



Johnnie Lee Paul

May 7, 1956 - May 25, 2024

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Johnnie Lee Paul, 68, passed away at his home on Saturday, May 25, 2024. A memorial service will be held on Friday, June 7, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Faith Temple Baptist Church (1325 Governor Nicholls St New Orleans, LA 70116). Interment will be at Mount Olivet Cemetery (4000 Norman Mayer Ave New Orleans, LA 70122).

Born in New Orleans, LA, Johnnie came into this world on May 7, 1956. He was raised in Head of Island, LA and later moved to South Carolina where he received his associate's degree as a maintenance technician. Johnnie met his wife, Tori, and found their way to Olive Branch, MS.

He loved to dance and had an unwavering love for music, which brought joy to his heart and those around him. Johnnie was an avid sports enthusiast and enjoyed playing basketball. He had a special place in his heart for the New Orleans Saints, never missing a chance to cheer on his favorite team. One of Johnnie's greatest joys was working on cars, particularly his cherished '90 Cadillac, which he meticulously maintained and proudly drove. Johnnie was loved by many and will be missed by all who knew him.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Tori C. Paul of Olive Branch, MS; sons,

Darnell and Carnell Paul of Sorrento, LA; step-son, Tyler Swain of Moncks Corner, SC; and sister, Crystal Brown (Eric) of Baton Rouge, LA.

Johnnie was preceded in death by his mother, Rosa Lee Paul, and father, Wilmer Kelson.

In lieu of traditional flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the West Cancer Center (www.westcancercenter.org).

Online condolences may be made on his Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Mount Olivet Cemetery

4000 Norman Mayer Ave
New Orleans, LA 70122

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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1325 Governor Nicholls St
New Orleans, LA 70116