



Mr. Jack Royce Ellison Sr.

March 19, 1943 - April 2, 2023

Jack Royce Ellison Sr., 80 accepted the Master's call on Sunday April 2, 2023. Affectionately known to children, grandchildren & great grandchildren as "Big Daddy," "Jackson" and "Big Boy" and several other friendly names. Jack was born on old First Avenue South in Texas City, Texas on March 19, 1943. He was the third child of Bruce (Ned) and Ruby Ellison. He was named by the only doctor then that would come on the southside and treat patients (Dr. Leonard Twidwell). Jack was 4 years old when the Texas City Disaster occurred in 1947. He attended Booker T. Washington Elementary school all the way through high school graduating in 1960. He enrolled at Huston-Tillotson College (University) in 1960 and graduated with a Bachelor of Liberal Arts in 1964 and a certificate in Tailoring from Texas Southern University. Jack married his high school sweetheart Marcia Richards (Ellison) on July 28, 1962. To this union four children were born Dawnette, Derrick, Jack Jr. and Jenah. Jack was a man of many professions, his first job was at a Youth Job Corp in Saginaw, Michigan as a teacher and counselor, he spent several years there then he and his family moved to San Mateo, California where he taught school for several years. In a move to get back to Texas he accepted a job at Todd's Shipyard as a Repair/Maintenance person, he worked in this capacity for 10 years before going on to work at Penreco Oil Company where he retired from in 2007 as one of the Chief Operators. In his leisure, he enjoyed spending time on his ranch, raising cattle and quarter horses as well as buying and selling cattle.

Jack is preceded in death by son: Derrick La’Royce Ellison, grandson: Skyy Shallah Mashongamhende, parents: Bruce & Ruby Ellison, siblings: Bruce Ellison, Sherril Ellison Sr. and Gail Ellison Dottin. He leaves to mourn in passing, wife: Marcia Ann Ellison, children: Dawnette Ellison-Bell, Jack Royce Ellison Jr., and Jenah Ellison. Grandchildren: Marcee George (Chauncey Sr.), Gerald Skinner (Arbernell), Jeremy Roberts (Tina), Keolla Martin (Brian), Jordon Guitry, Devin Ellison, Sydney Ellison, Jady Ellison, Jaylen Ellison and Journey “Johnni” Mashongamhende. Great grandchildren: Chealcy George, Mackenzie Mills, Chauncey George Jr., Ryu Roberts, Leo Roberts, Madison George and Rio Roberts. Siblings: Lynn R. Ellison, Gertrude Hogan, John T. Ellison (Sandra), and Charles Ellison (Bonnita), Aunt: Vertis M. Blevins and a large host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Jack never met a stranger

Cemetery Details

Hayes Grace Memorial Park

10708 TX-6
Hitchcock, TX 77510

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

West Haven Church Of Christ
1515 29th Street North
Texas City, TX 77590

Celebration of Life

APR 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Jack Royce Ellison Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 01:51 AM



“ *Mr. Jack was a decent, hardworking man and child of God. May your soul rests peacefully with your parents, siblings and son, Derrick, my lifelong best friend.*

Vanessa Avie - May 05, 2023 at 05:53 PM

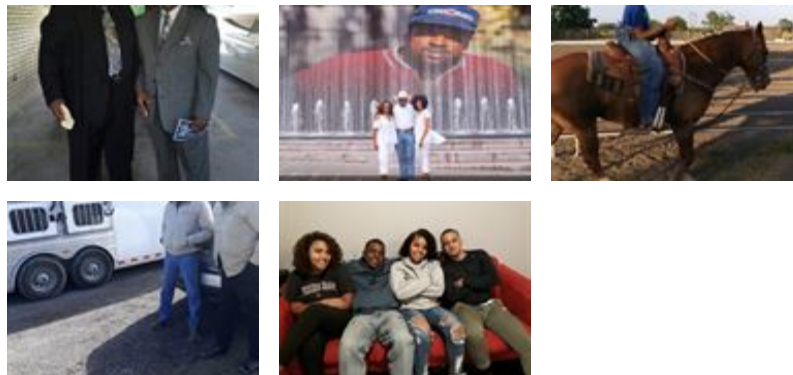


“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire Ellison family. Mr. and Mrs. Ellison were always so nice to me. It is no surprise that today's service was standing-room-only. The family will remain in my prayers as they mourn the loss of Mr. Ellison. -- Gretchen Whitmire*

Gretchen H. Whitmire - April 10, 2023 at 08:57 PM



“ *31 files added to the album LifeTributes*



McBride Funeral Home - April 09, 2023 at 04:46 PM

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“ *To the Ellison Family I am sorry for the loss of your father; please accept my condolences.*

Herschell Wilson - April 09, 2023 at 12:23 PM

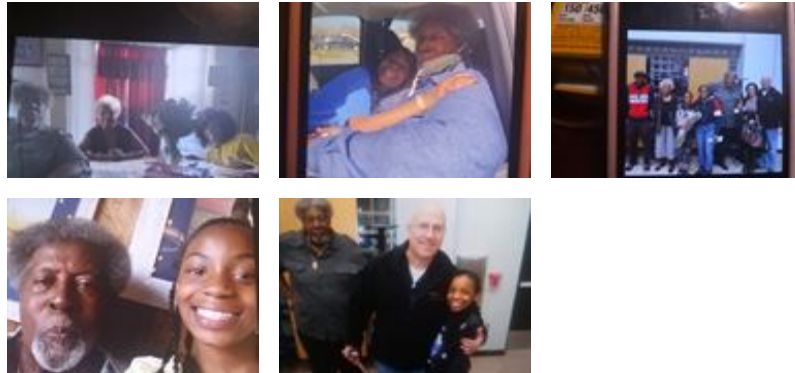
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To the Ellison family my thoughts and prayers are with you all praying for the family

Deloris Johnson - April 10, 2023 at 08:28 PM



“ *44 files added to the album Life Tributes*



McBride Funeral Home - April 09, 2023 at 09:39 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Jack Royce Ellison Sr..*



April 06, 2023 at 02:41 PM

KB

“ We love you Big Daddy! I’m forever indebted you will truly be missed! ❤️ xoxo ~Keolla Estelle



Keolla Bell-Martin - April 06, 2023 at 01:41 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Jack Royce Ellison Sr..



April 06, 2023 at 01:29 PM

DB

“ Daddy, Thank You so much for the man you was, a brother, husband, father, grandfather, uncle and a friend. You never met a stanger, talking was a true gift to you, I'm going to truly miss you, but I know, God does not make a mistake.

Dawnette Bell - April 06, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ Divine Light was purchased for the family of Mr. Jack Royce Ellison Sr..



April 06, 2023 at 12:48 PM