Perry Joseph Sr.

June 7, 1947 – May 3, 2024



 Perry (Alvin) Joseph Sr. was born June 7, 1947, and entered eternal rest on May 3, 2024, with his family by his bedside at the VA Hospice in New Orleans. A native of Vacherie, LA, and a resident of Edgard, LA.

 Husband of Patricia Joseph for 48 years; father of Erin Joseph of Edgard, LA, and Perry Joseph Jr. (Tiffany) of Laplace, LA; four grandchildren: Brandon J. Matthews, DaJanea Gatlin, DaMarcus Joseph, and Darrian Joseph; three great-grandchildren: Dylan Matthews, Channing Matthews, and Casen Washington; five Godchildren: Jasmine Young of Lafayette, LA, Samantha Isom of Vacherie, LA, Quentilla Morton of Baton Rouge, LA, LaNetria Joseph of Vacherie, LA, Kendall Smith of Edgard, LA, and Taylon Priestely of Edgard, LA; and a host of nieces and nephews.

 He was the son of the late Olivia and Ferdmon Joseph Sr.; brother of Mary C. Jackson (AJ) of Baton Rouge, LA, Theresa Williams (Wayne) of Vacherie LA, Uncle Elroy Steib (Elaine) of Vacherie and the late Dorothy Mae, Quentin, Melvin, St. Martin, Fermond Joseph Jr., aunt Beatrice, Josephine, Lydia, and Uncle Paul. He was the son-in-law of the late Ferdinand and Lorraine Young. Brother-in-law of Anna Smith (Gilbert), Joyce Pierce, Rene Young, Ronald Young, Lonnie Young, and the late Sharon, Grant, Rose, and Ferdinand Jr.

 On June 8, 1947, he was baptized into the Catholic Faith of St. Philip Catholic Church of Vacherie, La. He graduated from Magnolia High School, Class of 1967. At the early age of life, he was drafted into the United State Army from June 7, 1967, until October 23, 1973. He was assigned to 2 /504th infantry 82nd airborne division. He also was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Parachute Badge, the Vietnam Service Medal, and the Purple Heart. He was Honorably discharged after being wounded in the Vietnam War.

 A public visitation will be held on Friday, May 10, 2024 at Treasures of Life Funeral Services, 315 East Airline Hwy., Gramercy, LA 70052 from 5PM-7PM. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, May 11, 2024, at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 2349 LA-18, Edgard, LA 70049. Visitation beginning at 8AM with Mass to follow at 11AM. Interment at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Cemetery.

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