



## Mr. Leon Pittman

May 24, 1955 - April 21, 2014

### The Obituary

Mr. Leon Pittman was born on May 24, 1955 in Halifax County, North Carolina late George W. Buffaloe and Bertha Lee Pittman-Buffaloe. He was educated in North Carolina and attended Martin Luther King Junior High and Eastside High Schools in Paterson, New Jersey.

His very first job was working with his father and younger brother James at Jax Carwash in Maywood, New Jersey. He then moved on to work for Asbury Packaging in Passaic, New Jersey where he was the foreman of younger sister Bessie. He later served as a maintenance supervisor at Fabricolor in Paterson, New Jersey for over 20 years and the Knickerbocker County Club in Englewood, New Jersey for 10 years.

On April 14, 1990 Leon married Winifred West and became the proud father of sons Tyshawn and Kareem. In December of 1995 he moved the family to Teaneck, New Jersey and welcomed daughter Ashanti and youngest son Tyler.

Mom Bertha described Leon as a very obedient child who was always willing to lend a helping hand when he was able.

Leon loved sports. His favorite teams were the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Knicks. He enjoyed watching NASCAR, he also loved fishing and music. He played a wicked game of golf but most importantly he loved travelling with his family. Myrtle Beach, South Carolina being one of the favorite vacation locations.

Leon peacefully entered into eternal rest on Monday, April 21, 2014. He is predeceased by his father Deacon George W. Buffaloe and best buddy John Johnson.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife Winifred West, sons: Tyshawn and Kareem West, Tyler Pittman, daughter: Ashanti Pittman, of Teaneck, NJ son: Leon Pittman, Jr. and granddaughter Miracle Pittman of Paterson, NJ. His dearest mother Bertha Buffaloe, sisters: Bessie, Cynthia and Vanessa Buffaloe all of Paterson, NJ, sister: Carolyn Clark of E. Stroudsburg, PA, brothers: James L. Buffaloe (Annabelle) of Pensacola, FL and brother Michael W. Buffaloe (Carmen) of San Diego, CA. Brother-in-law: Lescliff West (Doris) of Nottingham, England. Eight nieces: Priscilla Williams, Khiya Washington, Yina Clark, Natasha, Krystal, Mekeisha, Alyssa and Christina Buffaloe. Five nephews: Quaheem and Raheem Clark, Michael G., Quentin and Ravon Buffaloe. Three great-nieces: Lakaya Williams, Emily and Jada Clark, Three great nephews: Adrian and Aniche Meadows and Jaidyn Clark. Aunts: Lillie Wade (Isaac) of Tarboro, NC, Bessie Clark of Paterson, NJ, Mary Miller of Jacksonville, FL, Barbara Jean Dolberry (Fred) of Baltimore, MD, Maggie Edmonds (Haywood) of Charlotte, NC, Linda and Sarah Ann Pittman of Scotland Neck, NC. Uncles: Robert Pittman of Canton Ville, MD, Lee Pittman (Deborah) of Covington, GA, Rudolph Pittman (Doris) of Scotland Neck, NC along with a host of cousins, friends and Godmother Shirley Henley of Las Vegas, NV.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Teaneck  
1592 Teaneck Road  
Teaneck, NJ

## Service

APR **26** (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Leon Pittman*



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**Volk Leber Funeral Home** - April 25, 2014 at 12:56 PM



“ *Mr. Leon Pittman*

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October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ *Mr. Leon Pittman*

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October 08, 2023 at 06:27 PM



“ *Mr. Leon Pittman*

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August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ Dear Leon, I'll remember that beautiful smile, your great laugh, swapping stories.....I am among so many who have been missing you ever since you left Knickerbocker! We kept in touch via phone calls, too few, but that is my regret to bear. I was gonna make it my business to call on your birthday, woulda shoulda ....  
Dear Angie and all your children, I am so sorry for the pain you have suffered throughout and the lost feeling of now, there is never a time when we are ready to say goodbye. Then too, we never want our beloved to endure suffering. That's why thankfully,our beloved and our Great ONE make that decision. Im glad to have known your Dad, Husband and wish his soul great joy in his new life. I pray for all Gods' blessings to each and every one of you. May you know the comfort of being wrapped in the support and love of eachother as Leon and the Lord wrap their "forever love" around you.  
with love, cherie schroeder

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**Cheryl Schroeder** - April 27, 2014 at 03:54 PM



“ *Rest In Paradise Uncle Leon*

*Words of Condolence to my Family*

*Let not your heart be troubled...*

*In my Father's house there are many mansions...*

*And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself...*

*(John 14:1-3)*

*May God ease us at this hour of sorrow & surround us with His love. And may it bring us strength to know that our Father's house above is a house with many mansions where His Son has set aside special places near Him for His love ones to abide.*

*Love,  
Khiya*



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**Khiya Untitled** - April 25, 2014 at 11:00 PM

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“ *Our hearts go out to Leon's family. My husband Oneil Johnson, always spoke of Leon with affection. They were close buddies for many years while they were employed at Fabricolor. For Oneil, the world lost a very good guy, and a good friend when Leon left. May God bless the family now and always. Love, Oneil and Ginger Johnson.*

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**oneil johnson** - April 25, 2014 at 05:23 PM

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*God bless your family, Leon, Worked with you at fabricolor. Love bill hampson*

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**bill hampson** - April 26, 2014 at 08:45 AM