



Kevin Lebron Richard

February 6, 1967 - January 28, 2022

Kevin Lebron Richard, 54, of Chattanooga, passed away Friday, January 28, 2022, in a local hospital. He was a 1985 graduate of Kirkman High School. Kevin was a true Mighty Hawk. He was the Co-Founder of Little McFun Learning Center, now known as The Blooming Pot Daycare Center; and he was President/CEO of Tennessee Valley Express. Kevin leaves behind a legacy of community activism and mentorship. He was preceded in death by his son, Javaris Richard; stepfather, Ronald Jacoway, Sr.; and maternal grandmother, Easter Jordan. Survivors include his wife of 34 years, Ramona Richard; son, Nigel Richard; mother, Hollis Elaine Jacoway; biological father, Dennis Saunders; Alex Richard, all of Chattanooga; grandchildren, Jani'Lynn and Josh Richard, both of Chattanooga, and Keith Richard of North Carolina; brothers, Keith (Kendra) Richard of Atlanta, GA and Ronald (Jamie) Jacoway, Jr., of Chattanooga; sister, Ebony Jacoway of Chattanooga; father and mother-in-law, Pastor Mose and Lee Whitfield of Calhoun, GA; sisters-in-law, Norma Jean McCoy-Willingham of Town Creek, AL, Vita Glover of Stone Mountain, GA, and Carleen Whitfield of Lithonia, GA; special sister-in-law, Penny McCoy of Chattanooga; special friend, Alvin Bonner; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

1954 Greenwood Road
Chattanooga, TN 37406

Previous Events

Lie-In-State

FEB **12**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Olivet Baptist Church
740 E M L King Blvd
Chattanooga, TN 37403-2926
(423) 266-8709

Service

FEB **12**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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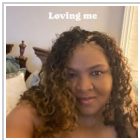
Tribute Wall

BC

“ *Condolences from the Carr & Lawler families!*



Brecia Carr - February 17, 2022 at 07:58 AM



“ *Another Golden Hawk had taken flight. Take you place among all the other kings and queens before you. To the family you have my deepest condolences and prayers. I pray that our Heavenly Father will give the strength you need in the days to come, Helping to ease all of you and your families pain and sorrow. Dormit en la Paz celestial*



Lois Latrese Slay-Luster - February 16, 2022 at 03:16 PM

AJ

“ *Annette Jinks lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Annette Jinks - February 13, 2022 at 11:13 AM

ME

“ *Love you Ramona! Praying for you and Nigel! 🌹🌹🌹 Fly High Kevin! You will be missed... 🕊*

Marquita Ector - February 12, 2022 at 11:59 AM

TB

“ *Thomasa Ballou lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Thomasa Ballou - February 12, 2022 at 04:09 AM

LD

“ *Linda Davis lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Linda Davis - February 11, 2022 at 06:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.*



February 11, 2022 at 05:40 PM

TR

“ *Tiffany Reese purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.*



Tiffany Reese - February 11, 2022 at 01:24 PM

SP

“ Kevin was a kind and very compassionate person, to know him was to love him, he will be missed by many, praying for his wife Ramona (hugs) and entire family ❤️ may God grant you all comfort and peace at this difficult time 🙏



shawn Preston - February 11, 2022 at 09:08 AM

TB

“ Thomasa Ballou lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Thomasa Ballou - February 11, 2022 at 07:29 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.



February 10, 2022 at 09:13 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.



February 10, 2022 at 12:26 PM

ML

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Matt Limerick - February 10, 2022 at 12:22 PM

ML

“ 1 file added to the *tribute wall*



Matt Limerick - February 10, 2022 at 12:19 PM

ML

“ To Kevin's wife and his family, we are so sorry for your loss. We had the privilege of working with Kevin at Launch Logistics and Liberty Land Carriers since June of last year. He came highly recommended by an associate, Geoff Farmer, and to be honest is the only reason we were able to snag him. Someone with Kevin's experience and caliber in the trucking industry is a rarity and it was like hitting a home run for us when he decided to join our team. As the months went on we became bigger and bigger fans. Our company hands out a 'Fleetchief' award around Christmastime which is not only for an MVP quality candidate but someone who is willing to help-out, a pleasure to work with, and is a tremendous ambassador and asset to our team - Kevin was a finalist. We don't consider anybody with less than atleast a year at our company but Kevin was too good to leave out. We were just getting into a rhythm and so excited about what the future held here with Kevin as one of the critical pieces. Matt SR spoke with Kevin through early December and kept in touch with Geoffrey about Kevin's progress throughout. He is one of those cases that we just wouldn't think would be affected. We were devastated to hear the news, and in the short time we got to know Kevin he spoke much of his family and i envied the relationship and the way he spoke about his wife. For as long as they have been married it was awesome to hear someone talk about his bride that way. Our entire office will not forget Kevin. Selfishly I want to say that Kevin was taken from us too soon, but I know God has a plan for everything. Kevin, we will miss you greatly. Thanks for your friendship, hard work, and the bar that you have set so high that others will always strive to reach - ride on driver. R.I.P.



Matt Limerick - February 10, 2022 at 12:19 PM

SH

“ *Starlyn Howard lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Starlyn Howard - February 10, 2022 at 08:39 AM

JR

“ *Your aunt Rosetta Meacham and uncle Jerry Richard will always carry you in there hearts*

Jerry richard - February 10, 2022 at 05:33 AM

JR

“ *I'm really going to miss you.....
You were a beautiful person and nephew and I will always carry you in my heart .*

You and my son Kevin L. Walker were family and very good friends

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My family is really going to pray for your family .

Your uncle

Jerry Richard

Jerry richard - February 09, 2022 at 06:15 PM

VS

“ Vee Stovall lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Vee Stovall - February 09, 2022 at 09:00 AM

VH

“ Victor Harris purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.



Victor Harris - February 08, 2022 at 04:22 PM

TM

“ The McDonald Family Lit a Candle in Memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Tara McDonald - February 08, 2022 at 02:40 PM

TF

“ Tongeia Farmer lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Tongeia Farmer - February 08, 2022 at 10:27 AM

ET

“ *Edna Talley lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Edna Talley - February 08, 2022 at 10:12 AM

NR

“ *Nigel Richard lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Nigel richard - February 07, 2022 at 10:04 PM

SH

“ *Our condolences to the family. So sorry for ur loss. Praying for strength peace and understanding during this difficult time. Sending love from the Battle family.*



Selene Hitchcock - February 07, 2022 at 11:19 AM

 Lovely Fem

“ *By deepest condolences to the family. May you find comfort, love, & support amongst your family & friends. ❤️❤️*



Lovely Fem - February 06, 2022 at 11:04 PM

PM

“ *Pamela Mynatt lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Pamela Mynatt - February 06, 2022 at 10:40 PM

HE

“ *Praying 🙏 that God grant you peace as you celebrate the life of Kevin. Know that he will never leave nor forsake you. ELDER HENRIETTA ERSKINE 💛💜 OLIVET BAPTIST*



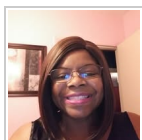
Henrietta Erskine - February 06, 2022 at 04:03 PM

MP

“ *Monica Pollard-Ervin lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard*



Monica Pollard-Ervin - February 03, 2022 at 05:15 PM



“ *I remember when Kevin would bring his daycare kids to the YMCA to get swimming lessons. The kids were so well mannered, you didn't know they was in the building. Kevin was always giving a little extra, to make sure no one was left out. Truly he will be missed by all. My condolences to his wonderful family. 🕊*

Antoinetta Newby - February 03, 2022 at 08:56 AM

JC

“ To Hollis and family my prayers are with you all during this time.

From Jerome Carr and family.

Jerome Carr - February 03, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kevin Lebron Richard.



February 02, 2022 at 08:55 PM

LH

“ Leslie Henderson lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Leslie Henderson - February 02, 2022 at 01:47 PM

LC

“ Lois M. Cousin lit a candle in memory of Kevin Lebron Richard



Lois M. Cousin - February 02, 2022 at 12:26 PM

LC

Nigel and Family: Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as you journey through this valley experience.

Lois M. Cousin - February 02, 2022 at 12:28 PM

AH

“*Ramona and the family of Kevin you have my deepest condolences. Remember that weeping may endure for a night but joy comes in the morning!*



Abigail Hammonds - February 01, 2022 at 02:18 PM

BK

“*Ann and I were shocked and saddened to learn that Kevin had passed. We are out of the country, sending our condolences to you and your family, Ramona. He was a great guy!*

Bruce Kaplan

Bruce Kaplan - February 01, 2022 at 10:22 AM