



## Mr. Jeffery Devon Jackson

May 19, 1991 - July 31, 2009

On May 19, 1992 an angel by the name of Jeffery Devon Jackson, 17, fondly known as “Doodie” was born. On July 31, 2009, God called him home to be his angel. Jeffery was current student at Woodside High School in Newport News. Jeffery was a wonderful son, an excellent student and a good friend to many and an exceptional poet. He would sit and write words from his heart for hours that come deep within his soul. He touched so many hearts with his infectious smile and caring spirit. He was known for encouraging kids in the neighborhood to stay in school and do the right thing. If you were feeling down, Doodie would be the one to lift your spirits which was as natural for him as the air we breathe. Jeffery told everyone he came in contact with that he loved them and everyone loved Jeffery because he was an unique and humble young man. But we all know, when we see a rainbow in the sky, that’s Jeffery looking down with that beautiful smile saying, it’s OK, I’m happy now. He leaves to cherish his fond memories; parents; Brion Crawley and Lorraine Jackson, brothers and sisters; Daniel Jackson, DeAndre Powell, Chino Crawley, Zakkiya Jackson, Malik, Bre’Carri, and Nasir Crawley; grandmother, Katherine Crawley; dedicated God parents; Hillary Edwards, Jr. and Shaunay Nichols, god brothers; Kasheem and Isaiah Hart; and a host of cousins and other relatives and friends.

Viewing will be held from 12 noon until 6:00 pm on Monday, August 10, 2009 at the M.E. Fisher Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 am on Tuesday, August 11, 2009 at Calvary Chapel of Newport News, 361

Beechmont Road Newport News, VA 23608. Interment will be held at Greenlawn Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



“ 54 files added to the album Memories Album



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - July 31, 2014 at 09:19 AM

AA

“ Miss you.. look after my baby girl doodie.. see you soon  
love ya bro

Alyssa Agee - August 08, 2012 at 09:05 PM

LF

“ To the Family, friends and loved ones of Jeffery Devon Jackson, May God guide you as you walk the road to healing, may he give you the strength to carry on and may he grant you the courage to know that he is now resting with our Lord and Savior Jesus the Christ. May God lift you when you feel weak and May he carry you when you feel you can't bare anymore. The road to healing will be long, but you must stay focused and be strong for the Mother, Father and siblings of Jeffery "Doodie" Jackson. The Lord will guide you and help you as long as you trust in him and pray to our Lord and Savior, ask unto him and your prayers should be heard.. Trust in him and he will never lead you wrong. He is our healer and our protector and with God's mighty strength and mighty powers you will get through this tough time. May god be with you and keep you.....Amen

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**LaToria Kennedy and Family** - August 11, 2009 at 11:02 AM

CR

“ We are so sorry to hear about your son. Although we did not know him he must have been a wonderful young man knowing his mother. You and your family our in our prayers. With much Sympathy,  
The Rinoski Family

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**CDR and Mrs.Ty Rinoski** - August 10, 2009 at 07:05 PM

MD

“ man i cant belive this happened ...i rember me and my brother mike who jus passed away by the same thing ..we would chill with jeff all the time...its crazy how this happens i goin to miss him alot he was like a brother 2 me and my bro mike....R.I.P JEFF WE WILL MISS U ...AND LOVE U

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**matthew drebitko** - August 10, 2009 at 01:18 PM

KP

“ *Everyday i wake up asking why you. You where so cool and never bother anybody you were always smiling and kept me starlight in english class and at work its just so hard to let you go. but until we meet again hun rest.in.paradise and promise you'll watch over me love you*  
*Kiara Janai*

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**Kiara Preston** - August 09, 2009 at 06:58 PM

DA

“ *JEFF!!.. MANN I REALLY REALLY REALLY WISH YOU WERE STILL HERE WITH US AND THAT I COULD SEE YOUR BEAUTIFUL SMILE AGAIN. JEFF YOU HAD THE BIGGEST SMILE I'VE EVER SEEN. I REALLY APPRIECIATE THE STUFF YOU HAVE DONE FOR ME. I DONT HAVE ANYONE TO TEXT AND ANNOY ANYMORE. AWWW I MISS YOU JEFF. R.I.P. BABY BOY!!!*

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**DANIELLE** - August 09, 2009 at 04:50 PM

DE

“ *Mr. Jeffery Devon Jackson*

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**Deborah Edmonds** - August 08, 2009 at 02:47 PM

MD

“ I Pray for the Jackson Family and Thank them for raising a great guy. Jeffrey was in The Men Of distinction with me and i remember the day we had a speaker come in. The man told us to raise our hands if we thought we were men. Jeffrey didn't raise his hand and got called on. He said He wasn't a Man yet. He Said a man Pays bills and Makes Mature Decisions and thinks about others over himself. I think he was a Man for saying that. I also remember how hilarious he was too. Go to God for comfort not With anger but with the humble ways of Jeff.

Micah Davis - August 07, 2009 at 07:54 PM

T-

“ God bless the family. I love you Ms. Kat and Brion

Towanda Robinson -Moss - August 07, 2009 at 09:14 AM

CL

“ when i sit and think about this man it makes me sad we lossin so much man he was wa to young im just happy he was saved but jeff was a good guy mad chill its a shame he gone

chris lee - August 03, 2009 at 01:41 PM

NA

“ -Gone But Never Forgotten.Jeff you will Bee Truelyy Missed;+&& To See You Gone It Brings Tears To All.Rip. and Blessings to Jeff'sz Family.

Nasia - August 03, 2009 at 12:41 PM

BH

“ Jeff was like a son to me. He had a smile that could warm anyones heart and a kindness that would make you want to be his friend . When he would come into the classroom, he would always take my arm and say, Ms. Hawk, did you miss me?" I could only smile and say, "Jeff, you know I did, now stop playing and take your seat." I will truly miss his warm smile, his joy, and his laughter. I will miss reading the poems he loved to write and instructing him to take his seat. I will miss him walking up to me in the mornings and taking my arm in the hallway. I will miss him calling me mom and most importantly, I will miss him.

To the Jackson's family, especially his mom (who he loved so dearly), please know that we have a loving God and He does not make mistakes. We may not understand why this tragedy had to happen but rest assures that Jeff will never feel any more hurts nor pains this world may offer . Jeff is not gone, he is only resting in the arms of our loving and caring God.

God bless each of you in your time of sorrows and pains. My family and I hearts, thoughts, and prays are with each of you. Be strong and know that you are not alone during this time.

With all of my deepest sorrow,  
Barbara Hawk

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**Barbara Hawk** - August 03, 2009 at 11:07 AM

GT

“ TO THE FAMILY OF A NICE YOUNG MAN MAY GOD BLESS YOU IN THIS VERY SPECIAL TIMES.

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**george taylor** - August 03, 2009 at 10:13 AM

AH

“ We had soooo much fun together. You always stayed positive and made me laugh. You were the best boyfriend a girl could ever want. You never did anything to hurt anyone. I remember the night you told me you loved me, i was shocked. We had alot of memories and they will still be kept in my heart. I did and still do love you and will see you when it's my time.

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**Ashley Harris** - August 03, 2009 at 08:24 AM

NH

“ jeff im will miss yuh! he was da best!!! i will always love and remember him!!

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**natasha harper** - August 02, 2009 at 09:25 PM

NR

“ I didn't really know Jeff, but i still feel so much grief that this happened. I wish his friends and family happiness, and I truly know that they will get through this. RIP Jeff, we will miss you. Always know you were loved at Woodside and you always will be.

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**Natalie Rumer** - August 02, 2009 at 09:07 PM

MI

“ Uhh where do iStart. ? Jeff was ah gudd person, he would always look out for me.His time was cut short bu now he's in ah better place.Just thinkingg bak on the times when we use to fuss for no reason, or he would give me ah dollar:), bu ill never forget his big smile nd his sweet spirit.Yu will never know how much yu where lovd until now.iLuvv yu Jeff, nd i know if yu where still here yu would want everybody to be happy.Nd may god bless the family, this is a new start nd god has not given up on them.

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**Minnie** - August 02, 2009 at 08:42 PM

VR

“ you where too nice. you left too soon but everyone has their calling. too the family i hope that you all stay strong.

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**victoria Rodrigues** - August 02, 2009 at 08:34 PM

TR

“ Jeff, imma miss you my nigga, it seems like yesterday, forreal dough u is da realest nigga i probably would eva meet.. u was cool wit everybody..i love you jeff and imma miss u neva goodbyes, just see yu later gone but never forgotten r.i.p jeffery devon jackson

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**taliana rosario** - August 02, 2009 at 08:31 PM

AS

“ Wow. When I heard what happened, I didnt believe it. I didnt want to believe it. "Why?" I asked myself. Jeff was a very nice person. A person I said hi to everytime I saw him in the halls. I believe he shined his light on everyone else. Im going to miss saying hi to you everytime I go to busch. Ima miss you Jeff, but I know your in a better place now. Look down on us and protect us. I know people are gonna do what they can to make you proud. Your family is in my prayers. I love you & miss you jeff. Rest In Peace

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**Ashilei** - August 02, 2009 at 08:18 PM

CB

“ *"The righteous perish and no one ponders in his heart; devout men are taken away, and no one understands that the righteous are taken away to be spared from evil. Those who walk uprightly enter into peace; they find rest as they lie in death" Isaiah 57: 1-2. Rest In Peace, Jeffery Devon Jackson. You are GREATLY missed. Thanks for always keeping a smile on your face to help brighten up mine. Woodside won't be the same without you. You are loved and cherished.*

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**Christine Bosch** - August 02, 2009 at 08:18 PM

JM

“ *~WOODSIDE HIGH SCHOOL 08/09~*

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**Jasmine Mathis** - August 02, 2009 at 02:12 PM

JL

“ *When I think of Jeff, I think joy...*

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**Jared Lilly** - August 02, 2009 at 09:44 AM