



## Mr. De'Wante Ellison

September 29, 1992 - May 22, 2022

De'Wante Deablo Rodriguez Ellison, affectionately known as "DeBlizz," of 1633 Delmar Avenue, Petersburg, Virginia, entered into eternal rest on Sunday morning, May 22, 2022. He was born on September 29, 1992, to the late Judy M. Shaw and Antoine D. Ellison.

Born and raised in Petersburg, Virginia, De'Wante attended Petersburg Public Schools, where he had many friends. The youngest of his mother's three children and the only boy, he was definitely spoiled beyond measure! With the biggest eyes and the widest grin, he could sell snow to an eskimo!

Family always came first to him, and he had no problems sharing his love. And if he called you his friend, you best believe you could count on him. Always down for whatever, De'Wante loved the hood and showed it by repping his 5th Ward family from Rome to Dunlop. He will always be remembered by his big heart, his generosity, and his genuine love he had for others. He may be gone, but he will never be forgotten!

He was preceded in death by his parents, Judy M. Shaw and Antoine Ellison; maternal grandparents, Jesse and Alice Shaw; paternal grandparents, Marvin and Lucy Ellison; great-grandparents, Wilson and Daisy Jackson; four aunts, Rosa Lawson, Eloise Pitt, Shirley Ray, and Bonita Shaw; three uncles, John Jackson, Wilson Jackson, and Marvin Ellison, Jr.; two cousins whom he was

extremely close to, Kevin Batts "KSmooth" and Jakari Shaw "Jaq"; and best friend, Kintrez Moyler "Trez".

De'Wante leaves to cherish his memory: eight loving children, Jahmari Mason, Demari Ellison, De'Wante Ellison, Jr., Zykeis Gregory, Kali Burrell, Kaisan Ellison, Kashton Ellison, and Jaison Ellison; three sisters, Shante' Howell (Darrell), Destiny Shaw (Omar), and Kim Mattox; one brother, Antoine Mattox; two godsisters, Lashina Batts and Arleta Tucker; four nieces and nephews, De'Vion Howell, Te'Mayah Bonner, Dillon Howell, and Khloe Davis; six uncles, Jesse Shaw, Jr. (Denise), Wilson Shaw, Sr. (Kae), Derek Parham (Bridgette), John Ellison (Betty), Pablo Ellison (Teresa), and Patrick Ellison; seven aunts, Nikki Evans, Brenda Jordan (Charles), Joanne Carter (Bruce), Virginia Wright (Ellis), E. Maxine Knight (Gregory), Barbara Reid, and among them, a devoted aunt, Tracy Clary (Andrew); two great-aunts, one who was devoted, Beulah Williams; three great-uncles; and a host of cousins too numerous to name but among them, one who was devoted, Michael "Big Mike" Williams, three who were like brothers, Wilson Shaw, Jr., Keyahn Shaw, and Jordan Shaw, and eight whom he was especially fond of, Kierston, Rachel and Harry Reid, Roy Williams, Jr., Reginald Chandler, Qua'Shai Shaw, Ryan Taylor, and Kaila Evans.

Also left to cherish his memory are devoted friends, Markeem Moyler who was like a brother, Jamonta Crenshaw, Korey Sanders, Javarius Desmore, Timothy Hobbs, Marlo, and Brandon Marshall; extended family, grandma, Beatrice Jones, and Ma; and a loyal and faithful friend, Marquia Brown. De'Wante was loved by so many cousins, relatives, and friends, of whom there are too many to mention.

A Celebration of Life will be held 1:00 P.M., Saturday, June 4, 2022 at the Petersburg Church of Christ, 234 N. South St., Petersburg, VA. Burial will follow at Blandford Cemetery, Petersburg, VA. The service will be live

streamed. Public viewing will be 12:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M., Friday, June 3, 2022 at the funeral home.

Compassionate Services are being provided to the family by the professional staff of Tucker & Fisher Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 415 Halifax St., Petersburg, VA (804)324-5529.

# Cemetery Details

## Blandford Cemetery

319 S Crater Road  
Petersburg, VA 23804

# Previous Events

## Ellison Public Viewing

JUN 3. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tucker and Fisher Funeral Home  
415 Halifax Street  
Petersburg, VA 23803

## Ellison Celebration of Life

JUN 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Petersburg Church of Christ  
234 N. South St.  
Petersburg, VA 23803

# Tribute Wall



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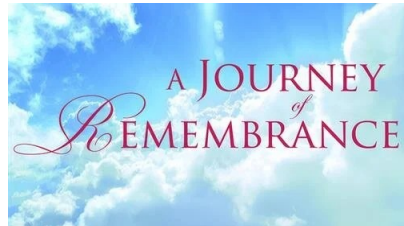


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M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - May 31, 2022 at 04:42 PM



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M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - May 31, 2022 at 04:41 PM

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“ You called me your aunt and I love you like my other nephews. You always had a smile and something crazy to say! You will be missed! Rest in God Nephew!



Aunt DDee - May 31, 2022 at 12:03 PM

KS

“ Damn Brah ima miss you 🥹 we just had a deep conversation about life you told me if anything happened to me that you would loose it look now you gone and I'm loosing it love you 4L&After #realmudbrothers



Korey Saunders - May 27, 2022 at 09:38 AM

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*We loveeee you Wante* ❤️

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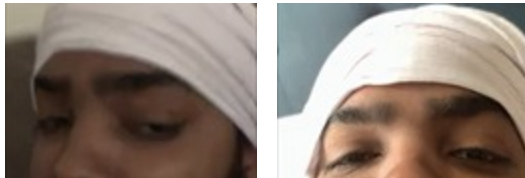
“ *I love you forever brah brah* 🥰🥰🥰🥰 *neenee* ”



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“ *I just spoke with you Friday for about an hour on FaceTime we laughed and joked and laughed some more and did our usual. Life will definitely be crazy without u around calling me saying “Allen what you doin maneeeeeee!” I wish you would’ve went to Miami. Imma say this imma miss you my boy, Love you forever Wante!* ”



Matthew Knight-Allen - May 24, 2022 at 03:08 AM