



Kevin Raynard Williams Sr.

November 4, 1965 - April 8, 2019

Kevin Raynard Williams, Sr., 53, of Spotsylvania County, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, April 8, 2019.

Kevin was a retired Lt. Commander in the U.S. Navy after 23 years of service to our country and involvement in three combat tours. He also was the first African American teen to achieve Eagle scout in 1983 the Fredericksburg area.

Kevin was a well-liked family man and had a great sense of humor. He had many hobbies and interests that kept him busy when he wasn't working as a human resources manager with the I.R.S.

His interests included starting the Union 23rd black regiment for civil war reenactments years ago in the Fredericksburg area that is still together today. He also loved to spend time with his family and to play golf at any chance he could get. He would always read the Free Lance Star Newspaper every day including the weekends. Kevin was a fan of the Redskins and Notre Dame and was a state champion when he played football at Courtland High School from 1980 to 1984. He enjoyed art later in life and it was a huge help with PTSD he suffered from due to his combat deployments. Wood-work was another hobby he enjoyed in his spare time, which he used to make gifts for his family during the Christmas holiday. He also enjoyed planning vacation trips and attending live theater plays with his wife at the Riverside Theater.

Kevin is survived by his wife of 33 years, Bridgette Williams; three sons, Kevin R. Williams, Jr. (Anna Marie) of Norfolk, Marcellus Williams of Fredericksburg, and Elijah Williams of Burke. He also leaves behind his brother, Mark Williams (Deborah) of Woodbridge, three sisters, Nadine Daniels (John) of Fredericksburg, Maureen Cash of Washington DC and Sheryl Williams of Woodbridge; three grandchildren, Destiny Williams, Sanaa Williams, and Royal Williams; a special recognition to close family friend and mother of the grandchildren, Whitney Williams; and of course his constant loving companion, their dog, Shiloh.

Kevin was preceded in death by a brother, Hezekiah Williams, Jr.; and his parents, Hezekiah Williams, Sr. and Fannie Williams.

Viewings will be held from 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel, 10719 Courthouse Road, Fredericksburg, VA 22407.

His funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 17, 2019 in the funeral home chapel; with a viewing one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Quantico National Cemetery.

Online condolences may be expressed to Kevin's family at foundandsons.com

Cemetery

Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Road
Triangle, VA, 22172

Events

APR **Visitation** 12:00PM - 02:00PM

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Found and Sons Funeral Chapel of Fredericksburg
10719 Courthouse Road, Fredericksburg, VA, US,
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APR **Visitation** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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APR **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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APR **Funeral Service** 11:00AM

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APR **Burial** 02:00PM

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Comments



“ Kevin was a true friend. I remember sitting and talking to him for hours. Kevin always had a nice word about everything me and I could see the pride in him when he talked about the football team. This is not goodbye my friend , it's see you later! You are and will be missed!

Jeff Snyder - 16 hours ago



“ Prayers for Bridgette and sons Rest in eternal peace



Detrice Burriss - April 17 at 08:17 PM



“ My dear U.S. Navy and MSC brother may you rest in peace. My condolences and deepest sympathy to the Williams family. Sincerely, Anthony (Tony) Williams, LT, MSC, USN (Ret).

Anthony (Tony) Williams - April 17 at 08:19 AM



“ May the Lord keep the Williams' family in his merciful and loving hands during this time. Kevin was a good friend and his life contributions will not be forgotten. Rest in peace and may the Lord keep you in his grace.

Pepe' James



Pepe' James - April 17 at 07:31 AM



“ Dear Bridgette and family, our hearts are broken for you and your family. We will keep you all in prayer. Hugs and love.

Ken and Diane Morrison



DIANE B MORRISON - April 16 at 04:04 PM



“ Betty J. (Washington) Banks lit a candle in memory of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr.



Betty J. (Washington) Banks - April 16 at 02:15 PM



“ Kevin - Thank you for your service and thank you for your friendship.

Rest in eternal peace Great American!!!

Betty J. (Washington) Banks - April 16 at 02:18 PM



“ Matt Britton purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



Matt Britton - April 16 at 01:47 PM



“ My sincere condolences to Bridgette and to all the family, may you take comfort in your memories of Kevin always with you.

Dawn Vaillancourt - CHS '84



Dawn Vaillancourt - April 15 at 03:23 PM



“ Bridgette, “May my condolences bring you comfort and may my prayers ease the pain of this loss.”

Sylenna Byrd, Fredericksburg CBOC MWH - April 15 at 01:30 PM



“ Scout Troop 835 purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



Walt Shura - April 15 at 12:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



April 15 at 12:45 PM



“ The Minor Family would like to express our condolences for your loss... Kevin was a great Seaman and family friend, he will be missed.

“I can imagine no more rewarding a career. And any man who may be asked in this century what he did to make his life worthwhile, I think can respond with a good deal of pride and satisfaction: 'I served in the United States Navy.'”

— John F. Kennedy

Kevin, thank you for your service!!!

Michael C. Minor - April 15 at 11:57 AM



“ Mark & Deborah Williams and Family purchased the Rays of Light Spray for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



Mark & Deborah Williams and Family - April 15 at 10:52 AM



“ Wishing each of you comfort now, peace soon & warm memories forever...

Barbara (Little) Branham, CHS'84 - April 15 at 08:55 AM



“ Was my C.W. reenactment inspiration in becoming a Hospital Steward. A very kind, knowledgeable, and professionally serious friend and fellow shipmate. He will be missed. So glad to have met and worked with you. Rest up my friend. HAND SALUTE!

Andy Finley - April 14 at 11:16 PM



“ My sincere condolences to the family. Praying for you. May you take comfort in your memories of him always.

Andy - April 14 at 11:18 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to Bridgette, and Kevin’s family and friends. Many thanks to Kevin for his service!
Theresa Wanex (once neighbor and classmate CHS '84.

Theresa Wanex - April 14 at 10:24 PM



“ It is with a heavy heart I am learning of the untimely death of my shipmate. Kevin and I served together onboard the USS Theodore Roosevelt (CVN-71). He was a wonderful man, and I have no doubt that the example that he set is the reason that his legacy will live on. My condolences for the family. Weeping shall endure for the night, but joy comes in the morning. Fair winds and following seas, shipmate. We now have the watch.

Douglas Taylor - April 14 at 05:48 PM



“ From: Jay and Mary Schlosser purchased the With Distinction for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



From: Jay and Mary Schlosser - April 14 at 03:34 PM



“ From: Schlosser, Fleming and Associates purchased the Reflections of Glory Wreath for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



From: Schlosser, Fleming and Associates - April 14 at 03:25 PM



“ I will never forget the time we spent together in the Boy Scouts and the fun times hanging out at each others home growing up together. You were the reason I decided to join the Scouts, you were always the constant Leader willing to give support and advice. Rest in Peace Cuz!

Otis Washington - April 13 at 03:10 PM



“ Prayers for the family. Kevin served at our church and will be missed. The Restoration Church family is grieving with you. We spent days in the gym training plus reminiscing about the CHS days and how we were still in the battle. A friend gone but never forgotten. See you on the other side brother.

Pastor Chris Manuel - April 12 at 10:58 PM



“ With Distinction was purchased for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



April 12 at 07:07 PM



“ Troy Sullivan lit a candle in memory of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr.



Troy Sullivan - April 12 at 06:43 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



April 12 at 05:30 PM



“ IRS, LB&I, Human Capital Management team purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Kevin Raynard Williams Sr..



IRS, LB&I, Human Capital Management team - April 12 at 05:12 PM