



Benjamin Christopher Kyles

September 26, 1961 - April 17, 2023

Benjamin Christopher (Mustafa) Kyles, 61, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on April 17, 2023 in Advent Hospital.

Benjamin was born in Evergreen, Alabama, to Sylester O'Leary Stinson and Benjamin Edward Kyles. He graduated from Escambia High School in 1979. He was recently involved in addiction recovery groups and Black Lives Matter.

Benjamin is survived by his

Former wife Debra Kyles of Ocala, Florida

Sister Prather Stinson of Federal Way, Washington, Niece Ayana Stinson (Princess) of Portland, Oregon, Nephew Afari Stinson of Federal Way, Washington

Sister Belinda Gest of Cleveland, Ohio

Sister Shawna Rasul Metoyer and Husband Johnny Metoyer of Nashville, Tennessee

Brother Benjamin E Kyles and wife Stephanie of Dayton, Ohio

Brother Bradford Kyles and wife Tiffany of Cleveland, Ohio

Step-mother Linda Kyles of Richmond Heights, Ohio

Son Carlos Jackson of Cleveland, Ohio

Daughter Lakishia Jackson of Cleveland, Ohio

Daughter Katina Jackson of Cleveland, Ohio

Cousin Kennie (Tiny) Lyons and wife Cynthia of Pensacola, Florida

A host of relatives in Brewton, Alabama, Evergreen Alabama, Pensacola, Florida, and Cleveland, Ohio.

He is preceded in death by his

Mother Sylester Stinson of Evergreen, Alabama

Father Benjamin Kyles of Evergreen, Alabama and Richmond Heights, Ohio

Son William Jackson and wife Heavenly of Euclid, Ohio

Memorial services will be held at Roberts Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, Florida, on May 9, 2023, at 2:00 pm, with Reverend Michael Liuzzi of The River at Ocala Church. Roberts of Ocala funerals and cremations will be handling the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Highland Memorial Park

1515 NE 3rd Street
Ocala, FL 34470

Previous Events

Memorial Service

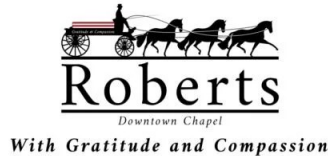
MAY 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Roberts of Ocala Downtown Chapel
606 SW 2nd AVE
Ocala , FL 34471

Tribute Wall



“ *Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations created a Webcast in memory of Benjamin Christopher Kyles*



Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations - May 09, 2023 at 09:10 AM

DW

I miss my friend! 🙏🙏🙏😞😞

Dr Linda Wilson - May 14, 2023 at 03:42 PM

LA

“ *Lillie Askew sent a virtual gift in memory of Benjamin Christopher Kyles*



Lillie Askew - May 19, 2023 at 11:37 AM

DK

“ *Thank you so much for sharing your thoughts and memories. Your words bring comfort and peace and honor the man who will remain in our hearts forever.*

Debra Kyles - May 09, 2023 at 08:56 PM



“ I remember meeting Ben for the first time when he was in jail in Boise Idaho with my husband my husband had had a major stroke and was in a wheelchair Ben took him to visit me, later h went to Bliss Idaho to visit us and we discovered that we're actually cousins he was all happy he looked at my husband and said "see Ed I told you we're family" he has a big smile on his face, love and miss you cuz, until we meet again

Gloria Graham - May 09, 2023 at 03:03 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Lillie Askew - May 09, 2023 at 02:14 PM

NH

“ Benjamin came into my life by accident. We were blessed with a little over 365 days of pure friendship. Not a day went by that we didn't talk or communicate in some way. Though we were on two different ends of the country, two different time zones and him three hours ahead of me...we would talk and share our lives with each other and the stories that made us unique and yet united. I truly can say we were friends and shared many commonalities.

Ben truly loved his family and children. He was extremely proud of each and every one of you and it came through in his stories. Ben leaves a legacy to celebrate all that is cherished in his glory. As each of you continue to remember him and his love, know that you carry a piece of him with you each and every day. I am keeping you all in prayer and asking our Heavenly Father to comfort you and give you strength to continue on.

Natalie Henderson - May 09, 2023 at 01:16 AM

MW

“ My sincere Condolences to his family. Chris had an eccentric lifestyle and enjoyed people. He will be missed truly.

Marie Wesley - May 08, 2023 at 09:56 PM

DK

“ 29 files added to the album Ben



Debra Kyles - May 08, 2023 at 12:12 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Benjamin Christopher Kyles.



May 08, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Benjamin Christopher Kyles.



May 07, 2023 at 09:51 PM

DK

“ 13 files added to the album Ben



Debra Kyles - May 07, 2023 at 07:17 PM

CF

“ I met Ben approximately 11 months ago and he were the most beautiful people! He could tell some stories about life and I really enjoyed them. We would sit and talk for hours and listen to music! He were articulate with his words and I sat patiently waiting to see what he were going to say next! He embraced me and told me to call him cuzz, even though I we're dating his 1st cuzz Perry and I really am going to miss cuzz! My sincere condolences 🌸 to his family! Until we meet again! Praying 🙏🙌💔

Cheryl Harrington friend - May 07, 2023 at 02:52 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Benjamin Christopher Kyles.



May 06, 2023 at 11:04 PM

FE

“ I met Ben when he lived in Southern California. I was instantly attracted to his brilliant mind! Ben taught me a lot about "thinking outside the box" and NOT to be judgemental. I am praying for his family and all that loved him.

May your ancestors receive and embrace you well my friend and may you rest in peace! I'll never forget you!

Felicia - May 05, 2023 at 04:43 PM

BK

That's awesome he was one of the smartest people I know he was very crafty

Bradford L Kyles - May 06, 2023 at 02:39 PM

LA

My deepest sympathy to the family ,so sorry

Lillie Askew - May 09, 2023 at 02:03 PM