

Celebrating the Life of

JESSE MILLER WHITE



Sunrise:

December 18, 1961

Sunset:

August 12, 2023

Tuesday, August 22, 2023

Family Hour: 10:00 a.m. | Service: 11:00 a.m.

From the Heart Church Ministries®

5055 Allentown Road | Suitland, Maryland 20746 | Bishop John A. Cherry, II – Pastor

OBITUARY

Retired United States Army Master Sergeant Jesse Miller White was born on December 18, 1961, in Cleveland, Ohio, to the late Jesse and Joyce Woods. Jesse was educated in the Cleveland, Ohio, public school system, where at the tender age of seventeen, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and became a highly decorated soldier. Jesse believed in service to the country, and after serving over twenty years in the military, he then worked as a civilian in the federal government, serving at the State Department, Department of Justice, and currently with the Department of Homeland Security before unexpectedly departing this life. His passing has left a void in the hearts of everyone who had the honor of knowing him.

Jesse, affectionately called “Boone” was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend. He was a leader and advisor to his family and friends. You would often, during conversations, hear the phrases, “That’s what’s up!”, “Word!”, “Hey now!” and many other phrases that would always make us laugh. Jesse loved to make you laugh even when you were not in the mood to smile. His laugh alone was contagious, and even when nothing was funny, there was laughter. He was an avid reader, collector of African Art, watch collector, chess player, and to anyone that would listen, money manager and stock trader. He would advise which stocks to pay attention to and which to let go. He was known for his quick wit, great conversations, infectious smile, his kind, non-judgmental and passionate spirit. His authenticity was unmatched, and he always left you feeling better than you felt before talking with him. The words of wisdom he has shared so freely will continue to lead and guide his loved ones. To God be the glory for blessing us with his shining example of strength and courage.

Jesse rededicated his life to Jesus Christ and joined From the Heart Church Ministries, where he remained a faithful member until entering eternal rest. He could often be witnessed reading the Word of God to get understanding before delivering mini-sermons to the young men of the family in only a way he knew how.

Jesse leaves to cherish his memory his devoted wife, Tangie; beloved daughter, Alexxis of Clinton, MD; sons: Jesse Jr. of Fredericksburg, VA, Danzel of Stafford, VA, Michael (Jamie) of Pearl City, HI, and Ceshawn of Alexandria, VA; three brothers: Morgan Sinclair of Durham, NC, Antonio Woods of Cleveland, OH, and Ronald Woods, Sr. of Tennessee; two sisters, Vickia Dimbo of Brook Park, OH, and Shirley Woods of Yazoo City, MS; two granddaughters, Janel and Leah; three grandsons: Jalen, Kekoa, and Ryan; a very special cousin who was like a brother, Eugene Warner of Cleveland, OH; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and several lifelong dear friends that will honor his memory always.

Jesse was preceded in death by his father, Jesse Woods; mother, Joyce Woods; sister, Jacqueline White; brothers, Eddie White and Anthony Woods.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Invocation

Congregational Hymn “Blessed Assurance”

Scripture Reading

Old Testament: Psalm 27:1-5
New Testament: I Corinthians 15:50-58

Prayer of Comfort

Selection FTH Psalmist

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Miss Alexxis White, *Daughter*
Mr. Eugene Warner, *Family*
Mr. Scott Tullos, *Career Associate*

Poem Mr. Danzel White

Obituary (*Read Aloud*) Ms. Vickia Dimbo

Song of Preparation FTH Psalmist

Message of Hope Reverend Steven A. Battle, Sr.

Call to Christ

Recessional

Interment:
Tuesday, September 5, 2023
Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery
11301 Crain Hwy, Cheltenham, MD 20623

FAMILY SENTIMENTS



To My Dear Husband,

Certain men have shoulders so strong,
you feel invited to just stop...and lean for a while.
They have quiet listening strength that makes you feel heard
and a gaze so level you know that you are seen.
They are men whose arms are open because their hearts are open.

Thank you for being that kind of man....

Strong, generous, one to lean on.

Thank you for seeing the sun and the rainbow
when all I could see were the clouds and the rain.

Thank you for the umbrella that has shielded me
from many storms.

You, my dear love, have earned this rest.

Love, Tangie

FAMILY SENTIMENTS

Memories of Dad

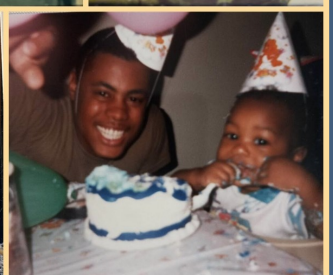
We do not need a special day to bring you to our minds.
The days we do not think of you are very hard to find.
Each morning when we awake we know that you are gone.
And no one knows the heartache as we try to carry on.

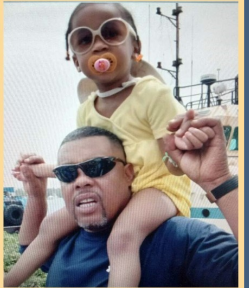
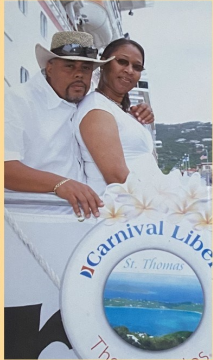
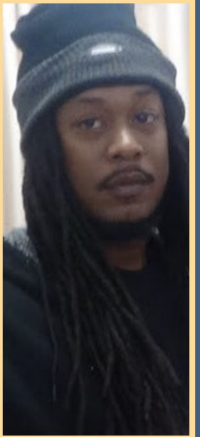
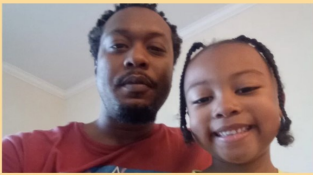


My Heart Still Aches...

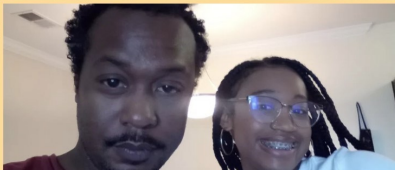
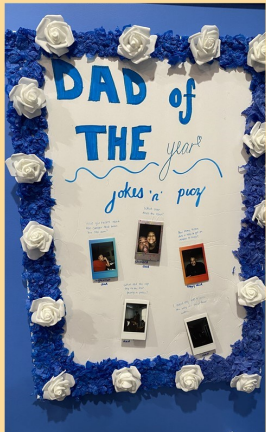
By: Ashok Sethi

Our hearts still ache with sadness and secret tears still flow.
What it meant to lose you no one will ever know.
Our thoughts are always with you, your place no one can fill.
In life we loved you dearly; in death we love you still.
There will always be a heartache, and often a silent tear.
But always a precious memory of the days when you were here.
If tears would make a staircase, and heartaches make a lane,
We'd walk the path to heaven and bring you home again.
We hold you close within our hearts; and there you will remain,
To walk with us throughout our lives until we meet again.
Our family chain is broken now, and nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.





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MY FIRST LOVE
AND FOREVER HERO



CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

“Blessed Assurance”

*Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine; Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.*

Refrain:

*This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all the day long.*

*Perfect submission, perfect delight, Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above, Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.*

Refrain

*Perfect submission, all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.*

Refrain

PALLBEARERS

*Davon Cheek
Darryl Duncan
Howard Janifer
Paul Smith
Mark Williams
Halley Wilson*

FLOWER BEARERS

Family and Friends

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

*We the family of Jesse Miller White acknowledge with deep appreciation every act of kindness
and expression of love shown to us during our time of bereavement.
May God richly bless you. We love you all.*

Services Entrusted to:

**Hodges -Edwards Funeral Home
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