



## John Vernon Winfield

February 14, 1958 - October 4, 2018

John Vernon Winfield, 60, former employee of Buckman Laboratories, died Thursday, October 4th. John was preceded in death by his parents Lee and Loyce Winfield of Memphis. John leaves behind his son Wesley Austin Winfield of Tokyo, Japan, his daughter Brooklyn Winfield of Southaven, his siblings Michael Ellen Winfield (Jerry Alleck) of Newport News, VA, Katherine Lee Winfield, SCN of Louisville, KY and Robert Elton Winfield (Daisy Ramos-Winfield) of Miami, FL . John was a lifelong Catholic, a graduate of Memphis Catholic High School and attended the University of Memphis. He was a lifelong Tiger fan. As his children were growing up John served as coach for many little league baseball teams. John believed that being a father to his children was the greatest accomplishment of his life and he was always proud of the people they became.

Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Friday, October 12th at Canale Funeral Directors. Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, October 13th at Canale Funeral Directors with burial to follow in Calvary Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to the SCN Mission Office, Nazareth, KY 40048.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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## Calvary Cemetery

1663 Elvis Presley Blvd  
Memphis, TN, 38106

**OCT 12** **Visitation** 04:00PM - 07:00PM

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Canale Funeral Directors  
2700 Union Avenue Extended, Memphis, TN, US, 38112

**OCT 13** **Funeral Service** 10:00AM

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# Comments

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“ This Brooklyn of Hernando, his faithful, loving, extremely proud daughter. Unfortunately I cannot attend my own fathers services due to people inappropriately showing up that only ever spewed hate about him (his ex family) If anyone needs to get in touch with me you can reach me at 9013020950 My father was the best, most unconditionally loving, most caring, most protective, strongest, funniest man I will ever know and I do not know how I will live without my protector, the one person who has always only ever loved me Unconditionally, the one person I could go to and he was always there with open arms ready to embrace me. Two weeks before his passing he had told me I could come live with him. I so much looked forward to that. The last thing I told him was that I would be able to take care of him and myself both one day and that I loved him. I love my Daddy. I learned a lot over the years. He was the only man that looked at me completely purely. The only man I could fully trust. I remember when I was little, jumping in bed with him and lying on his chest telling him “You’re my favorite Daddy, I love you the most.” I also remember defending my father against relatives, maintaining “My Daddy is good, he is the best Daddy!” I remember how he always called me his Brooklyn Duck, to his last day, he told me “You will always be my Brooklyn Duck.” I will forever be my Daddy’s girl through and through until the day I join him. I know he is at peace with his parents and his loved one Julie, my miscarried sibling, other relatives and all of our wonderful pets.. Please pray I get through this and if you knew my father, please contact me. I have a void that is eating me whole.

Brooklyn - October 13, 2018 at 10:59 AM

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Vernon Winfield.



October 11, 2018 at 05:51 PM

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“ John was a good, good man. His greatest joy was being a father and having a family! He was a friend and brother to me for 50 years. And one of the most caring, funny and loving people I've ever known - the best!!  
I miss you, John!! Gods PEACE, Terry

**Terry G.** - October 10, 2018 at 09:30 PM



“ John was a great man, loving and caring he could always put a smile on someone's face he was my best friend love him to pieces all 3 of my kids and my 3 grandchildren called him uncle John he was a hero to my 5 year old grand daughter always hugging him when he got home and before he left to go have coffee I will ALWAYS remember and live by the advice John gave me RIP MY FRIEND I'm gonna miss you love you, Marsha

**Marsha** - October 11, 2018 at 10:28 AM

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Vernon Winfield.



October 10, 2018 at 07:13 PM