



Mr. Hampton "Hamp" Riley

August 1, 1947 - May 12, 2023

Hampton Riley was born August 1, 1947 in Woodford, South Carolina. He was the beloved son of Freddie Gillins and Jeanette Riley. He departed this life to be with the Lord on May 12, 2023 at his home.

Hamp was educated in the public schools of Cayce, South Carolina. He later enlisted in the United States Air Force and served his country honorably for 22 years. He also worked for Wilbert Burial Vault Company for many years.

Hamp was preceded in death by his brothers, Andrew Gillins, Hampton Leroy Riley, Clarence Briggman and McAuthur Felder; sisters, Nancy Riley, Retha Mae Davis, Johnnie Mae Jupiter, Mozzel Gaffney and Rhudine Favor.

Left to cherish precious memories of Hamp are: his loving wife, Stella Sims Riley; a son, Darrell Sims of Charleston, South Carolina; four grandchildren, Paige Robinson of Norfolk, Virginia, Neigha McClain of Florence, South Carolina, Saclarious Cofield and De Marion Sims both of Columbia, South Carolina; a brother, Jerry Gillins of Denver, Colorado; four sisters, Thelma (Bernard) Bloom, Mary Lee Middleton of West Columbia, South Carolina, Glolue Jenkins of Gaston, South Carolina and Bethel Jeffcoat; his caregiver, Ludonna Manigault of Columbia, South Carolina and a host of other relatives and loving friends whom will miss him dearly.

The Riley family acknowledges with grateful appreciation, all of your kind expressions of love and sympathy.

Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 24, 2023 at Friendship Baptist Church, 1237 House Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29204. Pastor A. A. Dicks, Sr., officiating. Interment will follow in Fort Jackson National Cemetery.

Public viewing will be held from 12 noon until 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 23, 2023 and Wednesday May 24, 2023, from 9:00 a.m. until 9:45 a.m. at the Funeral Home. Mr. Riley will lie in-state Wednesday, May 24, 2023 at Friendship Baptist Church from 10:00 a.m. until the hour of service.

Please leave Mr. Hampton Riley family your condolences and prayers.

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Cemetery Details

Fort Jackson National Cemetery

4170 Percival Road
Columbia, SC 29229

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
1237 House Street
Columbia, SC 29204
(803) 799-8906

To view the service for Mr. Riley, please click on the link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/623228572813385/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Our prayers and condolences to the family and relatives.* ”



Tammy Edwards - May 25, 2023 at 01:05 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Hampton "Hamp" Riley. ”

May 22, 2023 at 04:38 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Hampton "Hamp" Riley.* ”



May 22, 2023 at 04:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Hampton "Hamp" Riley.* ”



May 22, 2023 at 04:35 PM

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“ *My condolences to the family, I pray the lord strengthen you during this difficult time. Hamp was a very caring person that mind helping anyone.* 🙏🙏

Cheryl Muller-Rivers - May 22, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Our condolences and prayers to the family and relatives.*



Tammy Edwards - May 19, 2023 at 05:27 PM

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“ *Samuel Marie Colter lit a candle in memory of Hampton Riley*



Samuel and Marie Colter - May 16, 2023 at 08:25 AM