



Korianno D McNeal

October 16, 1984 - March 4, 2020

Korianno D. McNeal passed away on Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital in Camden, NJ. He was 35 years old.

Born in Danville, IL, Kori joined the Minnesota National Guard and served our country in the United States Army. He deployed with the New Jersey National Guard in '04 -'05 with the 50th MSB, E Co. (Sutures) and '08-'09 102d CAV A Co. as a Combat Medic in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Doc Mack served selflessly as a Combat Medic providing medical care, instructing first responder courseware, and mentoring Soldiers and Colleagues alike. After his honorable discharge, he continued to instruct and manage the sustainment training for Army Combat Medics, Navy Corpsmen, Airforce Medtechs, NJ State Troopers, and many more first responders. He continued to serve his country as a Federal Employee for the Department of Defense. His love of learning led him to further his education by earning his Bachelor's Degree in Psychology from Rowan University in 2019.

Kori was a faithful son, brother, friend, husband, and father. His kindness and generosity touched so many lives. He loved spending time outdoors fishing on his kayak, cooking on his BBQ grill and smoker, and spending time at his cigar club. A true Soldier and veteran, Kori participated with many veteran events throughout the community. Above all, he loved being a father and was a devoted dad.

Preceded in death by his father Irvin McNeal, his mother Dara Love, his grandmother Lilla McNeal, his uncles Marlon McNeal & DeWayne Harris, his aunt Deidra Brooks, and his bonus mom Kay P Young, he is survived by his daughter Amaya McNeal, Olivia and Diego Ortega, his wife Lisa McNeal; Grandmother Mary Etta Harris; his brothers and sisters: Kenyetta McNeal, Irvin McNeal, Jr, Melissa (Steven) Brandon, Kynia Love, Khiemonte Love, Kiantas McNeal, Khadija Love, Keyanna Pankey, Kecia Young, & Deidre Penn as well as a host of nieces and nephews.

An Honor Guard Tribute will take place at 2:00 pm on Wednesday, March 11, 2020 at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mount Holly, NJ. Friends may visit with the family on Wednesday afternoon from 2pm – 6pm at the Funeral Home. Further arrangements and burial will take place in Danville, IL. Where Kori will receive Military Funeral Honors and be laid to rest in the Danville National Cemetery.

Rest easy Doc, we've got it from here. 'Til Valhalla. We love you.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 11. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels

438 High St.

Mount Holly, NJ 08060

(609) 267-0399

Tribute Wall



“ *Korianno D McNeal*

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Korianno D McNeal*

October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *I had the pleasure of working with Kori for the last two years at Ft Dix. He was always kind hearted and very knowledgeable of all the medical devices he has. He was always attentive to all the taskings I gave him. So sorry that his life was cut short. He will be missed. The McNeal family is in my prayers.*



Alan Mellen - March 11, 2020 at 12:25 PM



“ *The Shonibare Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



The Shonibare Family - March 11, 2020 at 09:20 AM

SR

“ Remembering a man who gave his all to help others and it was a pretty good fisherman to! Who am I going to go fishing with this year? Will miss you Lori, thanks for everything



Steven Roussel - March 11, 2020 at 08:40 AM

ML

“ I'm going to miss making light skinned jokes about you and overall just annoying you battle. Kori was one of the sweetest guys I know. He always took our clowning sessions like a champ, since AIT. My heart breaks for his daughter and family. Until we meet again battle.



Mary Lao - March 10, 2020 at 11:15 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.



March 10, 2020 at 11:10 PM



“ *Doc Kori, I will miss you brother. I'm very sorry we couldn't see each other these past 2 years. Always the consummate NCO, he earned the respect of his seniors, peers and subordinates. He definitely had my respect.*

Until we meet again.

Juan Villacis

Juan Villacis - March 10, 2020 at 06:32 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



March 10, 2020 at 02:07 PM



“ *Our condolences to the McNeal family; we send flowers called Enchanted Cottage from Diego & Olivia Ortega grandparents with Love Gloria & Lupe Ortega R.I.P. Korianno a great person.*

Lupe - March 10, 2020 at 01:03 PM



“ *Gloria O. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



Gloria O. - March 10, 2020 at 12:47 PM

MO

“ *MSG(ret.) Chris and Karen Orlando purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



MSG(ret.) Chris and Karen Orlando - March 10, 2020 at 09:44 AM

JP

“ *I remember working with Kori at the MSTC. He was a great man. He always was dedicated to making sure that the MEDICs all had the right training. I was sad to be laid off and no longer work with the MSTC crew. GOD Bless his family and my prayers go out to them.*



Jeanette Pelletier - March 09, 2020 at 07:00 PM

EB

“ I met Kori probably 10 years ago he taught my 68w refresher course. he kept it real, not overwhelming, and not over analytical. He helped the people who needed the extra help and was a true NCO even when wearing civies and doing his civilian job! Kori became my friend and a go to resource over the years! I could call him, or go over to the MSTC and ask for some props to help out our medics or see if we could use the course. He was a great guy, we talked about his family, we had talked about his Audi back then and switching over to the family mobile a few years later, we talked about deployments we had both been on and shared our experiences, we talked about fishing and hanging out. We just never got a chance to do that. I was just texting with Kori last Monday and he will defintely he missed! Kori see you when I get there brother!
1SG EJ Bongard

EJ Bongard - March 09, 2020 at 01:55 PM

TM

“ The Ramirez Family and Mom purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Korianno D McNeal.



The Ramirez Family and Mom - March 09, 2020 at 12:23 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.



March 09, 2020 at 11:57 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



March 09, 2020 at 09:43 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



March 09, 2020 at 02:54 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Korianno D McNeal.*



March 08, 2020 at 08:56 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Tom Byers, MOARNG, RET - March 08, 2020 at 02:18 PM

MB

“ *Kori loved relentlessly. He loved hard and was so giving to others. My little big brother had so many special qualities he shared with not only his loved ones but everyone he met. This is more than heartbreaking but I will lean on God to help heal this big whole in my heart. I will never forget you my sweet brother. Thank you to all of those on the east coast that has supported my brother and helped continue to mold him in the man he was. The McNeal family appreciates all of his military family and we thank you very much.*



Melissa Brandon - March 08, 2020 at 01:05 PM

CS

I'll miss you brother rest easy

Carlos Detres Sr. - April 03, 2020 at 08:33 AM