

# Obituary

December 4, 1940- December 21, 2022

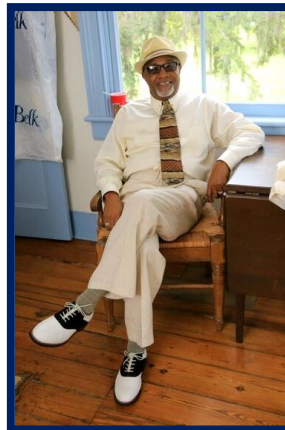
Mr. Harold Jimmie Sanders, Jr., of Columbia, South Carolina, departed this side of heaven on Wednesday, December 21, 2022. He was born on December 4, 1940, in Knoxville Tennessee, and was the only child of the late Harold Jimmie Sanders, Sr. and Corine Coffey.

Educated in the public schools of Knoxville TN, Harold graduated from Austin High School in 1960, and joined the military only four days later. A proud veteran of the United States Army, he served our country honorably from 1960-1985, as a Drill Sergeant, Infantryman, and fought in the Vietnam War. After leaving the military, he made Columbia, South Carolina his home. He then went on to work as a manager for Defense Finance and Accounting Service, until retiring for good in 2006.

In his spare time, Harold enjoyed spending time with his wife and family. He loved watching his South Carolina Gamecocks play, win or lose. He also loved watching movies, attending church at Bible Way Church of Atlas Road, shopping, and traveling anywhere a car would take him, since he refused to get on a plane. Harold loved to laugh and could light up any room with his presence. He was a gentle and loving husband, a great dad, and a trusting friend who will be greatly missed.

Harold Sanders, Jr. is preceded in death by his parents. He leaves behind to mourn his passing: his wife, Eureka Marie Sanders; his children, Kimberlee Sanders, of Atlanta, GA, Harold Lynn Sanders, of Nashville. TN, Harold J. (LaShaun) Sanders II, of Charleston, SC, TaraJee Weedon (Dwayne) Hudson and Tamera Weedon, both of Columbia, SC, of Columbia, SC; a host of grandchildren; extended family, Trelia Mack, of Columbia, SC and Oscar West, Jr. of Washington; many other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss him dearly

# Memories



# Order of Service

- Prelude
- Opening Hymn
- Old Testament – Psalm 23: 1-6 ..... Minister
- New Testament- Luke 23: 41-43 ..... Minister
- Prayer of Comfort..... Minister
- Selection..... “Total Praise”
- Poem ..... Ms. Tamera Weedon
- Remarks..... Mr. Harold J. Sanders II  
Mrs. TaraJee Weedon-Hudson  
Ms. Kimberlee Sanders
- Selection ..... “Take Me To The King”  
*(recording by Tamela Mann)*
- Words of Comfort.....Minister David Johnson, Jr.
- Recessional
- Postlude



# Committal, Benediction and Interment

2:00 p.m.  
Fort Jackson National Cemetery  
4170 Percival Road  
Columbia, South Carolina

*His Journey's Just Begun*

By: Ellen Brenneman

Don't think of him as gone away  
His journey's just begun,  
Life holds so many facets  
The earth is only one.  
Just think of him as resting  
From the sorrows and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years.  
Think how he must be wishing  
That we could know today  
How nothing but our sadness  
Can really pass away.  
And think of him as living  
In the hearts of those he touched.  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And he is loved so much.

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Harold Jimmie Sanders Jr., would like to express our deepest gratitude for the outpouring of love and support given to us, during this difficult time. We are forever grateful for your blessings, prayers, and kindness. May GOD continue to bless you all.

Love Always,  
The Family

**Services Entrusted To:**

**Taylor Street Chapel**  
1831 Taylor Street  
Columbia, SC 29201  
(803)771-7799

I. S. Leevy Johnson  
-Owner & Director-

**Leevy's**

FUNERAL HOME

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-President & Managing Director-

**Lower Richland Chapel**  
9120 Garners Ferry Road  
Hopkins, SC 29061  
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Leverette A. Williams, II  
-General Manager-

In  
**Honor**  
of your  
**Memory**



**1SG Harold Jimmie Sanders, Jr.**

**Thursday, December 29, 2022**  
**12:00 Noon**

**Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel**  
1831 Taylor Street  
Columbia, South Carolina

**Minister David Johnson, Jr.**  
-Officiating-