



Mr. Eric Gaines Sr.

August 3, 1975 - August 28, 2024

Eric “Scooter” Dewayne Gaines Sr. was born on August 3, 1975, in Little Rock, Arkansas to Barbara Jean Boyd Gaines and Theodis Gaines. He departed this life on August 28, 2024, in Little Rock, AR.

On June 26, 2003, Eric married Katrina McKinney. They were married for 21 years until his death. During their union, they became parents to two sons, Eric Jr., and Keyshun.

He is preceded in death by his mother; Barbara Jean Boyd Gaines, Grandparents; Ed Boyd Sr., and Georgia Boyd, three uncles, Ed Jr., Lester, and Danny Boyd; aunt, JoAnn Boyd, father and mother in laws, Robert, and Faye Hart; one nephew DeAngelo Boyd; and two cousins; Miquel “Tron” Boyd, and Steven Howard. Eric accepted Christ at an early age.

Those mourning his passing but cherishing many memories; wife Katrina “Trina” Gaines, his sons, Marquise, Eric Jr, and Keyshun Gaines, all of Little Rock, AR; a grandson, Eric Gaines III; his father, Theodis Gaines of Little Roc, AR; three sisters, Julonda (Chris), Marlo, and Tangela Boyd all Little Rock, AR; three aunts, Linda (Howard) Gilbert, Cynthia (Jerry) Akins, and Angela Slade all Little Rock, AR; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives and friends. Three special friends, James Nichols, Reginald Daniels, and Clarence McCullough.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

DL Boyd Funeral Home, LLC
10600 Train Station Dr.
Mabelvale, AR 72103
(501) 246-5913

Service

SEP 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

The Mercy Church
8705 Scott Hamilton Dr.
Little Rock , AR 72209

Tribute Wall

FF

“FKC Pine Bluff Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..



FKC Pine Bluff Family - September 04, 2024 at 01:18 PM

TC

“Tiffany C. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..



Tiffany C. - September 04, 2024 at 01:11 PM

TC

“Tiffany C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..

Tiffany C. - September 04, 2024 at 01:11 PM

ME

“Melissa, Jennifer, stephanie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..

Melissa, Jennifer, stephanie - September 04, 2024 at 12:56 PM

ME

“ *Melissa, Jennifer, stephanie purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..*



Melissa, Jennifer, stephanie - September 04, 2024 at 12:56 PM

MF

“ *Marlo Boyd and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..*



Marlo Boyd and Family - September 03, 2024 at 08:08 PM

LT

“ *Little Rock Home Therapies purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..*



Little Rock Home Therapies - September 03, 2024 at 10:40 AM

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“ *From your work family #4415 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..*

From your work family #4415 - September 03, 2024 at 09:56 AM

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“ From your work family #4415 purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Eric Gaines Sr..



From your work family #4415 - September 03, 2024 at 09:56 AM



“ It's been a long time since I actually been around you, but to have seen you when I did when I got out was much like a bittersweet moment. We gone miss ya and you gone always and forever be in our HEARTS. RESTEASY COUSIN. LOVE YOU GUY ❤️🕊️



Tëëzy Tëe - August 29, 2024 at 07:25 PM

BA

REST PEACEFULLY Skoota🕊️🕊️

Bridgette Akins - August 30, 2024 at 02:31 AM

LY

Rest of up blood

Lynn - August 30, 2024 at 08:18 AM

CA

This is painful. Wow, my nephew isn't with us anymore. I do have great memories. One memory is when you was a baby lying in bed looking up at the light, cooing with a smile on your face. Kicking your lil legs with hands wiggling as to express happiness & contentment. Auntie you Skoota

Cynthia Akins - August 30, 2024 at 10:32 AM

CA

Auntie Love you

Cynthia Akins - August 30, 2024 at 10:34 AM

TH

Rest on cousin. Love you

tina Hussey - August 30, 2024 at 02:06 PM

PH

Rest in love cousin

Pamela Hunter - August 30, 2024 at 03:39 PM



Scooda, Scooda, Scooda! You called me 3 weeks ago, and not knowing that was our last conversation. But I thank God that we did get a chance to talk. It wasn't long, but we talked and we told each other "I love you!" That's all that matters to me. You are going to be missed by ALL of us. We Love You, Scooda!! Auntie Anna!!

Angela Boyd Slade - September 04, 2024 at 01:31 PM