



Eric Drummond

January 27, 2021

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“ Eric was our next door neighbor for eleven years. He was kind and always there if anyone needed a helping hand. His military duty was greatly appreciated by all of us. He was proud of his service or our country. Our family will miss our friend and neighbor. Prayers to all of the family especially his beautiful children. God bless you all, Denise, Jackie and Drew Wilson.

The Wilson family - February 26, 2021 at 04:29 PM

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“ Although it has been many years, I remember when my uncle comforted me after my grandfather's death. His words were brief, but have been with me all these years.

My love and condolences to my cousins, aunts, and uncles.

Jade N. - February 21, 2021 at 09:40 PM

“ Eric A. Drummond, is the youngest son of the six kids born to Joe L. Drummond and Myrtle D. Drummond. Although quiet by nature, Eric, spoke volumes through his tremendous athletic abilities. However, upon graduating from high school, Eric's dreams of being an athlete gave way to his desire to join the military. As a Marine, he traveled extensively, was assigned to the elite Presidential detail, performed duties as an Embassy guard, and worked his way up to become a prestigious Command Chief. Of all the six kids, five of who joined the military, Eric was the only one to commit to his profession for 30 years--needless to say, he loved the Corp' and would spend the remainder of his life epitomizing duty, honor, country. Subsequent to his retirement, Eric began riding motorcycles which brought him tremendous joy and peace. As the youngest of the six kids, and a comrade in the military profession, Eric would regularly spend time with my family and I throughout my 24 years in the Air Force, giving us the opportunity to spend time debating on the utility of each of our Services, and reminiscing on our younger years! It goes without saying that you are gone too soon big brother, but as a wise woman once told me, tears, flowers, and "what if's" bring no joy to the dead, they are more beneficial to the living. Forever on my mind, always in my heart... rest brother, your suffering is over. "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms: and he shall thrust out the enemy from before thee; and shall say, Destroy them." Deuteronomy 33:27



Phyllis (Drummond), Maj (Ret), USAF - February 20, 2021 at 10:12 PM

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Phyllis ~

I am so glad to see the wonderful things you wrote about Eric...

*I first met Eric in Ghana, West Africa in 1985 ~
Even in retirement ~ he was still 150 % Marine ~
He was so proud of his accomplishments but at the same time, so
humble about the things he did..*

*He did love riding his motorcycles, and his bikes, working out, training
our dogs, and planting things.....He had a real green thumb and would
spend hours outside planting and weeding and watering and was
always excited to try new things... (He was always so proud when we
could eat vegetables from the plants he grew....)*

*He always grew the most beautiful flowers.... roses, sunflowers, and
iris'.....*

*He also had such a thirst for knowledge that he read books about
EVERYTHING, and then afterward he would tell me what he had
discovered... and if he found something that really interested him, he
researched it... for days.....*

*He was a lover of all kinds of music and movies....and of course...
Muhammad Ali.....*

*And he was artistic.... he was always finding a project.... painting
concrete... plastic... metal.... he kept journals and wrote poetry in
calligraphy ~ these were the things that calmed his soul...*

I am so very sorry for your loss.....

MAUREEN LAMBE-PRATER - March 19, 2021 at 07:08 PM

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*Hi Phyllis, this is your cousin Darrell, please contact me. I'm uncle
David's son in Spartanburg SC. (864)325-6933*

Darrell Young - May 16 at 08:30 AM