



Mr. Andrew James Lee Diggs, Sr.

September 3, 1944 - March 8, 2022

Andrew J. Diggs Sr, 77, the son of the late Inez Woodard, was born September 3, 1944 in Forrest City, Arkansas. He entered into eternal rest, peacefully on Tuesday, March 8, 2022 surrounded by his family.

His early education was in the Forrest City Public Schools. Graduate of Forrest Lincoln City High School. And then went off to join the US Army in 1963. After his military career he relocated to Virginia.

Andrew, in his past time loved spending time with his family, friends, and especially his grandchildren whom affectionately called him "Daddi" & "Granndaa". His hobbies included fishing. He enjoyed long walks, watching westerns, meditating, his long naps, eating, stopping through his favorite casino's and traveling.

Andrew was preceded in death by his Mother Inez Woodard, siblings Ora Wade and Lillian Bradley.

He leaves to cherish his memories, his wife, Diana Diggs of Newport News, daughters Crystal Diggs of Hampton, Quinissa Diggs of Newport News, Corrine Diggs of Hampton, and sons Andrew J. Diggs Jr of Hampton, and Travis Diggs of Newport News. Grandchildren Ariannah, Christian, Christopher, Quincy, Jaesaun, and Lon'dyn. Siblings, Cornelia Flenoir, Daniell Poole (Ella), Barbara Brown, Benjamin Woodard (Bertha), Jannie Woodard, Rickey Woodard (Rosetta), Bernard Woodard, Sandra McCoy (Dennis) Willie

Woodard, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Previous Events

Diggs Public Viewing

MAR 18. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

M.E. Fisher Funeral Home
2117 Madison Avenue
Newport News, VA 23607

Diggs Celebration Service

MAR 19. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Diggs Burial

APR 8. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Albert G. Horton Jr. Memorial Veterans Cemetery
5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA 23434

Tribute Wall



“ *M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. created a [Click Here for Live Stream](#) in memory of Mr. Andrew James Lee Diggs, Sr.*



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - March 18, 2022 at 12:32 PM

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*Tears want stop falling.
For all those times you stood by me for all the truth that you made You made me see, for all the joy you brought in my life for all the wrong that you may right for every dream you may come true for all the love I found you
I'll be forever grateful and thankful because you love me Uncle Drew
Lisa Dixon*

Lisa Dixon - March 19, 2022 at 01:09 PM

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*My deepest condolences to The Diggs Family
May God hold you tight in this difficult time. I Love you all
cousin Lisa Poole-Dixon*

Lisa Dixon - March 19, 2022 at 01:14 PM

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Natoria Burns - March 19, 2022 at 01:47 PM



“ *Lisa Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Andrew James Lee Diggs, Sr.*



Lisa Dixon - March 19, 2022 at 02:25 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences on the loss of your father. May your heart and soul find peace and comfort during this time. Praying for you and your family.*

May God's love and grace always be with you.

*Much Love
Wanda and Toya Mann*

Wanda Mann - March 17, 2022 at 07:55 PM

MG

“A word of comfort and of hope, that in your deepest sorrow, you will find new strength and peace of mind and courage for tomorrow.” Please know that you are in our prayers.



Sending condolences to the family of Andrew Diggs on behalf of The Lincoln High School - Maroon & Gold National Alumni Association, Inc. (MGNAAI), Forrest City, Arkansas. Andrew was a member of the Lincoln High School Class of 1963”

*Delores Farr Morelon
MGNAAI President*

MGNAAI - March 17, 2022 at 01:06 PM

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Amen! He was one of my closest friends.Both of us spend our young manhood on the Graham farm and became very good friends for life..I will miss you my buddy I;ll miss you my friend...God bring us together again!

ulysses ricks - March 21, 2022 at 02:36 AM

AC

“Annette Crawley sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Andrew James Lee Diggs, Sr.



Annette Crawley - March 16, 2022 at 08:50 AM

LB

My deepest condolences.

Andrew left a huge void in our family. He was such an amazing and loving man. I will miss your smile, your laugh, your larger than life happy personality....I will miss you; my cousin. 🙏❤️

LBond - March 21, 2022 at 10:36 AM