



Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.

March 11, 1998 - January 16, 2020

Derrick Wilson Jr., known to many family and friends as “Pooh man,” earned his wings peacefully on January 16, 2020 at LRMC. He was surrounded by loving family. He was the youngest of 5 siblings. He was born on March 11, 1998 in Eustis, FL to Fatima Monroe and Derrick Wilson Sr.

Derrick attended Lake County Public Schools and was also a member of Speak the Truth Ministries under the leadership of Pastor Chris Likely.

Derrick (Pooh man) had a passion for cooking and baking. He also loved to listen to music, crack jokes and go fishing. If you have driven or walked down Glover Street, you would have seen Pooh man washing cars, socializing with friends, or just standing in his front yard. Pooh man had many friends but his mother was his choice of a real best friend. When you see Pooh man, you would have most likely seen him accompanied by his mother.

Derrick (Pooh man) was preceded in death by his grandparents, Benny Earl and Ollie Mae Marshall. He leaves to cherish all of his goofy and precious memories his mother: Fatima Monroe (Daniel); Father: Derrick Wilson, Sr. (Anna) of Ocala, FL; Special Parents: Wand and Mario Cameron of Eustis, FL; Grandmothers: Johnnie M. Ferguson of Miami, FL, Barbara Buggs of Eustis, FL. Grandfather: John Wilson of Wildwood, FL Sisters: Dominique Bostic and Danisha Wilson of Eustis, FL; Nieces: Paris Davis and Khali Johnson of

Eustis, FL.; Nephews: Christian and Cedric Longley of Jacksonville, FL, Bronx Waldo of Eustis, FL; God Parents: Sharon Douglas (Rudolph) Michelle Thomas, and Sonya Quashie. God brothers: Kreevon Maple, Syan Gilleslee; God sisters: Teyona Dennis and Bianca Green; Special Friend: JeKerra McCloud, Little Princess, A'miylaa McCloud. A host of Great Aunts, Great Uncles, Aunts and Uncles, Cousins, Nieces and Nephews, and sorrowing Friends.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olive Cemetery

Huffstetler Dr.
Eustis, FL 32726

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Everlasting Life Church of God
205 Palmetto Street
Eustis, FL 32726

Service

JAN **25**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Advancing The Kingdom Ministries
417 N. Grove St.
Eustis, FL 32726

Tribute Wall



“ *Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Clara Hardwick lit a candle in memory of
Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.*



Clara Hardwick - January 23, 2020 at 03:24 PM



“ *"My Chris" will be missed.*



Gail Isaac Thomas - January 21, 2020 at 06:01 PM



“ *Gail Isaac Thomas lit a candle in memory of
Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.*



Gail Isaac Thomas - January 21, 2020 at 05:58 PM

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“ Jackie B lit a candle in memory of Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.



Jackie B - January 20, 2020 at 11:21 PM

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“ Jackie B sent a virtual gift in memory of Derrick L. Wilson, Jr.



Jackie B - January 20, 2020 at 11:21 PM

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“ Derrick was the first patient to question me as to my purpose & intentions as a healthcare provider...& he was only a teenager at that time. He wanted for me to understand that nursing is not just a “job” & that he wasn’t just the “next” patient. He wanted for me to know what life was like for him. It brought me to tears. But, he had no idea how much I needed that. We shared a bond that some would never understand.

He could be so hard-headed & God knows, he kept me on my toes. Yet, I wouldn’t have traded him for anything in the world. I’ll miss him. But, I know that he’s at peace.

I am thankful for having had the opportunity to participate in his care. He knew that his “favorite nurse” loved him...& I always will. Praying for the family of my “Derrick” ❤️ May he Rest In Peace...

Cheryl Keeley - January 20, 2020 at 01:01 PM

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“ *I remember him as a little gentleman. I thank God for knowing him and knowing that he is free. No more pain. Peace and blessings to the family.*

Wanda Likely McLaughlin - January 19, 2020 at 11:06 AM