



## SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield

October 5, 1982 - October 6, 2019

Terrance Jerome Westfield, 37, of Chattanooga, passed away Sunday, October 6, 2019 in a local hospital. He was a 16-year veteran of the US Army. He was a dedicated uncle to all his nephews and nieces and had a very big heart. SSG Westfield was preceded in death by his grandparents, R.H. and Edna Drake. Survivors include his mother, Tammy Jones; father, Timothy Westfield; grandparents, Chester and Pearl Westfield; brothers, Timothy Perry, Dillion Lockhart, and Marcus Williams; sisters, Meosha Walker, Kiara Henderson, Chelsy Westfield, Doneisha Russell, Isabella Westfield, Madison Clowers, and Sabrina Vontress; uncles, Cleatus (Judy) Garner, Marvin Garner, Tyrone Garner, Dewight (Angela) McReynolds, James (Demetria) Jones, Kerry Lester; aunts, Patricia (Kenneth) Daniel, Blondell Clark, Joyce Garner, Jocelyn (Nealie) Hogg, Majorie Slay, and Jacqueline Jones; stepmother, Lisa Westfield; a host of other relatives and friends. Pastor Eddie Jacks, Jr. will serve as the eulogist.

# Cemetery Details

## Chattanooga National Cemetery

1200 Bailey Ave  
Chattanooga, TN 37404

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 10. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc.  
3417 Wilcox Boulevard  
Chattanooga, TN 37411  
(423) 622-8152  
<https://www.taylorfh.com/>

## Service

OCT 11. 12:00 PM (ET)

Olivet Baptist Church  
740 E M L King Boulevard  
Chattanooga, TN 37403

# Tribute Wall

JG

“ I met Westie in Korea in 2003, it was an instant connection... we found each other again in Iraq in 2004, (small world right) he was my PMC and I was his PMC I miss him forever I love you westie 💕💕

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**julia garcia** - October 11, 2025 at 02:02 PM

JG

I was his PFC\*

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**julia garcia** - October 11, 2025 at 02:03 PM

NI

“ I just found out about TK's passing and am very saddened to hear of it. I work on the 3rd floor in the Edney and TK would always talk to me whenever I came up to the community space on 5th floor. He was so kind and friendly and I swear he brightened up my day any time I spoke with him. He touched so many people in impactful ways such that even the smallest interactions made a huge, positive difference. I know he made a difference for me and he will certainly be missed here at the Edney. God bless his family during this time and my prayer is for comfort to you all.



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**Nicole** - December 09, 2019 at 02:47 PM

AN

“ ThanksGiving is not gone be the same

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**Anonymous** - November 08, 2019 at 09:36 PM

DE

“ *Dominique Ellison lit a candle in memory of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield*



Dominique Ellison - October 17, 2019 at 01:17 PM

BC

“ *I never had the privilege of knowing Terrance, but I was his father's teacher many years ago, so the obituary caught my eye. I was at the visitation and yesterday's service, and my prayers for the family will continue. I cannot imagine your grief at this time. Do know that others care and that you are not alone.*

Betsy Baker Chesney - October 12, 2019 at 02:37 PM

RT

“ *Roscoe Tucker lit a candle in memory of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield*



Roscoe Tucker - October 11, 2019 at 05:10 AM

SJ

“ *Sonja Jackson-Chalmers lit a candle in memory of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield*



Sonja Jackson-Chalmers - October 10, 2019 at 09:50 PM

LF

“ Logan Freeman lit a candle in memory of  
SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield



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**Logan Freeman** - October 10, 2019 at 09:16 PM

EH

“ With sincere sympathy, and love .  
The eternal God is your refuge, and  
underneath are everlasting arms to hold you.  
Elizabeth Hayes,



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**Elizabeth Hayes** - October 10, 2019 at 12:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield.



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October 09, 2019 at 05:40 PM

SP

“ Sonia Patton lit a candle in memory of SSG  
Terrance Jerome Westfield



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**Sonia patton** - October 09, 2019 at 05:28 PM

TW

“ *Terica Walker lit a candle in memory of SSG  
Terrance Jerome Westfield*



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**Terica Walker** - October 09, 2019 at 05:16 PM

LM

“ *Laura Mullinax lit a candle in memory of SSG  
Terrance Jerome Westfield*



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**Laura Mullinax** - October 09, 2019 at 02:44 PM

CG

“ *Clarissa Garner lit a candle in memory of  
SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield*



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**Clarissa Garner** - October 09, 2019 at 09:15 AM

CG

*My love for you is undeniable.  
Cousin you are sooooo loved and will always be remembered for the  
light you brightened every room with when you enter. I love your  
inspiration wisdom determination Love for others and willingness to  
help. That smile and laugh I will never forget love you always.*

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**Clarissa Garner** - October 09, 2019 at 09:21 AM

2C

“ *2nd Platoon, 24th Transportation Company purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield.*



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**2nd Platoon, 24th Transportation Company** - October 08,  
2019 at 05:32 PM

SB

“ I was Terrance Westfield's Platoon Leader in Iraq. He was my driver for many months. He was always professional, and he always did whatever I asked of him. We drove on many combat missions that were dangerous and difficult - and he always kept his cool and his sense of humor - I never once saw him get mad or frustrated.

*He was brave beyond measure and a patriot this nation owes a great debt to. We had many difficult days in Iraq - on the road - so far from home - int he beginning of a war that would last longer than any of us ever imagined.*

*He kept our truck running, and he kept us alive. I am eternally thankful for the intimate hours I spent driving along deserted highways so far from home with him - he was always quick to share his seeds and a conversation. I am grateful I got to know someone so brave and just plain fun. I owe Terrance my life - quite literally. Everyone matters and Terrance touched me greatly and allowed me to come home and have my own family. I think of him so often.*

*I was most moved by Terrance's authenticity - he was exactly himself - always - even in an Army that is not always tolerant of authenticity. He just rolled on and was himself - and we loved him for it. I am so very sorry for your loss and that the world lost such a fabulous human being - a brave human being.*



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Shelly Burgoyne - October 08, 2019 at 05:24 PM

Mo  
Clark

“ Friend I keep telling myself that your purpose was done. That doesn't take away the fact that you will be missed.



Mo Clark - October 08, 2019 at 04:59 PM

JJ

“ JOYCE A JACKSON lit a candle in memory of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield



JOYCE A JACKSON - October 08, 2019 at 03:59 PM

VG

“ Violet Gray lit a candle in memory of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield



Violet Gray - October 08, 2019 at 03:35 PM



“ Terrence was a blessing to all he came in contact with. I had the opportunity to know Terrence by attending middle school with him and continued contact as we got older. He will be greatly missed. Chattanooga has lost a staple to community. Fair well soldier.

Christie Morris - October 08, 2019 at 11:56 AM

SJ

*I have been knowing Terrance and family for yrs. I pray for all of his family, Tammy/two sisters put this in God's hands. As to the rest of this family do the same. For God is the only one who knows. Much love to you all from myself and my family Amen.*

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**Sonja Jackson-Chalmers** - October 08, 2019 at 07:57 PM

AT

“ Aaron Luke, the "School Teacher" purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of SSG Terrance Jerome Westfield.



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**Aaron Luke, the "School Teacher"** - October 08, 2019 at 11:34 AM