

OBITUARY



Sgt. Da' Jon Zyair Richards departed this life and stepped into eternity on Saturday Dec. 30, 2023 in Beaufort, SC. He was born on August 9, 2000 to the loving parents Daniel A Richards of Meriden, CT and Miss. Maria T. Maybank of Bridgeport, CT.

Sgt. Da'Jon Richards was born and grew up to the age of nine in Branford, Connecticut. He attended Early Learning Center in Branford, Connecticut and Mary R. Tisko Elementary in Branford, Connecticut, where then he moved to West Palm

Beach, Florida and attended Manatee Middle School. He furthered his education and graduated from Boca Raton High School in Florida.

Da'Jon was a very lovable person from a child to his adult age. Everyone he met, touched, or ran into he played a special part in their lives. He was a mama's boy. He loved his mother, and at the age of 11 she started training him to become a soldier where she enlisted him into the Young Marines, and that's the beginning of where his career started.

As a kid Sgt. Richards was a devoted soldier. When he was in high school he tested very high on ASVAB where he then picked his forever job in becoming a firefighter for the Marines. July of 2018 is when he went off to boot camp after completion of boot camp he then went to Texas to train to be an aircraft firefighter. After that he spent three in a half years in Japan. He then came home and was stationed in South Carolina where he became a Sergeant of the Marines. He then met his girlfriend, Fatima Texon, sadly they both gained their wings.

He leaves to cherish his loving memories, his father, and his nurturing loving mother, 3 sisters, Jasmine R. Moore, Destiny U. Cassonova and Alanna Martinez, 3 brothers, Amari Q. Greenland, Davon Soto Richards, & Daniel Mason Richards Jr. His maternal grandmother Bertha Maybank. Paternal grandmother and grandfather Rema Adams and Donovan Richards. Host of nephew and nieces, aunts and uncles family and friend's.

He is preceded in death by his maternal grandfather Benjamin W. Maybank, Aunt Beverly Maybank, Cousin Beverly Ann Maybank, Great Grandfather Freddie Maybank, 2 great uncles Johnny Maybank and Joseph Maybank, great uncle Michael Adams, 4 great aunts Ellen Smallman Flint, Orie Maybank Hall, Sheila Maybank.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

| Musical Selection | Barbara Joyner |
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| Prayer of Comfort | David Forman |
| Old Testament | David Forman |
| New Testament | |
| Musical Selection | Lisa Brown |
| Poem | |
| Obituary/Acknowledgements | Brigitte Maybank-Smith |
| Remarks/Tributes | Open 2mins |
| Musical Selection | Barbara Joyner |
| Eulogy | Timothy Maybank |























































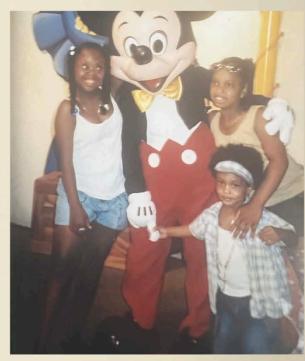
























































Cousin

We've made a lot of memories Throughout our childhood days.

No worries in this great big world.

All we did was play.

I knew you would have my back;

That I could count on you.

Even now since we've grown up, I know that still is true.

I can't even remember

The first time I saw your face;

But I do know within my life

No one can take your place.

We're there for each other, And we will be to the end.

By blood we our cousins;

And by our hearts we're friends

-Shaniqua Cooper

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Sgt. Da'Jon Richards would like to take a moment to express with heartfelt thanks for all your prayers, calls and all other expressions of love and concerns shown to us during our time of bereavement.

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