



Robert Lee Staton

October 3, 1958 - May 25, 2022

Robert Lee Staton, 63, of New Castle, Delaware, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday May 25, 2022, at Christiana Care Hospital in Newark, Delaware. Robert was born on October 3, 1958, in Plymouth North Carolina to Ethel Lee Gilliams and William Staton Sr.

Robert was known as "Rob" and many other affectionate names. Robert was a 1977 graduate of Plymouth High School in Plymouth, North Carolina, where he excelled in baseball and became the state wrestling champion. Upon graduation from high school, Robert enlisted in the United States Army, where he served his country faithfully until he was Honorably discharged.

Robert was employed at New Century Transportation Inc, he gave them over 20 plus, years of dedicated service In 2013 Robert moved to Delaware and worked for Old Dominion Freight - until his illness caused him to retire early. While working at Old Dominion he received the Service 2.OD Award in 2019, for his outstanding work performance and dedicated service. Robert also worked part-time for Fed Ex while holding down a full-time job with Old Dominion, all while battling cancer. Although Robert drove a Dodge Ram truck, his colleagues would tease him and tell him he needed a Ford, because He was" built Ford Tough".

He was a diehard Washington Redskins football fan before they became known

as, the Washington Commanders. He enjoyed being in his man cave watching and enjoying sports. He was a very outgoing and friendly person. Robert's hobbies included: riding his motorcycle, playing horseshoes, bowling, and playing baseball. Robert was very competitive and excelled at all sports he played

Along Robert's journey he found his best friend, Barbara Faye Henry and they joined in Holy Matrimony on April 5th 2017.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents, the late Ethel Lee Webb and the late William Staton, Sr., three sisters, Doris Teen Pittman, Lola Mae Ruffin and Alee Staton, two brothers-in-law, Matthew Pittman and George Cooper, two nephews, Michael Pittman, Hamin Rashada and one great nephew Shakir Rashada.

Robert leaves to cherish his memories, a loving and devoted wife, Barbara Faye Staton, three daughters, Kendra (Michael) Thomas, Ebone' (Andre') Mottas and Shayenna Days, three sons, Jonas (Demi) Pittman, Robert Pittman, Ryan (Sherelle) Staton, six sisters, Geraldine (Joe Louis) Baker, Doris (Charles) Sanders, Rosa (Nathaniel) Norman, Janie Cooper, Fannie Staton, Sandra Faye Staton, one brother, William (Gina) Staton, Jr., one additional sister-in-law, Yolanda Walton and two additional brother in laws, Michael Jackson and Dennis Jackson.

Robert is also survived by fifteen grandchildren, Marquis, Iyana, Nasir, Andre' Jr, Michael, Jr., Christopher, Chanelle, I'mani, Jonas Jr., Miyah, Ajanae, Omari, Keondre, Kayden, Mason and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A very close friend, Jerry Lewis Sanders and he shared a special bond with his nephew, Joe Baker.

Cemetery Details

Delaware Veterans Cemetery

2465 Chesapeake City Rd
Bear, DE 19701

Tribute Wall

GC

“ To a great man, friend, wrestler. We had a lot of moments/memories on the wrestling team. He was a great wrestler and leader for the great sport of wrestling. He shows us the ability to lead with confidence and perseverance. He show us that whatever you want in life! You can achieve it to the fullest. Robert will be missed by us and many whom were touched by his presence. RIP my brother! Prayers for the family!! God is Love! Your wrestling teammate Glen Chesson



Glen Chesson - June 09, 2022 at 12:48 PM

BG

“ ROBERT MY CUZZIN HE WAS A GREAT GUY AND I LOVED TO SEE HIM WHEN HE CAME HGOME FOR THE REUNIONS HIM AND HIS WIFE. YOU WILL DEEPLY BE MISSED AND I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU, YOU ALWAYS HAD A BIG SMILE ON YOUR FACE.LOVE YOU CUZZIN

BELINDA GIVENS - June 09, 2022 at 11:10 AM

DC

“ Dallis and Glenda, the Sandhill Crew purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



Dallis and Glenda, the Sandhill Crew - June 08, 2022 at 12:47 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.*



June 08, 2022 at 09:45 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.*



June 07, 2022 at 09:05 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.*



June 07, 2022 at 10:50 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.*



June 07, 2022 at 08:43 AM

SD

“ Dear Faye
Please accept my sincerest condolences on the passing of your husband. May God continue to bless you and your family during this difficult time. 🙏

Selma Dry - June 06, 2022 at 07:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



June 06, 2022 at 09:06 AM

AM

“ *All of Rob's Shuffleboard Team Mates* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



All of Rob's Shuffleboard Team Mates - June 05, 2022 at 10:34 PM

DJ

“ *Rest in Peace Brother Rob! From your Shuffleboard team members: Dewey, Zeek, Desmond, Tyrone, Ron, Garlvis, Mia, Betty, Hubby-D and in memory of team mates Glenn, Tommy, Melvin and Dave.*



Dewey Johnson - June 05, 2022 at 10:15 PM



“ *Blue and Yellow Orchid Mix (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.*



June 05, 2022 at 11:04 AM



“ *A great Brother in law, you will be greatly missed! R.I.P.*

Yolanda Walton - June 03, 2022 at 12:36 PM



“ *I will always love you!!*

Your wife, Faye ❤️

Faye Staton - May 31, 2022 at 06:46 AM



“ *Robert was a good guy. He was always pleasant and friendly. I enjoyed conversation with Robert. He liked to sit and outside in good weather and chat with people who come around. He will be missed.*



CarolHickman, Bob Vietri - May 30, 2022 at 01:44 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



May 28, 2022 at 07:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



May 27, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



May 27, 2022 at 06:27 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Staton.



May 27, 2022 at 06:20 PM