



Sheldon Perrotte

May 24, 1940 - October 9, 2014

Sheldon Allister David Perotte was born on May 24, 1940 in Providence, St. David, Grenada to Allen and Bridget Perrotte. Sheldon attended the St. David's Roman Catholic School. After leaving school, Sheldon with his love for cars, became a motor mechanic, at which he excelled for many years before deciding to take to the seas as an attendant for a tourist cruise line where he worked for six years. At the end of this tenure, Sheldon returned to work for the Grenada Tire Service. In 1983, Sheldon met Ruby Simpson. It was love at first sight - they fell in love and were married the following year on April 25, 1984. That very year, Sheldon migrated to New Jersey in the United States where the union started their new life. Sheldon worked for Ajax Manufacturing Company as a machinist for thirty years. In 2007, Sheldon retired from Ajax. The family relocated here (to Ocala) where he quickly made friends with all those that came in contact with him. Sheldon was a hard worker, a consummate organizer who never left chores uncompleted and a caring person that possessed an alarmingly great sense of humor. Sheldon was eager to assist whoever he encountered that needed help. Because of these endearing qualities, he had no shortage of friends - people gravitated to him as steel to magnet. Sheldon's hobbies were: fishing, cooking Caribbean food, gardening and, of course, his favorite card game - Five Hundred Rummy. Sheldon will be greatly missed by all his family, friends and others whose lives he has touched. Sheldon is survived by; his beloved wife Ruby; children: Sharon, Dwayne and Allison; grandchildren: Renee, Justine and

Ava; great grand-daughter, Kiana; sisters: Valerie, Marcia and Theresa; brothers: Lloyd, Jude and Bertie; daughter-in-law, Toysa; sisters-in-law: Mathilda and Cynthia; brothers-in-law: Earlyn and Desmond; aunts: Dona and Daisy; uncle, Loftus. May his soul rest in peace.

Tribute Wall



“ *I would like to extend my condolences to the family. I have known Sheldon all of his life. I live in New York and am well known to all of Sheldon's family. I will miss my good friend. Best regards to his wife, Ruby and the rest of the family.*

Valentin Ochoa - October 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *May God grant you the strength to cope at this difficult time. Uncle "Shelly" will be greatly missed and by us here in Grenada.*

Oliver Francis - October 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sheldon Perrotte*

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