



Richard Lamar DeSue

June 5, 1956 - November 24, 2021

Richard Lamar DeSue, 65, of Starke, Florida passed away on Wednesday, November 24, 2021.

Mr. DeSue was born on June 5, 1956 in Starke, Florida. A lifelong resident of Starke, he was a graduate of Bradford High School, Class of 1975, and a member of Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church. Mr. DeSue retired from DuPont, now Chemours, as Head Operator.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Helen DeSue.

He leaves to cherish his fond memories; his wife, Aletia Haile DeSue of Starke, FL; his daughter, Cardelia Whitley (Earnest), and granddaughter Chyna Edmond, both of St. Johns County, FL; one sister, Mary Cohens of Starke, FL.; other relatives and caring friends.

Visitation for Mr. DeSue will be Wednesday, December 1, 2021 from 3:00 to 6:00 PM at Haile Funeral Home, 802 North Oak Street, Starke, FL 32091.

Funeral Services will be Thursday, December 2, 2021 at 11:00 AM at First Baptist Church, 163 West Jefferson Street, Starke, FL, 32091, Danny Strickland, Pastor, with Rev. Alvin Green, officiating. Burial will follow in Bob Love Cemetery.

Repast will follow Interment at New Bethel Baptist Church, 901 Keller Street, Starke, FL 32091.

Due to COVID-19, all in attendance are asked to please wear a facial covering.

The Cortege will form at the home of Mrs. Elaine Haile, 823 Pine Street, Starke, FL 32091 at 10:15 AM.

Arrangements Entrusted to the Care of Chestnut Funeral Home. Cards may be sent to 18 NW 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32601. To order floral arrangements, please visit www.chestnutfh.com/obituary/richarddesue. Any questions may be directed to 855-5-CHESTNUT. "A CHESTNUT SERVICE"

Tribute Wall

RS

“ We would like to offer our sincere condolences and sympathy to the Desue and Haile families. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May God grant the families the peace and strength in these most difficult days. Rev. Dr. Ronald & Shirley Strong and family.



Ronald Strong - December 07, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ Was always the most cheerful person. He had a great smile for everyone. Will be missed dearly. Prays and comfort to the family and friends.

John ErvIn Clemons/off 229A - December 01, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ We are so very sorry for the world has lost a very dear , sweet, caring, & funny beacon of light! May God give his family strength to shine on in his memories! ALL our love , Marvin & Kathy Graham

Marvin & Kathy Graham - December 01, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ On Behalf of the Entire Offspring of Albert & Miriam Tyson, we want to extend our sincere condolences to the Entire Family. Richard grew up in and around Pleasant Grove. He was so warm & friendly always. We pray for comfort & strength for you all. Richard will be sorely missed. May our Loving God wrap his arms around you all in the days ahead. Bobby, Linda Hampton & The Tyson Children 🌹🌻
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Linda Hampton - December 01, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ *With Our Deepest Sympathy and Heartfelt Prayers. From the Gordon Family: Emory, Merlest, Wanda, Rose (Ernest), Chandra, and Tina. God Bless!*

From the Gordon Family: Emory, Merlest, Wanda, Rose (Ernest) - December 01, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *Richard, I will always remember our conversations about your truck. God Bless and hold you in his arms.*

Barbara Hudson Samuel - November 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ *Sending love to the family and prayers for Gods comfort to surround you. Karen*

Karen Patterson - November 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.*

Kathy LaShawn Howell - November 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ To my brother you was always my best friends as we grow up as kids, playing in the yard and in the fields and. Auntie Daisy telling us not to do something and we did it anyway like the cane fields. I was always the sick one and everyone of y'all had to take care of me. I will miss you and love you dearly and never forget you brother. You are in the arms of God now FLY HIGH and watch over all of us . You watch over Dede now she misses her daddy. Love you Diane Budget



Linda Diane Budget - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 AM