



# Rodney L. Rouse

June 15, 1971 - October 12, 2021

## SUNRISE

Rodney Lewis Rouse was born on June 15, 1971, to Robert Rouse (Deceased) and Annie Mae Huff in Augusta, Georgia.

## EDUCATION

Rodney was educated in the Lake County Schools and was a 1991 graduate of Groveland High School.

## CAREER

Rodney was employed with Circuit City Distribution Center for many years until it's closing. He then went to work for Dunkin Donuts Distribution Center for 15 plus years before leaving and obtaining his CDL which allowed him to pursue his passion of driving the big Rigs. At the time of his passing, he was a truck driver for Anthony Cecil Hardy Legacy Trucking (A company named after the man that he called Dad all his life).

## FAMILY

Rodney leaves to cherish his memories...His Mother, Annie Huff (Ralph) of Mascotte, Florida; Lifetime Partner, Ahmadra Stafford of Groveland, Florida; He was a true "Girl Dad" of 5 Daughters: Leilani Rouse, Raniyah Rouse, Aysia Rouse, Amar'e Rouse and Ryleigh Rouse, all of Groveland,

Florida; 5 brothers: Robert Rouse Jr. of Leesburg, Florida, Ronald Rouse of Leesburg, Florida, George Rouse of Mascotte, Florida, Anthony Hardy Jr. of Lake Wales, Florida and Frederick Hardy of Dundee, Florida; 2 Sisters: Carol (Stanley) Hardy Robinson of Mystic, Connecticut and Lisa Johnson

of Houston, Texas; 2 Aunts: Minnie Osborne of Waynesboro, Georgia and Lizzie Osborn of Brentwood, New York; 2 Uncles: Otis Osborne of Atlanta, Georgia and Bennie Osborne of Waynesboro, Georgia, and a host of Nieces, Nephews and loving friends.

## HIS A-1's

Jerry Russell, Kareem Dykes and Jerod Smith (Deceased), Rufus Dykes Sr.

## FAVORITE

Rodney loved spending time with family and friends (especially Madra and his girls). He was an avid football fan and loved those FSU Seminoles from his heart (Go Noles).

## SUNSET

There comes a time when we must say farewell, but faith, hope, love, and trust can never die. This new life which God has promised us began for Rodney on October 5, 2021, taking a lifetime of love and memories to Heaven with him. Our hearts are broken, and we will forever miss him, but we take comfort in knowing that God is yet fulfilling his promise from John 14:2 ~ In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. 3. And if I go prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

# Cemetery Details

## Edgewood Cemetery ~ Groveland

Groveland, FL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **15**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Greater Harmony Missionary Baptist Church  
1129 Parkwood Avenue  
Groveland, FL 34736

## Service

OCT **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Groveland, FL 34736

# Tribute Wall



“ Rodney L. Rouse

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM

MW

“ MARGIE WILKES lit a candle in memory of Rodney L. Rouse



MARGIE WILKES - October 14, 2021 at 11:21 AM

TF

“ The Cooper Family lit a candle in memory of Rodney L. Rouse



The Cooper Family - October 14, 2021 at 09:33 AM

JS

“ WEEPING MAY ENDURE FOR A NIGHT BUT JOY COMETH IN THE MORNING WE ARE PRAYING FOR YOU ALL DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME I PRAY GOD BLESSING UPON YOU. HOLD ON TO GOD UNCHANGING HAND



jonathan shaw - October 13, 2021 at 11:39 PM

AJ

“ Agnes Jarrett lit a candle in memory of Rodney L. Rouse



Agnes Jarrett - October 13, 2021 at 08:46 PM



“ To Rodney's family. my name is Dwayne McTaw, Sr, I met Rodney, many years ago ,when he first started working at then, Circuit City Distr. Warehouse, up in the Bulk Mods. Instantly we became good friends, talking about sports and life, like most men do( ha.ha). one day a beautiful young lady, caught our eyes, and we did what some men do. Debating who will get to speak with first. End of story, he won. But he and that young lady, was blessed with a beautiful angel, baby girl. As i visited them .they welcomed me as a brother, into their home. I have never stopped thinking about them, although my life has taken a bad turn for worse, the memories, of him and their daughter, "Lani", has never been distant from me. I finally was able to reconnect, with his daughter and her mom. Who have kept me posted on him. I've been in Miami, FL for a very long time. it sadden my heart, when the news got to me. With other passings ,happening all at the same time. It is my desire to come up ,pay true respect to his family. He was a very good friend, even if we had different teams of choice. my prayer for the family is, Be comforted in the Lord, knowing that ,he is not suffering any more. May God comfort your hearts and give you peace, AS we all remember all the good and positive memories, we have shared. LOVE and blessings to all his family and friends

Dwayne L McTaw, Sr

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Dwayne McTaw Sr. - October 13, 2021 at 12:26 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rodney L. Rouse.



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October 12, 2021 at 09:53 PM



“ Katina Evans Wilson lit a candle in memory of Rodney L. Rouse



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Katina Evans Wilson - October 12, 2021 at 08:04 PM

VS

“ Vera Shepherd lit a candle in memory of Rodney L. Rouse



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Vera shepherd - October 12, 2021 at 07:12 PM