



## Jerry L. Thomas

April 4, 1958 - August 26, 2024

Jerry Lewis Thomas was born on April 4, 1958 in Apopka, Florida to Otis, Sr. and Elnora Thomas. However, Jerry always celebrated his birthday on April 1st, because he stated he was born on April 1st not April 4th. He was educated through Orange County Public Schools System. After completing high school, Jerry enlisted into the United States Marine Corps. Following an honorable discharge from the Marine Corps he worked as a laborer until his health failed him. Jerry resided in Apopka, Florida. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents: Otis Thomas, Sr. and Elnora Thomas; Brother: Chester Thomas, Sr. and Sister: Mildred Thomas Bolden.

Jerry leaves to cherish his precious memories to his daughters: Tamestress Thomas (Terrence) of Apopka, FL and Jerica Thomas of Harrisburg, PA; Son: Jerry Thomas of Harrisburg, PA; Grandchildren: Takeidria Thomas of Walnut Creek, CA, Quentyn Dowdell of Lake Mary, FL, Jaiveon Bell of Apopka, FL, Levi Dorsey, Jaylen Thomas, Genesis Thomas, Journei Thomas, Grayson Thomas, Jamari Thomas, Nakya Thomas, and Jakari Thomas all of Harrisburg, PA; Brothers Otis Thomas, Jr. (Andrea) of Apopka, FL and David Thomas, Sr (Lena) of Orlando, FL; special friend: Jacqueline Forrester of Longwood, FL and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Florida National Cemetery

6502 S.W. 102nd Ave,  
Bushnell, FL 33513

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 9. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel  
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.  
Apopka, FL 32703  
(407) 886-3388

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

PR

“ Pamela Rosado lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



Pamela Rosado - October 18, 2024 at 10:51 AM

TG

“ Toyea P Gunn lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



toyea p gunn - September 17, 2024 at 04:24 PM

DN

“ Dot Newsome lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



Dot Newsome - September 11, 2024 at 12:52 PM

WF

“ West Family lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



West Family - September 09, 2024 at 10:12 AM

DA

“ Dear Uncle J:  
The Lord is my shepherd I shall not want...Thank you for teaching me how to protect myself because you didn't want any harm to come to me "An Uncle". Boxing lessons with you as a kid I really didn't understand at that time but now I do. Love is protection which was your gift to me! So many memories flood my heart but my greatest thank you is that you shared your mother with me unselfishly!  
I pray you visit me in my dreams so I can say my personal bye for now. May you rest in heaven and give grandma a kiss for me by the way she loved when you would call and we talked about you when you hung up lol.  
Love Always and Forever "Your Nephew"  
David Jr

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David - September 06, 2024 at 10:38 PM

TG

“ Tenda Gunn lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



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Trenda gunn - September 06, 2024 at 06:24 AM

SS

“ Shaunelia Scott lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas



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Shaunelia Scott - September 05, 2024 at 07:48 AM

MJ

“ *Murlice Jordan,Nelson lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas*



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**Murlice Jordan,Nelson** - September 04, 2024 at 01:41 AM

MA

“ *Mary L. Alston lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas*



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**Mary L. Alston** - September 03, 2024 at 11:58 PM

TG

“ *Toyea P Gunn lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas*



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**toyea p gunn** - September 01, 2024 at 11:48 AM

MS

“ *MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas*



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**MONICA DENISE SCOTT** - August 28, 2024 at 08:59 AM

PG

“ *Patricia Grant lit a candle in memory of Jerry L. Thomas*



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**Patricia Grant** - August 27, 2024 at 08:15 PM