



Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston

February 16, 1966 - March 31, 2019

On Sunday, March 31, 2019, at the Prisma Health Parkridge Hospital, Gregory “Greg” Fitzgerald Livingston, age 53, departed his earthly home, claimed his heavenly wings, and took flight to a new life and new home with the Lord. Greg, as he was affectionately called, was born on February 16, 1966, in rural Salley, South Carolina. He was the son of the late Tempie Livingston Adams and Howard L. Jones, and the stepson of the late Reverend Marion C. Adams, Sr., and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alton (Mary B. Stradford) Livingston and the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie A. (Gladys Schofield) Jones. At an early age, Greg joined Antioch Baptist Church in North, South Carolina.

In May 1995, Greg earned an Associate Degree in Nursing from the University of South Carolina—Aiken School of Nursing. He was certified as a Registered Nurse in July 1996 by the South Carolina Nursing Board. Greg enlisted in the United States Army and served two years followed by active duty with the South Carolina National Guard, where he completed a tour of duty in Operation Iraqi Freedom and retired in 2005 with the rank of E-5 Sergeant. Greg’s military honors and awards included: the Army Commendation Medal, Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, Army Service Ribbon/Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, and the Expert Marksmanship Qualification Badge with Rifle Bar.

Following his college graduation, Greg's professional nursing career began at The Regional Medical Center in Orangeburg, South Carolina. He later worked at Fresenius Kidney Care, GEO Care, and Providence Hospital, all in Columbia. Greg was a compassionate individual and dedicated nurse. Greg's personality was golden: cheerful, charismatic, humorous, good-hearted, generous, and loving with family, friends, and neighbors. He never met a stranger, always helped those in need, and never expected anything in return. His soul mate was his wife, P.A., and the love of his life was daughter Anah.

His memories will always be cherished by his loving and devoted wife, P.A. Bennett of the home; daughter, Anah D. Livingston, of Columbia, South Carolina; sister, Joye J. Adams, of Greensboro, North Carolina; brother, John A. (April Robinson) Adams of Columbia, South Carolina; two stepsisters: Fermiko A. Drummings and Kayla A. (Lenwood) Scott of North Augusta, South Carolina; a stepbrother, Staff Sergeant (Retired) Marion C. (Nancy) Adams, Jr. of Arlington, Virginia; and a host of aunts, uncles, other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 8. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Palmer Memorial Chapel - Columbia
1200 Fontaine Place
Columbia, SC 29223
(803) 786-6300
palmermemorialchapel@gmail.com
<https://www.palmermemorialchapel.com>

Family Visitation

APR 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Public Viewing

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

Brookland Baptist Church
1066 Sunset Blvd
West Columbia, SC 29169
(803) 796-7525

Celebration of Life

APR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SH

“ Greg and I served together on our tour of duty in Iraq, roommates actually. We kept in touch, and even though months would pass without speaking when we spoke it was like we just spoke the day before. He called be out of the blue one day and tears were flowing because we got a chance to talk. We literally set a date to meet for lunch, but God called my brother home. Man I miss my brother! My battle buddy! Rest easy bro! Sgt Holmes “Junior”

Sinclair Holmes - July 03, 2025 at 07:40 PM



“ Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston

October 04, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ It's been almost three years without you. I miss you so much every day and I wish you were here to see the big things I'm doing. I will always try to make you proud. I love you so much Uncle Greg and I can't wait to see you again
- Lauren Mackenzie Smalls



Lauren Smalls - September 18, 2021 at 08:35 PM

JB

“ *Jocelyn Brewster lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



jocelyn brewster - May 27, 2019 at 06:56 PM

BB

“ *A joyful light has gone out. I will miss that impish smile and energy. Praying that God will grant you peace during this difficult time. My prayers are with you, his daughter and family. Prayers are being sent. Benetta gadegbeku Bell.*



Benetta G Bell - May 04, 2019 at 07:12 AM

LA

“ *Lauren lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



Lauren - April 24, 2019 at 08:33 PM

EF

“ *Emmit Gilliam And Family lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



Emmit Gilliam and family - April 09, 2019 at 12:16 PM

JF

“ *Julia (Henry)Graham And Family lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



Julia (Henry)Graham and family - April 09, 2019 at 12:15 PM

SP

“ *Sharon Praylow lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



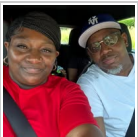
Sharon Praylow - April 09, 2019 at 10:38 AM

PA

“ *Greg was a great neighbor, he will be truly missed.*

Pam Selkinghaus

pam - April 09, 2019 at 09:32 AM



“ *Prayers go out to his family tonight. Greg will be truly missed by all of us. I worked with greg back in 2000 at Columbia Dialysis. Greg will always have you laughing. He was like a big brother to us at work. Greg will be truly missed by all and live in our hearts forever.*

Love Latisha Taylor

Latisha Taylor - April 08, 2019 at 10:04 PM



“ PA,
Heartfelt love and prayers for you and your family!

Karen Alexander

Karen Alexander - April 08, 2019 at 06:02 PM

CH

“ *In loving memory. May your journey continue to you final destination. In loving consolation to the family May the peace that passes all understanding cover and abide over they always a friend. Charlie Butler*



charlie - April 08, 2019 at 04:59 PM

SW

“ *Deepest condolences to the family... Many prayers of comfort #RIP My brother.... we will miss you*

The Wards

shawnee ward - April 08, 2019 at 03:50 PM



“ *Ringed by Love was purchased for the family of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston.*



April 08, 2019 at 02:37 PM

MS

“ *My deepest and heartfelt condolences to the family.*

Mark Sellers

mark sellers - April 08, 2019 at 11:16 AM

TD

“ *Tanae Dwight lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*



Tanae Dwight - April 07, 2019 at 06:50 PM

MF

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Joe (Deloris) Jefferson & Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston.*



Mr. & Mrs. Joe (Deloris) Jefferson & Family - April 07, 2019 at 04:07 PM

VB

“ *When I think of the goodness of Jesus and all he has done, my soul cries out hallelujah thank you Lord. During this time of sorrow I send my deepest condolences to my family. God saw that Greg was getting tired and weak so he gave him his reward. Rest on my dear cousin, now you have your Eternal wings. You're with mother may you Rest In Peace*



Vanessa Baxter - April 07, 2019 at 03:39 PM

PB

“ *Praying for the family*

Pansy T. Brown - April 06, 2019 at 08:58 AM

KB

“ *P.A., We were so very sorry to learn of Greg's passing. May God wrap you in His loving arms at this difficult time.*

Ken and Heather Bailey

Ken & Heather Bailey - April 05, 2019 at 01:46 PM



DS

“ *Diane Stewart lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*

Diane Stewart - April 05, 2019 at 03:46 AM



GW

“ *Gloria Williams lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston*

Gloria Williams - April 04, 2019 at 09:01 PM



GW

Be at peace my battle buddy; Company D 111th Signal Battalion.

Gloria Williams - April 05, 2019 at 08:49 PM

JJ

“ Joe And Deloris Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Gregory Fitzgerald Livingston



Joe and Deloris Jefferson - April 04, 2019 at 06:13 PM

JJ

“ Greg has always been very special to the Jefferson Family. We loved being in his presence, as there was always love and laughter each time we met.

It is with the deepest sympathy, that we convey our sincere family loss. Our prayers will definitely cover us all. God will give us strength, hope, and comfort, promising that a brighter tomorrow will surely come, according to Jesus' words.

Be in peace,

Joe and Deloris & the Jefferson Family - Pineville, S. C.

Joe and Deloris Jefferson - April 04, 2019 at 06:10 PM