can just hear Sam Sr calling his name now like he did when we were growing up. " This is my son Junior. " Rip Sammy. Til we meet again.

Charles E Treadway III and Family

Charles E Treadway III - January 11, 2024 at 01:08 PM

JP

“ Jennifer Perkins lit a candle in memory of Samuel Henry McNeil Jr.



Jennifer Perkins - January 08, 2024 at 12:42 PM

JP

Our deepest condolences to the McNeil family for your loss.

Jennifer & Andre Perkins Jr.

Jennifer Perkins - January 08, 2024 at 12:45 PM

JH

“ My deepest Sympathy, Prayers and Blessing go out to the Family

James Haygood - January 05, 2024 at 09:40 AM

GH

“ Sending my condolences.
Gale Houser (DuBois)
Chesterfield, VA



Gale D. Houser - January 04, 2024 at 10:07 PM

JE

“ To The Family: Sam has become absent from you all, physically, but he will always be you spiritually and emotionally. The memories that he has left with you will be passed on too many generations to follow. Weep if you must but remember the awesome times you all shared with one another. We are praying with you and for you. Keep loving one another. Hebrews 11:1



Jerrol - January 04, 2024 at 11:03 AM

LF

“ Love to all our family, The Jones Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Samuel Henry McNeil Jr..



Love to all our family, The Jones Family - January 04, 2024 at 10:41 AM

AS

“ *My condolences to the McNeil family. Sherri my prayers are with you.*



April Shelley - January 04, 2024 at 09:42 AM

DS

“ *Sam likes to look good no matter what he always like , I was one of Sam's barbers and days when am not in the shop he'd call me and tell me to get my tail to shop , Sam you went home on my grandfather birthday he went home the month before on November 13 , until we meet again King*

Damaine Smith - January 03, 2024 at 07:40 PM

LF

“ *May God continue to bless you during your time of sorrow. He will truly be missed.*

Grace, Mercy and Peace.



Linda Wills Ford - January 03, 2024 at 06:08 PM

WE

“ *The laughter, playing pool at CCI, hanging out with Beetle and Godfrey, and more laughter. He would say, "Wendy, you ain't neva lied.." and the laughter from the belly was real! The trials and tribulations that few will experience but become authorities of the situation - then the light at the end of the tunnel where more will be revealed. The parties in Armstrong Court, the student center at Greenwich High, and the collaboration of thoughts on any topic rendered the mutual LAUGHTER. Father God, I come before You this evening asking for comfort for the McNeil family during this time. When the road is dark - have no fear, when the mountain is too high - He will lift you up, when you're lost - He lights the way when the sorrow is too great - He will comfort you.* ”



Wendy - January 03, 2024 at 04:23 PM

AN

“ *My condolences to the McNeil family RIP Sammy 🙏* ”

Annette - January 03, 2024 at 08:45 AM

PB

“ *My Heartfelt deepest condolences 🙏 to the McNeil Family. I will never forget the smile he always had on his face. Rest in Paradise!!* ”

Prissy Brayboy - January 03, 2024 at 02:18 AM

KA

“ *To The Family Of Sammy McNeil so sorry for your loss and may he Rip from Karen Thompson Wood* ”



Karen - January 02, 2024 at 08:33 PM

RC

“ Sincere condolences to the family of Sam McNeil. Blessings to you all.



Robin Coleman-Cannon - January 02, 2024 at 07:30 PM

PM

“ My sincere condolences to the McNeil family. Prayers are with you during this difficult time.

Pam Maynard - January 02, 2024 at 06:22 PM

YJ

“ My deepest and sincere condolences to Sam's family. I will miss him. May his family find peace and comfort with Gods guidance.

Yvonne Jackson - January 02, 2024 at 03:10 PM

BH

“ 1 file added to the album Me & Sammy



Bob Harris - January 02, 2024 at 02:38 PM

BH

I'll send you Friday my friend...

Bob Harris - January 02, 2024 at 02:39 PM

GP

“ To the McNeil family , I am sending my condolences.

Gloria Pettiford - January 02, 2024 at 11:46 AM

DM

My sincerest condolences to the McNeil family on the loss of Sam.

Deborah Monds - January 02, 2024 at 04:58 PM

TH

My condolences to the family sorry for ur loss

Tony Hutchinson - January 02, 2024 at 05:41 PM

NH

Sending condolences to the McNeil family. Sam was such a great friend to my son Jay Meadows when he got sick. Sam would call me from time to time to check to see how he was doing. He will be missed. This is such a heartbreaker. Rest In Peace young man. Nancy Irick Hurdle

Nancy Hurdle - January 03, 2024 at 07:21 PM

HJ

One never knows when the time will come that you have to accept that the love you have for someone will break your heart so devastatingly. Sammy was a joy to be around and always made me smile when I was in his presence. He lifted me so high with happiness and joy.

Our condolences to our entire family on our loss and know that he is smiling down on all of you having felt the love that always surrounded him. He is always with us for the impression he had on us and the love he had for us will always be in our hearts.

The foundation of the family continues in what was laid years ago. Your love and support continues strong in each of you. God bless you all.

*Love,
Aunt Gail and Family, Darius, Kim and Aaron*

Helen Jones - January 04, 2024 at 10:56 AM

MA

This hurts so deeply....it's devastating.....unbelievable...

I believe we will see each other again one day.....And enjoy each others company, laughing and acting silly as we always did.....You were a great man, a kind man...

Blessings to you Mrs. McNeil.....there are no words that I can give for the loss of your child....May the comfort of God find you.....

Martha - January 04, 2024 at 11:49 AM

RM

*My deepest sympathies to the McNeil family on the loss of Sammy. Rest in peace my dear friend. Thanks for the laughs and love. Say hi to Connie and Oliver. Have fun you all.
Rosa.*

Rosa Magues - January 05, 2024 at 05:05 PM