



Sammie D Morrison

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Deputy Chief Sammie D. Morrison

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Sammie D. Morrison was born in Kossuth, Mississippi on October 6, 1939, to the late M.C. Morrison and Bertha Lorick Morrison Riddles. He was affectionately called "Mr. Sammie" by those who knew him and loved him. He received his education in the Detroit, Michigan school system.

Mr. Sammie was a man of many talents who lived many lives-82nd Airborne Paratrooper, business owner-Morrison Kitchen and Bath, barber, basketball player while in the military, recruited by the Cleveland Guardians, aka Cleveland Indians Baseball Team at the age of 17, and before living out his dream of having a "House on the hill for all people", he served in the Washington DC Metropolitan Police Department where he rose from Patrol Officer to Deputy Chief of Police. It was early in his career as a MPD Patrol Officer "Walking the beat" that Mr. Sammie learned that policing and arresting people didn't necessarily change the heart of people, but that a deeper work, an arresting of the heart, was needed. By being one of the founders of the South East White House, he was able to see his dream come true, as countless men and women had their hearts arrested by Jesus, and thereafter were never the same.

The family has asked that, in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the DC Dream Center (DCDC). Click the link (<https://dcdreamcenter.com/donate/>) to donate to support the work of the DCDC and allow Mr. Sammie's legacy to live-on through new generations of people, equipping them to reach their God-given potential.

Celebration of Life services will be held on Tuesday, May 9th as follows:

- Viewing 10 AM followed by the Funeral Service at 11AM at Dupont Park SDA Church, 3985 Massachusetts Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20019
- Interment 2PM at Quantico National Cemetery, 18424 Joplin Rd, Triangle, VA 22172

Cemetery Details

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18424 JOPLIN ROAD
TRIANGLE, VA 22172

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Dupont Park Seventh-day Adventist Church
3985 Massachusetts Ave SE,
Washington, DC 20019

Funeral Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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Washington, DC 20019

Tribute Wall



“ *JuWan Wright lit a candle in memory of Sammie Morrison*



JuWan Wright - May 05, 2023 at 07:46 PM



I'm one of the people whose life was altered by the support and dedication of Sammy Morrison and I'm forever grateful. Thank you, Sammie. Katherine M Johnson

Katherine M Johnson - May 25, 2023 at 09:09 AM