



Rufus Hicks, Sr.

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Rufus Hicks, Sr., 83, of Chattanooga, passed away Friday, October 17, 2025, at his residence. He was born February 5, 1942 in Newnan, Georgia. He was employed by U.S. Pipe and retired after many years of service.

Rufus was preceded in death by his mother, Annie Hicks; aunts, Lula Wright and Doris Little; uncles, Clinton Wright and Fletcher Little.

Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Barbara Hicks; sons, Dr. Corey Hicks of Conyers, GA and Rufus Hicks, Jr. of Snellville, GA; daughters, Sheral Ware of Montgomery, AL and Sharon McReynolds of Chattanooga; 8 grandchildren, Torey Hicks, Sr., Simone Hicks, Connor Hicks, Corel Hicks, Britteny McReynolds, Taliyah Douglas, Terek McReynolds, and Kayla Ware; 6 great-grandchildren, Torey Hicks, Jr., Emery Hicks, Jade Hicks, Alasia Hicks, Khaleah Sanford, Kamari Ragland, and Alex LeFew; sister, Janice Little of Chattanooga; several nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives; extended family, Hedi Hicks, Brandi Benson Hicks, Kenneth Ware, Michael Stevenson, Aaron Douglas, Carla Hicks, Blanche Walker, Timothy Wright, Tiffany Huffaker, KC Dixon, Anthony Dixon, Wanda Dixon, and Elizabeth Hicks; and many friends.




Rufus will lie-in-state on Friday, October 31, 2025, from 1-5 p.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Saturday, November 1, 2025, at 12 noon in the Chapel with Dr. Corey Hicks as the Eulogist. Burial in Lakewood Memory Gardens.

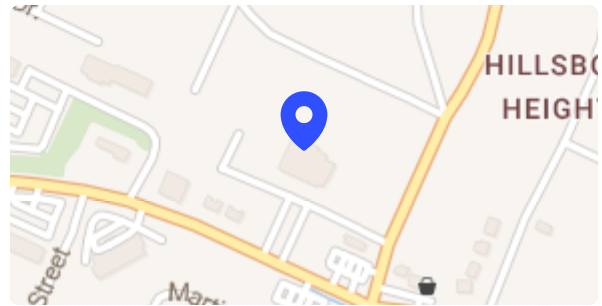


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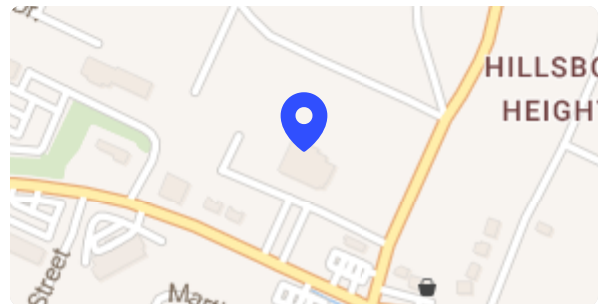
Lie-In-State

-  **Friday**, October 31, 2025
-  1:00 PM - 5:00 PM ET
-  **Taylor Funeral Home**
3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411-1076






Funeral Service

-  **Saturday**, November 1, 2025
-  12:00 PM - 1:30 PM ET
-  **Taylor Funeral Home**
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Burial

-  **Saturday**, November 1, 2025
-  2:00 PM - 2:30 PM ET
-  **Lakewood Memory Gardens East**
4621 Shallowford Road, Chattanooga TN 37411



Cemetery Details

-  **Lakewood Memory Gardens East**
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Tribute Wall

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Sophie King lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

My deepest condolences to the family

October 31 at 1:57 PM



Stanley And Beth Boddy sent an Arrive in Style to the Hicks family.

October 31 at 12:23 PM



Britteny McCreynolds shared a photo to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.

October 31 at 10:01 AM



Britteny McCreynolds shared a photo to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.

October 31 at 10:00 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Hicks family.

October 30 at 2:44 PM



Greg Robinson lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

The Robinson Family send its deepest condolences and love to the Hicks Family. Greg Robinson

October 29 at 9:50 PM





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Diane Williams lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

Praying for peace and understanding that only God can provide. We love you
.....Diane, Maurice and Reece Williams!

October 29 at 8:25 PM



Diane Williams lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

Pra

October 29 at 8:23 PM



Diane Williams lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

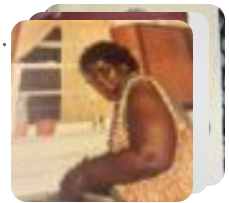
Praying for peace and understanding that only God can give. We love you
all...Diane, Maurice and Reece Williams!

October 29 at 8:22 PM



Britteny McCreynolds shared 3 photos to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.

October 18 at 8:10 AM



Britteny McCreynolds shared 3 photos to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.

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Britteny McCreynolds shared 6 photos to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.

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October 29 at 10:43 AM



Sandra Jordan lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

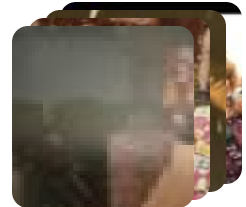
Praying for Hicks Family



October 29 at 10:31 AM



Britteny McCreynolds shared 4 photos to the **Rufus Hicks Family Photos** album.



October 18 at 8:10 AM



Britteny McCreynolds shared an album called **Rufus Hicks Family Photos**.



October 18 at 8:10 AM



Daphne Ashley lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

Sending my deepest condolences to Mrs. Barbara/Rufus Jr./Sharon and Sheral/Corey and the entire family. Lord, please wrap your loving arms around the family during and afterwards this time. Love you all!!!



October 28 at 11:55 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Hicks family.



October 28 at 10:34 AM



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MC

Mrs. Rosa Clack sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Hicks family.

October 28 at 6:10 AM



MC

Mrs. Rosa Clack planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Rufus.

October 28 at 6:10 AM



FF

From Your Rheem Family sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Hicks family.

October 27 at 4:45 PM



AF

Anthony Jelks And Family. lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 27 at 12:23 PM



MD

Mary Davis lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

My deepest condolences to the family. May continue to keep you is my prayer. Know that the Lord watches over you in your time of sorrow and will comfort you.

October 27 at 10:47 AM



CC

Cassandra Cooper lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 25 at 5:11 AM



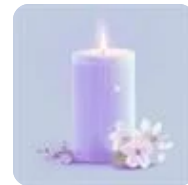


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Wilson Meadows lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

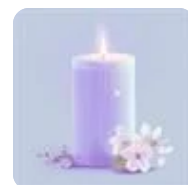


October 24 at 4:04 PM

WM **Wilson Meadows** October 24 at 4:07 PM
My Deepest Condolences to the Family



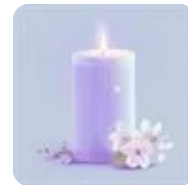
Vincent Hatten lit a candle in honor of Rufus.



October 22 at 3:30 PM



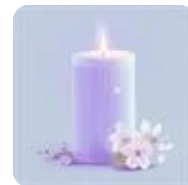
Sophie R King lit a candle in honor of Rufus.
My deepest condolences to the family



October 21 at 2:56 PM



Renee Martin lit a candle in honor of Rufus.
Sharon, Sheral and family, I send my condolences to you all on the passing of the patriarch of your family, Rufus Lee Hicks, Sr. Eternal peace
Sir:dove_of_peace::dove_of_peace:



October 21 at 5:13 AM



Vincent Hatten lit a candle in honor of Rufus.



October 21 at 12:06 AM



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Beverly Sales lit a candle in honor of Rufus.



October 20 at 5:44 PM



Marinda Sanford posted:

We send our deepest condolences to you all. God, please wrap your arms around this family and let them know that you are still God. I ask that you give Ms. Sharon, Brittney, Khaleah & Kamari comfort during this time. With Love, The Sanford Family

October 20 at 3:41 PM



Tanya Warren sent a virtual gift in honor of Rufus.



October 20 at 12:16 PM



Pamela Griffin posted:

Sending my condolences to the Hicks family at this of bereavement.

October 20 at 11:21 AM



Daphne Moore sent a virtual gift in honor of Rufus.

My condolences to the Hicks family



October 19 at 5:52 PM



James Ford Jr lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

In Loving Memories of Mr Rufus Hicks May U Reside N the House of the Lord Forever



October 19 at 3:49 PM



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BJ

Brigitte Julian lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

Sending my condolences for your loss. May God grant each and everyone of you peace during this time.:pray::skin-tone-4:

October 19 at 12:28 PM



ST

Stephanie Talley lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 19 at 12:13 PM



GD

Gloria J Daniels lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 19 at 11:13 AM



SM

Sharron Sims McClarty lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 19 at 11:02 AM



MW

Melanie M. White lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

October 19 at 8:12 AM



LO

Lyn Mcmath-Owens lit a candle in honor of Rufus.

Praying for Rufus, Jr and entire family.

October 18 at 8:10 AM





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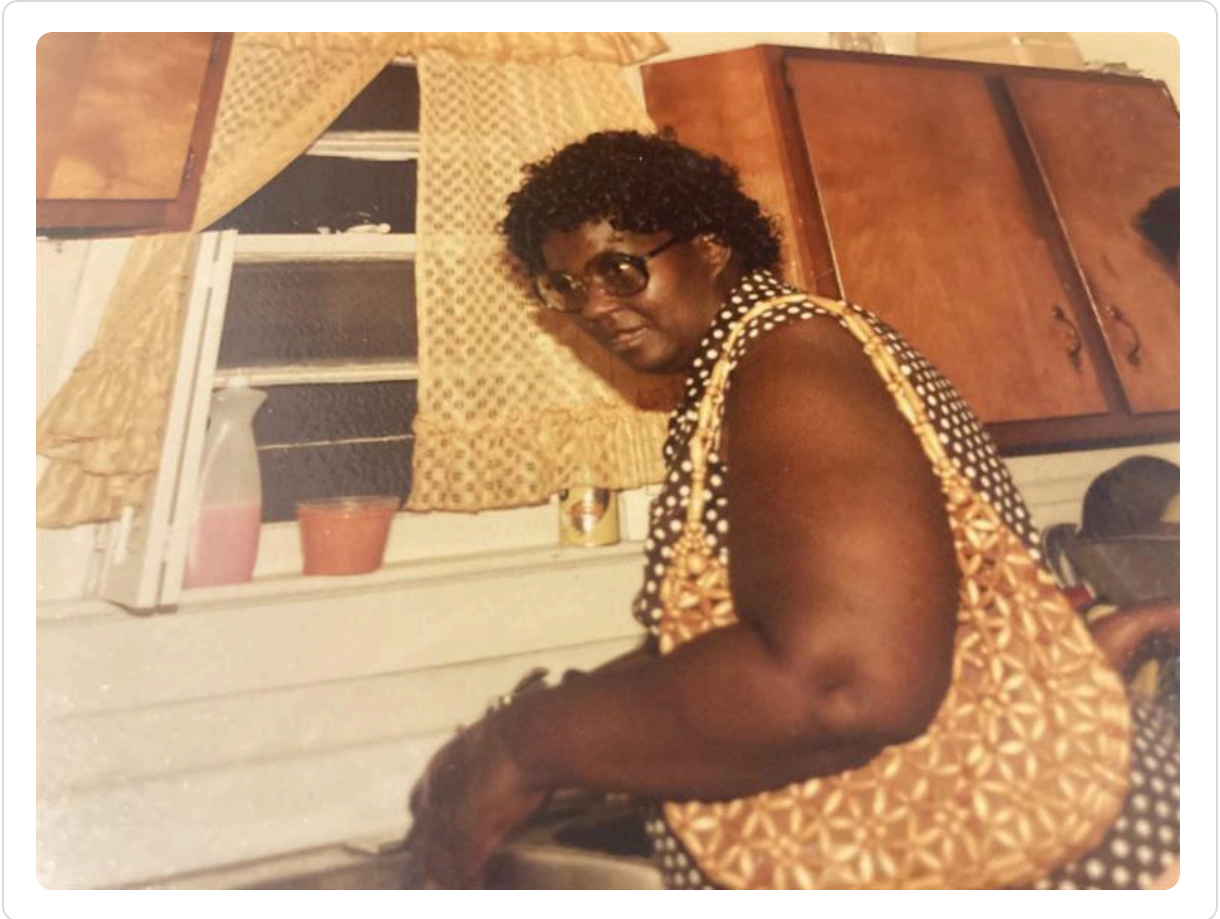
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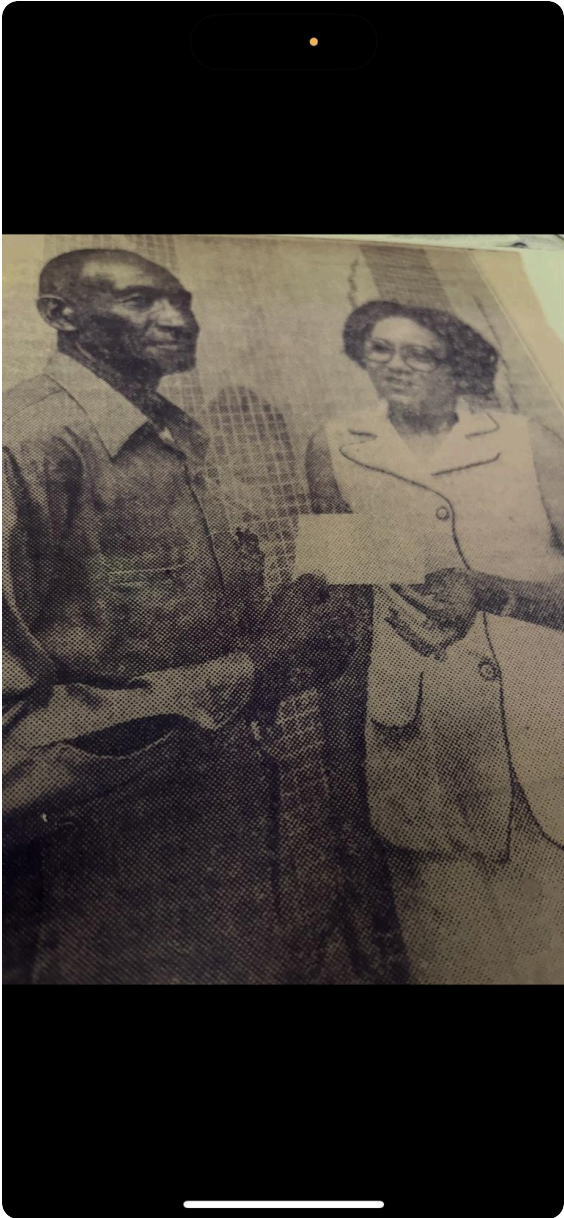
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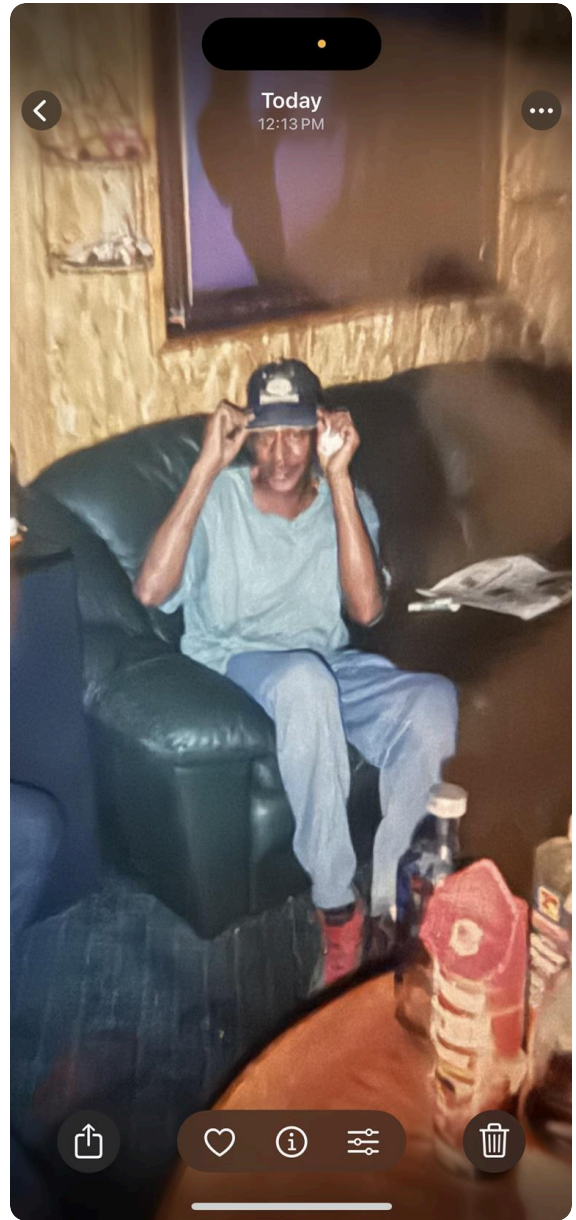
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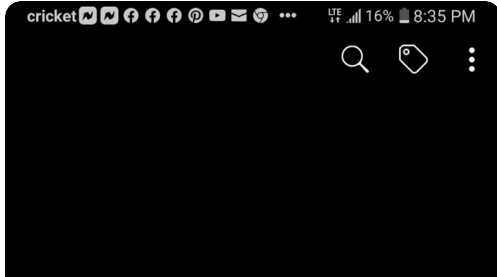
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Ashley Nicole
YESTERDAY AT 10:53 PM

Britteny McCreynolds and 4 others 2 Comments

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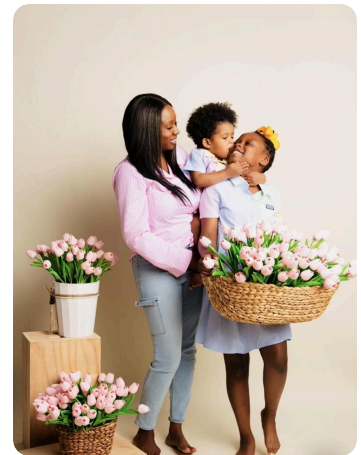
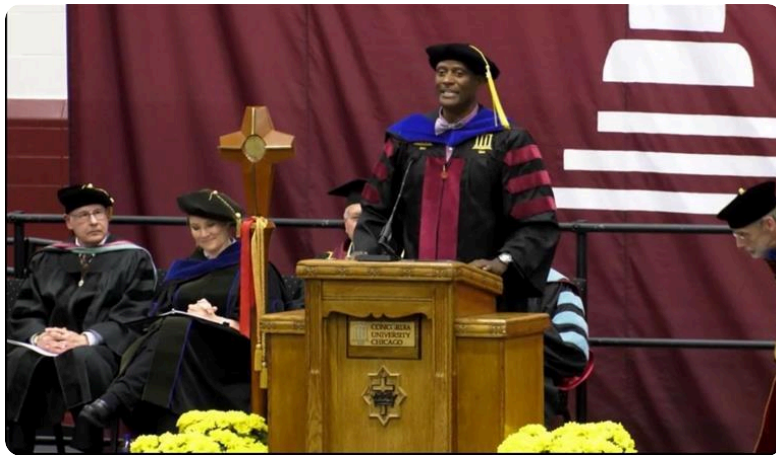
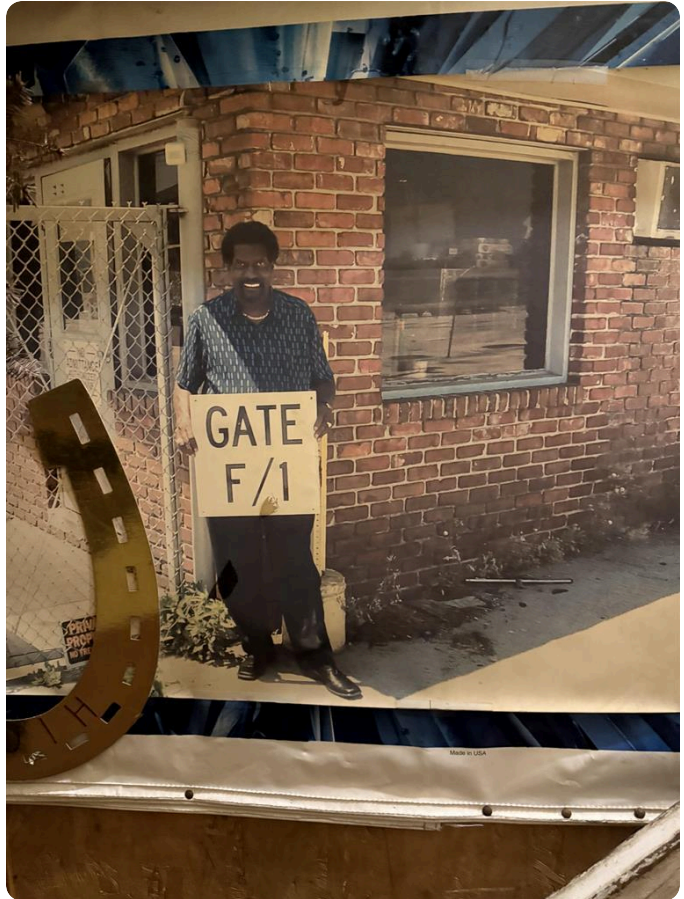
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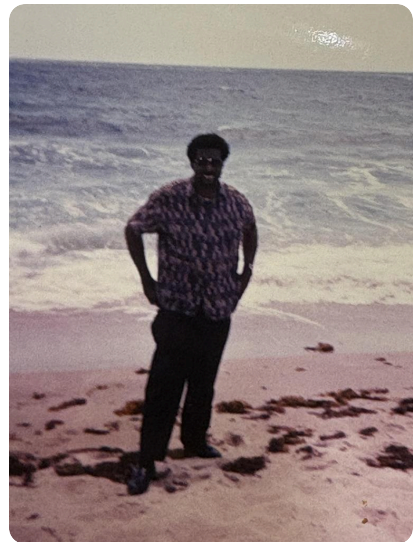
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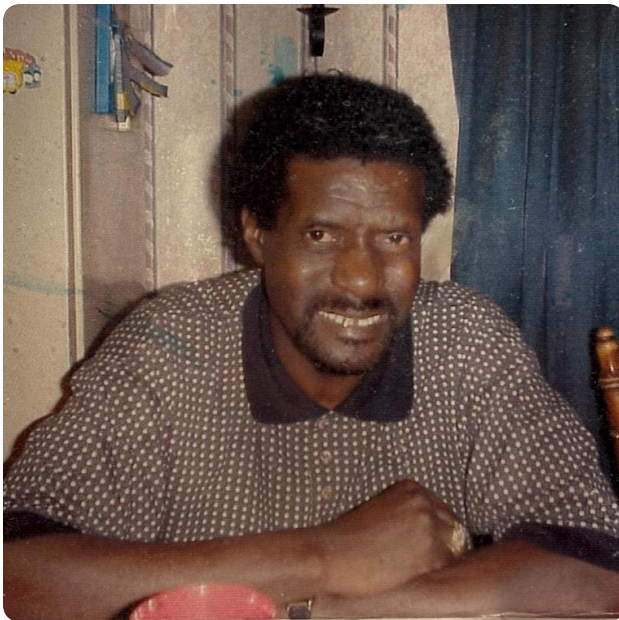




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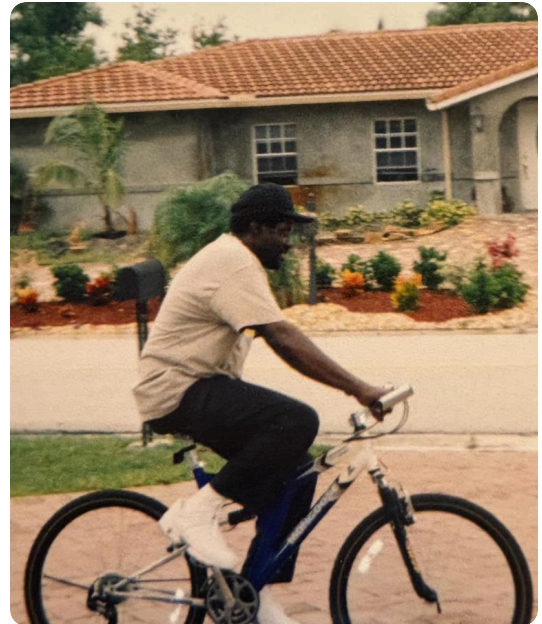
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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rufus by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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