



Mr. Edward Lamont Santiful

August 16, 1978 - October 11, 2023

Edward Lamont Santiful, 45 years old, of Portsmouth, Va, passed away on October 11, 2023. They were born on August 16, 1978 to his beautiful mother, Francine Santiful.

Edward Lamont Santiful 's life was a testament to his ability to be in a room and make you laugh without much effort. He was a true example of what a father looks like and his love as a brother is unmatched. He was a beloved son, father, brother, cousin, spouse, and grandson, a cherished friend, and a valued member of the community. He touched the lives of many with his cool nature, crazy sense of humor, and lovingheart.

Edward Lamont Santiful is survived by his Mother: Francine Santiful; Father: John Lawrence, Grandmother: Bertha Santiful, Daughter: Oryonna Harris; Brother: Shawn Sanitful, Sisters: Erica Corpening, Brittney Keyser, Denise Lawrence, and Audrey Lawrence; Uncle: Jimmy Santiful, Aunts: Angela Bassfield, Danetta Lawrence, Demitria Davis, Denise Davis, Denise Johnson; Cousin: Quintae Santiful, Javonne Santiful, John Bassfield, Richard Bassfield, Robin Bassfield, Eric Gardner, Sheniqua Odom; Spouse; Ciera Harris, and a slew of family and friends not listed, who will forever cherish the memories of his loving presence.

Most people search for the meaning or importance of life; and Lamont Santiful

found it before he left this earth. He understood the importance of laughter, what it does to the soul, and how it heals those around you. He mastered loving his people and appreciation for those near and dear. He understood how important it was to sit back and be present in the moment; he also had found a new love for travel with future trips planned to go to Greece amongst other places. He figured out the importance of exploration.

A Celebration of Life Ceremony/memorial service will be held on October 28th, 2023 @ 6109 Virginia Beach Blvd Norfolk, Va from 12:30pm - 4pm. Friends and family are invited to pay their respects and celebrate Edward Lamont Santiful life.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made towards his daughter's education or career goals in the future: Donations can be sent to Shawn Santiful via cashapp \$Lamontsworld23 (make sure when asked what for you state "Lamont")

The family would like to express their gratitude for the love and support received during this difficult time. They ask that you remember Edward Lamont Santiful and his love of laughter and that green stuff that will continue to inspire and comfort us all.

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Spirit of Truth Family Worship Center
1023 Wilcox Ave
Portsmouth , VA 23704

Celebration of Life

OCT **28**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

FB Hall
6103 E. Virginia Beach Blvd
Norfolk, VA 23502

Tribute Wall

OR

“ *Dad, i really miss you and i wish that you were here for and with me dearly. Oryonna*

oryonna/CJ - May 01, 2025 at 10:21 AM

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“ *Lamont was one of those cousins you wanted to be around all the time. He was one of the joksters in the family. If there was a cookout, a party, or just us wanting to chill, I made sure I called him to pull up and he would show every single time and make everyone laugh. We were so close and it hurts my heart that I will never see him again. Rest up cousin.....I love you.*

BabyGirl - October 26, 2023 at 10:18 PM

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“ *Wish this was just a dream bro!!! I've known Lamont since 1999!!! He was always at our house. My brother's Best Friend (Anthony Truk DeBraux) the both of them together you was bound to laugh so hard ur stomach hurt or you was crying!!!! WE GOING TO MISS U DOWN HERE BROTHER S.I.P*

ShaVaughn Finch - October 26, 2023 at 07:11 AM