



Willie Jean Rivers

June 7, 1958 - September 3, 2024

Willie Jean Rivers, age 66, passed away peacefully on September 3, 2024 at Bridgeport Hospital. He was born in Orangeburg, South Carolina to the late Matthew Rivers and Rosa Lee Parker Rivers. He served honorably in the United States Army, received an exceptional meritorious service achievement medal for his outstanding performance. Willie retired from Pitney Bowes after numerous years of employment. His memory will be cherished by two sons; Willie J. Rivers, Jr. and Tyrone Rivers, his brother; Freddie Rivers and wife Rose, four sisters; Albertha Rivers, Mary Housey and husband Thomas, Patricia Ellington and husband Melvin and Rosa Phelps and husband Nathaniel, his grandson; Je'Mauri Rivers and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. In addition to his parents, Matthew and Rosa Lee Parker Rivers, he is predeceased by three brothers; Linell Parker, Ghery Rivers and Matthew Rivers, Jr. and his sister; Carrie Elliott. Visitation will be held Friday, September 13, 2024 from 10:00 am – 11:00 am, followed by a service of celebration at 11:00 am, 31 Stillwater Ave., Stamford, CT., Rev. Dr. Richard Wesley Clarke officiating. Interment will take place on Tuesday, September 17, 2024 at 1:00 pm at the State Veterans Cemetery, 317 Bow Lane, Middletown, CT.

Cemetery Details

State Veterans Cemetery

Middletown, CT

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Graves Medley Funeral Services
31 Stillwater Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902
(203) 323-2666

Service

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Tribute Wall

BF

“ *My condolences to the Rivers family.*

*Barbara Freeman and family
Stratford, CT*



Barbara Freeman - September 14, 2024 at 09:31 AM

BW

“ *Brian and Cathy Williams send their sincere condolences to the family at this difficult time.*

Brian & Cathy Williams - September 13, 2024 at 11:10 AM

RF

“ *To The Rivers Family,*

Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you!

R.I.P. Willie



Ronnie & Brenda (Wilson) Fields & Family - September 12, 2024 at 02:19 PM

WD

“ *Our condolences to the family may God continue to bless you in your time of sorrow.*

William & Elaine Dupree - September 11, 2024 at 05:23 PM