



MSGT (Ret) Tommie Lee Shuler

February 28, 1948 - December 3, 2022

Tommie Lee Shuler, was born February 28, 1948 in Holly Hill, South Carolina. He was the first son born to Walter George Shuler and Bessie Mae Paler Shuler.

Tommie was educated in the public schools of Richland County, the first school Tommie attended was Waverly Elementary. Tommie Shuler was the first African American male to integrate the all white school, Columbia High, in which he graduated in 1967.

He played the trumpet in high school where he had the opportunity to play in the Rose Bowl in California. He left high school, entering into the military, the United States Marine Corps. He did his boot camp in Paris Island. He serviced in Vietnam and the Gulf War. After retirement, he attended Midlands Technical College, where he graduated with a Business degree.

He was a man that loved his family and always looked forward to coming home to Columbia, South Carolina. He loved music and his favorite music was jazz. He was a man that loved all sports, his favorite to play was golf. Tommie Shuler loved to have fun and always came with meat for the grill, a cooler, and a smile. The joy in his heart will never be forgotten.

He was preceded in death by, his wife, Annie Ladonia Stevenson Shuler, a

grandson, a sister, Dorothy Ann Shuler.

Tommie Shuler leaves to cherish fond and precious memories; his daughter, Shawnta L. Shuler; his son, Anthony L. Shuler; two grandchildren, Dante and Alexis Shuler; his mother, Bessie Mae Shuler Braxton; five brothers, Walter George Shuler, George Walter Shuler, Jimmy Shuler, Melvin Shuler, Tracie Todd; three sisters, Janie R. Shuler Fulton, Margaret A. Shuler Watson, Sheila Todd; and a host of nieces, great nieces, nephews, great nephews, aunts, cousins and military friends, which all will join the family in sharing the grief caused by his departure.

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

Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m., Monday, December 12, 2022 at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201. Evangelist Maryann Freeman, officiating. Interment to follow in Fort Jackson National Cemetery.

Public viewing will be held from 2:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m., Sunday, December 11, 2022 and from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m., Monday, December 12, 2022 at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel.

Please leave Mr. Tommie Shuler 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

DEC 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel
6400 North Main Street
Columbia, SC 29203
(803) 254-4673

To view the service, please click on the link below: https://fb.watch/hnh_WutWLP/

Tribute Wall

BM

“ *Barbara Mclendon*



Barbara McLendon - December 13, 2022 at 03:35 PM

IW

“ *My sincere condolences to the Shuler family, I know he will be missed, rest in peace friend no more pain. Well done, you were a good man.*

Inez Goodwin Wallace - December 12, 2022 at 12:23 PM

VA

“ *Prayers and condolences to the Shuler family. From Vernetta, Cheryl and Sabrina Archie.*

Vernetta C Archie - December 12, 2022 at 09:42 AM

AL

“ *My favorite scary movie buddy. I love you always grandad* ❤️



Alexis - December 12, 2022 at 02:12 AM

JJ

“ Sending Prayers To the Shuler Family!! Mr Tommie was a very sweet,smooth man. May his Legacy lives through Missy and Anthony
❤️



Jasmine Jennings - December 11, 2022 at 06:59 PM

HR

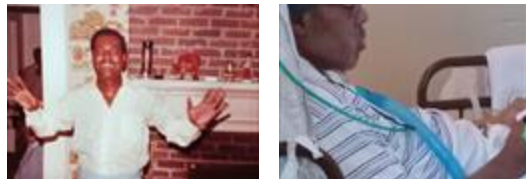
“ henry gee msgt usmc retired lit a candle in memory of Tommie Shuler



henry e. gee msgt usmc retired - December 11, 2022 at 06:31 PM

AS

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Anthony Shuler - December 11, 2022 at 03:14 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Anthony Shuler - December 11, 2022 at 03:12 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Anthony Shuler - December 11, 2022 at 03:11 PM

LB

“ Sending all the prayers and condolences to the family 🙏❤️. Pops you will forever have a special place in our hearts. Job well done Sir we love you



Latoya Blanks - December 11, 2022 at 01:03 PM

AS

“ Dad, I remember when mom, missy, and myself used to sit behind the doors in the house and throw mom's chinchillas and fox on you when u would come in. You would be so mad at us for doing that! Believe me, that used to make our day, knowing you were a "True Recon Marine" and feared NOTHING! You laughed so hard with us and that's what we really wanted, to hear you laugh! Just something as a kid I loved to hear u laugh so hard. You didn't laugh much, you were so focused all the time. I'll see u when the sun rise again...
DNA

Anthony Shuler - December 11, 2022 at 11:04 AM

SB

“ We have known Tommie and Donie for over 40 years. They were two wonderful and gracious people. The pain and suffering they endured is over and they are together again. Pray for God’s comfort and blessing for Missy, Anthony, Dante and Alexis.



Shirley Bethea - December 11, 2022 at 10:26 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of MSGT (Ret) Tommie Lee Shuler.



December 09, 2022 at 12:04 PM

GG

“ Gramescia Gause lit a candle in memory of Tommie Shuler



Gramescia V Gause - December 08, 2022 at 10:18 AM

AS

Thank you!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:32 AM

AS

Thank you!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:33 AM

GS

“ Gloria Sumpter lit a candle in memory of Tommie Shuler



Gloria Sumpter - December 07, 2022 at 11:34 AM

AS

Thank you!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:33 AM

 Sharon Lee Hamilton

“ My brother Tommie always shared a smile and Love to everyone around him. He was a wonderful part of my extended family, The Shulers. Deepest condolences to his children, siblings and Momma Bessie Mae. My memory of you is in my heart forever. R.I.P. Tommie Lee. Love, Sharon Lee(Smith) Hamilton

Sharon Lee Hamilton - December 06, 2022 at 04:22 PM

AS

Thank you Auntie, from Anthony, His son!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:34 AM

 Sharon Lee Hamilton

“ Sharon Lee Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Tommie Shuler



Sharon Lee Hamilton - December 06, 2022 at 04:12 PM



“ Sharon Lee Hamilton sent a virtual gift in memory of Tommie Shuler



Sharon Lee Hamilton - December 06, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ Lolita Flemming Shuler and family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of MSGT (Ret) Tommie Lee Shuler.



Lolita Flemming Shuler and family - December 06, 2022 at 01:20 PM



“ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God. Our deepest 🙏 condolences Summers family

Dawn Summers - December 05, 2022 at 07:18 PM



Amen!!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:35 AM



“ Will truly be Missed. Never will be Forgotten! Joanna McCray

Joanna McCray - December 05, 2022 at 11:40 AM

AS

Absolutely!! Thank you!

Anthony Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:36 AM

JM

“ *Nice knowing Tommie and never be will Forgotten, with your Heavenly Father now! Joanna McCray*

Joanna McCray - December 05, 2022 at 11:33 AM

AS

Thanks for your support!!

Anthony L Shuler - December 10, 2022 at 01:32 AM