



## Rickey J. Murray

October 7, 1960 - January 18, 2015

Mr. Rickey J. Murray was born on October 7, 1960 to the late Otis C. Murray, Jr. and Doris Ann Brown Murray, in Anniston, Alabama.

Rickey received his high school education at Anniston High School in Anniston, Alabama and was a member of the proud "Class of 1979". He also attended both Auburn and Jackson State University. Mr. Murray was employed by United States Air Force and Department of Veterans Affairs and after 31 years of devoted service he retired. He was a member of Friendship Baptist Church.

Rickey was united in Holy Matrimony to Desiree Allen on February 9, 1985 at Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, Alabama. From this union came two sons: Eric, and Desmond.

Mr. Murray departed from this life on January 18, 2015 at his home in Prattville, Alabama. He was preceded in death by his parents; son Desmond Murray; uncles and aunts: Darnell Murray, Roosevelt Murray, Willie Mae Murray, Mary Elizabeth Burke, Kattie Goodman and great-niece; Brooklynne Murray.

He leaves to cherish his memories his wife Desiree and son Eric Murray of Prattville, AL. Two brothers: Randy Murray of Anniston, AL, and Ronald (Debra) Murray of Grovetown, GA; brother-in-law Frank Allen; uncles and aunts: Thelma Hadley of Anniston, AL; Doris Lewis of Birmingham, AL, Davis Murray of Columbus, MS and Larry (Janette) Murray of Chicago, IL; nieces and nephew: Stephanie and Saniyah Murray of Jackson, MS; Ronald (Latoya)

Murray Jr. of Irving, TX and a host of other family members and friends. He also leaves three special cousins to cherish his memories: Diane Russell, Dreke (Keisha) Hendrix and Wynika (Eddie) Palmer.

A viewing will be held at Ervin Funeral Chapel, Anniston, AL on Friday, January 23 at 6 p.m. The funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 24 at Friendship Baptist Church, with the burial at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 24 at Prattville Memorial Chapel and Memory Gardens.

# Cemetery Details

## Prattville Memory Gardens

841 Fairview Avenue  
Prattville, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ervin Funeral Home  
Anniston, AL

## Service

JAN **24**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Friendship Baptist Church  
Anniston, AL

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Rickey J. Murray.



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“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you all during your time of loss; May God bless and keep you all. I am so thankful to the Lord for allowing me to visit with you all, with much love and prayers Glory Perkins Cook.*

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