



Remus Smalls

May 22, 1942 - April 11, 2021

On Sunday, April 11, 2021, the Lord called to eternal rest His chosen Mr. Remus Smalls.

Remus Smalls, the son of the late Herman and Lucille Smalls was born on May 22, 1942 in Charleston, SC. He was preceded in death by his siblings Leon Smalls, Ralph Smalls, his Godmother Clara Ramsey and 2 great grandchildren.

Remus was educated in Charleston County Public Schools. He was a graduate of the W. Gresham Meggett High School, Class of 1960. In 1966, Remus was drafted into the United States Army where he proudly served his country for over 3 years which included a tour in the Vietnam War. For his commitment and bravery as a Sergeant he was awarded 2 Purple Hearts and received an Honorable discharge. Later, he worked for 20 years as an essential transporter with International Brotherhood Electrical Workers Union and retiring in 2006.

On May 22, 1966 Remus became one with Mrs. Mamie Whack Smalls. Their marriage of 54 years reflected their love and dedication to each other that reminds us all to have faith and trust in God's eternal love.

Remus was the patriarch of his family and friends. A "Man amongst Men" he

made his presence known and lasting with everyone he interacted with. His words of wisdom taught us all how to enjoy life with laughter and humility but to live with integrity and purpose. Remus was a sports fan and enjoyed watching his favorite football team the Pittsburgh Steelers. He also loved watching golf and looked forward to watching the Masters every year. He was also a man who enjoyed nature and being outdoors. But probably more than anything, Remus enjoyed entertaining family and friends whether it be during large gatherings during holidays and special occasions or just hanging out with his “compadre” and brother in-law BB. He truly cherished the relationships he had with family and friends and he made sure you knew it. If he could, he would lend you a helping hand and even if he could not, he would often say “The best thing I can give you is some good advice” and then he would proceed to do so. Remus was a man of great integrity, wisdom and compassion and the legacy he leaves behind will by far surpass the fulfilling 78 years he lived.

Lasting memories of Mr. Remus Smalls will be cherished by his devoted wife Mamie Smalls; his loving children Juanita Champagne, Perneitha Smalls, Remus (Latrice) Smalls and Socrates (Danene) Smalls; 9 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren; siblings Hermina Hopkins; Juanita Smalls, Wanda Breach, Margaret Moore, Frances Smalls and Jerome (Myra) Smalls, 4 sisters in-law, 6 brothers in-law and a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins and other close friends.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 PM Saturday, April 17, 2021 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel with Dr. James Williams officiating. The family will receive friends from 1:00-1:45 PM prior to the service.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

Goldfinch Funeral Home Beach Chapel

Tribute Wall

MW

“Peace and Blessing to the Smalls Family, my god be with you throughout this difficult times and always. Wayne A McCloud, friend of Soc.

McCloud Wayne - April 17, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Remus Smalls.



April 17, 2021 at 12:08 PM

JL

“Jannie Lathan lit a candle in memory of Remus Smalls



Jannie Lathan - April 17, 2021 at 09:01 AM

JL

Remus, you brought so much joy and happiness into so many of our lives. May you now rest in the joy and peace of the Lord. We will miss and never forget you. My prayers continue to be with the entire family

Jannie Lathan - April 17, 2021 at 09:06 AM

TR

“ *Remus was truly what family is all about. He loved his family and always made sure to show it. He will be missed*

Takeya Ramsey-Burnham - April 16, 2021 at 09:50 AM

FJ

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Franklin and Geraldine June - April 16, 2021 at 09:28 AM

EN

“ *RIP Bro-N-Law! You will surely be missed! Your contributions to this Family was extraordinary and we will never Forget! Your love will be with us forever!*

Elizabeth Newkirk - April 16, 2021 at 07:13 AM

SG

“ *Uncle Remus, you will be missed but not forgotten. RIP! Love Samantha*



SAMANTHA GLADDEN - April 15, 2021 at 11:15 PM

SG

“ *SAMANTHA GLADDEN lit a candle in memory of Remus Smalls*



SAMANTHA GLADDEN - April 15, 2021 at 11:10 PM

MS

“ *The best brother in law. So caring and welcoming. So comfortable to be around with. You will always be in our hearts.*

Mayra Smalls - April 15, 2021 at 09:44 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Remus Smalls.*



April 15, 2021 at 08:55 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Remus Smalls.*



April 15, 2021 at 08:18 PM

SR

“ Sharon Ramsey lit a candle in memory of Remus Smalls



Sharon Ramsey - April 15, 2021 at 07:11 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Remus Smalls.



April 15, 2021 at 04:03 PM

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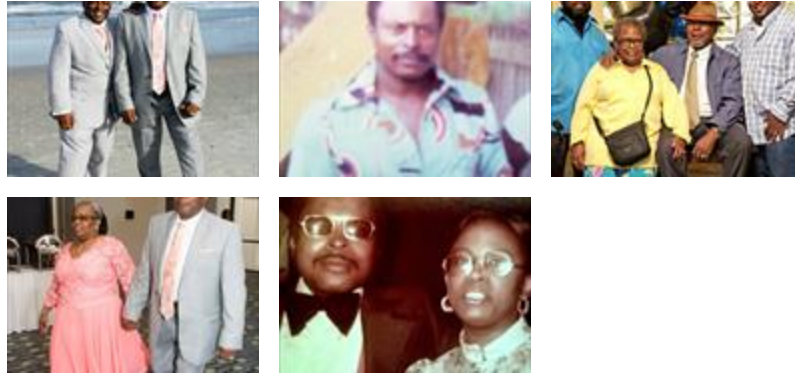
“ Our prayers and thoughts go out to the family. Remus will never be forgotten and he will forever be in our heart. Rodney and Sarah Edmond



Rodney Edmond - April 15, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ 25 files added to the album Remus Smalls



Mamie Smalls - April 15, 2021 at 02:37 PM

VC

“ *I am sorry I did not have the pleasure of knowing Mr. Smalls. I am certain he was a fine man who loved his family and was there to provide their necessities, along with giving them advice in certain situations. I, personally, want to thank him for his service in Vietnam. So many of our young men were sent there and died there. I am grateful he was able to come home and live a good life, raising his family and working at a meaningful job of 20 Years, and then retiring. Like I mentioned in the beginning of this tribute to Mr. Smalls, I never had the pleasure of knowing him. There is something else, that I want to add to my comments, I don't think I have ever read an obituary that was so well written. The person who wrote it was well educated and remembered his/her teachings in the English class. Please accept my deepest sympathy in the family's loss.*

Vickie Cooper - April 15, 2021 at 10:59 AM