



Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn

May 12, 1970 - October 12, 2018

Derrick Ivan Dunn was born May 12, 1970 in Orlando, Florida to Doris Marie and Ira Lee Dunn.

Derrick Ivan Dunn grew up in a small-knit Community, Woodbridge Maitland, Florida. He later moved to Eatonville, Florida with his late grandmother, Helen Dunn. Derrick graduated from Edgewater High School in Orlando, Florida.

After graduation, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1990. After faithfully serving his country, he received an honorable discharge. He was awarded for his service: National Defense Service Medal, Letter of Accommodations, Sea Service Deployment Ribbon and Good Conduct Medal.

In 1996, Derrick joined the Department of Corrections, where he worked as a Correctional Officer until his untimely demise on October 12, 2018. His home institution was Central Florida Reception Center, where he was ranked as Sergeant.

Sgt. Dunn wanted to broaden his education, and enrolled in Seminole State College where he was studying Criminal Justice. Derrick toiled hard in school and was only one semester away from graduation.

Sgt. Dunn was an active member of New Salem Missionary Baptist Church

under the tutelage of the late Reverend Enoch Rivers.

Sgt. Dunn remained steadfast over the years and actively served his church with diligence. He served and led many boards including: the Senior Usher Board; Assistant Director of the Youth Usher Board; Assistant Clerk of the Church, Program Committee Member and filled-in any gap that he was needed. He loved his church and church family. Sgt. Dunn was also a member of the local Amvet, He was a member of the Roston Bullard Lodge #708 and Golden Star Chapter #49, OES.

Sgt. Dunn was preceded in death by his mother, Doris Marie Dunn, father, Ira Lee Dunn, grandmother, Helen Dunn.

Sgt. Dunn leaves to cherish his precious memories to: Fiancé, Tina Duck of Bronx, New York; like a daughter, Tinay Washington of Bronx, New York; siblings, Shannon Dunn Boyer (Erik) of Maitland, Florida and Daryl Dunn of Texas; one aunt, Emily Scott of Winter Park, Florida; one uncle, William Scott of Evanston, Illinois; four nephews, Rocky and Jaquan Dunn of Texas, Erik Boyer, Jr. and Jeremiah Boyer of Maitland, Florida; god-daughters, Sharsma Holmes and Mariah Holmes of Orlando, Florida; best friend, Morocca Holmes of Washington, DC; host of cousins, other relatives and sorrowing friends.

Cemetery Details

Eatonville Memorial Gardens

600 South Wymore Road
Eatonville/Maitland, FL 32751

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **19**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

New Salem Missionary Baptist Church
9600 South US Hwy. 17/92
Maitland, FL 32751

Service

OCT **20**. 3:00 PM (ET)

New Providence Missionary Baptist Church
7810 Albania Avenue
Orlando, FL 32810

Tribute Wall



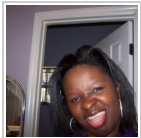
“ *Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Derrick and I served on the USS Saratoga, he is missed.*

Carl Levi - April 14, 2020 at 07:38 PM



“ *Pamela Tillison lit a candle in memory of
Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn*



Pamela Tillison - October 24, 2018 at 07:15 PM



“ *Derrick was my English classmate. He was the nicest guy you will ever meet. This news really shock me after just knowing his passing last night in class. My thoughts and prayers to his family. Rest in peace my friend.*

Karlyn Bartolome - October 23, 2018 at 06:06 AM



“ I SEND MY CONDOLENCES. HE WAS MY CLASS MATE IN ENGLISH THIS SEMESTER AND WE GOT ALONG RIGHT AWAY. HE WAS FIRST PERSON THAT TALKED TO ME IN CLASS. HE WAS A REALLY NICE PERSON! WE EXCHANGED NUMBERS TO KEEP IN CONTACT DURING THE SEMESTER AND I TEXTED HIM THE FIRST DAY HE MISSED CLASS. SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.

Desiree Ferguson - October 22, 2018 at 05:36 PM

DW

“ *Dr. Kenya S. Webb lit a candle in memory of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn*



Dr. Kenya S. Webb - October 22, 2018 at 03:57 PM

AM

“ *Alexander and Barbara Macdonell purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn.*



Alexander and Barbara Macdonell - October 20, 2018 at 10:29 AM

JB

“ *May you rest in peace my beloved co-worker, friend, mentor and brother... You will be missed.*

Janice (Jan) Battle-Brinson



Janice Battle - October 20, 2018 at 08:11 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn.*



October 20, 2018 at 07:59 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn.*



October 19, 2018 at 08:58 AM

DA

“ *I attended school with Sgt. Derrick Dunn and his sister Shannon. He was a quiet, humble, kind man. He was always willing to give of his self and believed in the spirit of community. He will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with the Dunn Family.*

Donielle Alexander - October 19, 2018 at 07:39 AM

Tronda Randolph

“ Growing up in Eatonville I first met Derrick and family they lived across the road from my aunt and uncle Carla and Willie Ed Bradford and we went to school together. He was always very humble and a nice young man. Never will forget him to the family I give you my deepest condolences loosing a sibling is hard I know first hand loosing one about five months ago. But, remember God needed him more and he knew best. So Rest on my friend until we met at the Heavenly Gates.



Tronda Randolph - October 19, 2018 at 06:04 AM

WR

“ The officers and members of Golden Star Chapter #49 OES PHA send our heartfelt condolences to the family of PWP Derrick Dunn.



WM Rentz - October 19, 2018 at 01:25 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn.



October 18, 2018 at 09:43 AM

SL

“ Brother Derick was a soft spoken man who would do whatever he could to make others happy and he loved God and his church family. His presence is already being missed at church.



Sharon Leonard - October 17, 2018 at 04:37 PM



“ May you rest in peace my friend 🙏



Latosha Demonia - October 17, 2018 at 04:33 PM

KW

“ Shannon and Eric, please accept my condolences on the passing of your brother/brother-in-law. It was an honor to have known him as my friend for such a short period of time. I will truly miss him. May God embrace and comfort you during this difficult time.

Dr. Kenya S. Webb

Kenya S. Webb - October 17, 2018 at 02:00 PM

Rhonda Zeigler-Mack

“ Rhonda Zeigler-Mack lit a candle in memory of Sergeant Derrick I. Dunn



Rhonda Zeigler-Mack - October 17, 2018 at 11:26 AM