



## Mr. Rodney Eugene Powell

July 24, 1967 - January 19, 2019

Rodney Eugene Powell was born in Kano'i, Hawaii on July 24, 1967 to Doralethea (Charles Rodgers) Powell-Rodgers and the late Robert T. (Marguerite) Powell. Rodney departed this life on January 19, 2019. After moving to Lexington as a young child, Rodney and his family began attending Wesley United Methodist Church. This is where, at an early age, Rodney gave his life to Christ and accepted Him as his Lord and Savior. In 1986, Rodney graduated from Bryan Station High School where he had run on the track team, played baseball and excelled at football. That summer he joined the United States Army and earned the rank of Sergeant during his seven years of dedicated service to our country. After leaving the military, Rodney attended and later graduated from Eastern Kentucky University. After earning his degree, he worked for the Federal Bureau of Prisons at Blackburn Correctional Institution and later at F.M.C.

Rodney was passionate for playing spades, he was an avid Kentucky Wildcats and Pittsburgh Steelers fan. He was the life of the party and every family gathering. He would always say, especially to his cousins, "we need to keep in touch with each other!"

In addition to his father, Rodney was preceded in death by his brother, Robert T. Powell, Jr. and his faithful K-9 companion, Chico.

He leaves to cherish his memories, his wife, Stephanie Powell; five children, Kennedy Powell, Rodney M. Powell, Jah'mari Clay-Graham, Kierra Wayne and Kiana Davis; his mother, Doralethea Powell-Rodgers; his grandmother,

Jerelene Johnson; three brothers, Jamaal Powell, Jeffrey Rodgers and Shawn (Amy) Mundy; mother-in-law, Norma Brown; brother-in-law, James Jackson; aunts, Carolyn Steed, Peggy (Larry) Arnold, Jannifer (Rorger) Cornelius, Jerelene (James) Greenlee, Tommie Caulder, Charity (Warfield) Hill, Rose (Garfield) Sewell, Ida (James) Smith, Bobbie Lawson, Carolyn Shy, Lucille Newby and Dedra (Robert) Williams; uncles, Roger Johnson, George (Sylvia) Powell, Douglas (Marilyn) Powell, Art (Jessie) Powell, and special uncle, Ronald (Vickie) Johnson; a host of cousins, other relatives and very special friend, Charles (Missy) Raglin, and special friends, Ben Perry, Gary "Quiz" Quisenberry and Joel Griffin.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **26**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Wesley United Methodist Church  
1825 Russell Cave Rd  
Lexington, KY 40511

## Service

JAN **26**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My wonderful father. Love and miss u so much* ”



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