



Johnny Rickey Stokes

August 4, 2021

Johnny Rickey Stokes, age 51, affectionately known as L'il Rickey or Rickey, entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, August 4, 2021, at 3:57 PM, at his home in Meraux, LA, comforted by his loving wife.

Johnny was born in New Orleans, LA on June 16, 1970 to Luke Harrison and the late Janice Marie Stokes. He received his G.E.D. and worked at the port of New Orleans until his health issues prevented him from continuing.

Johnny accepted Christ as his personal savior at an early age while attending Union Bethel AME Church. Years later, he redirected his life back to Christ and was baptized at Greater Antioch Full Gospel Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor Lester Love.

Johnny was joined in matrimony on June 9, 2015, after many years of dating the love of his life, Dwanna Marie Riley.

Johnny is preceded in death by both grandparents, Idel Wallace, Sr. and Bessie Stokes; 3 uncles, Henry, Oliver and Johnny Stokes; both mothers-in-law, Mrs. Barbara Marie Rily and Linda Bolden; 4 cousins, James Lacey, Javon Wiggins, Sula Wiggins, Oliver Stokes, Jr., and Frank Wells.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife, Dwanna Riley Stokes; 2 beautiful daughters, Jon'Janice Ric'kelle Stokes and Kei'andra Ric'quelle Stokes; 2 godsons, Dewayne Fegan and Eric Toca; siblings, Marion (Leroy)

Langlois, George Edward, Luke Harrison, Jr., and Brad Harrison; ex-wife, Kendra Bolden; and godmother, Mary Morgan.

He is also survived by a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a Funeral Service at D.W. Rhodes Funeral Chapel, 3933 Washington Avenue on Saturday, August 14, 2021 at 10:00 am. Visitation will begin at 9:00 am. Interment: Providence Park Cemetery. Arrangements by D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home, New Orleans, LA. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the guestbook and share condolences with the family.

Cemetery Details

Providence Park Cemetery

8200 Airline Dr.
Metairie, LA 70003

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 14. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home - Washington Avenue
3933 Washington Avenue
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Imma going to miss you. You've been my brother since age 9 and you always will be. Love you Bro ❤️ Watch over my nieces. Love Dough*

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