

Jeffery Willis (1958-2008)

Jeffery P. Willis, a former resident of Barstow, passed away Oct. 6, 2008 in Los Angeles.

Jeffery attended Barstow schools and graduated from Kennedy High School in 1977. While in school he was active in sports. He completed Oro Tech College in Klamath Falls, Ore., with a degree in accounting.

While in Barstow, he was a member of the Free Will Church of Christ. He subsequently moved to Los Angeles. He was employed by Entertainment Partners of Burbank and also was the owner of JPW.

He was preceded in death by his father, Elder Eddie Willis; and brother, Samuel.

He leaves to cherish his memory, mother, Eleanor Willis of Barstow; wife, Demetrius of Los Angeles; daughters, Amber of Los Angeles and Ladonna of Petersburg, Va.; son, Jester of Los Angeles; brothers, Paul Willis of Victorville and Johnny Rolling of Gardena; sister, Silvia Rolling of Inglewood.

Visitation will be held Friday, Oct. 17 at South Los Angeles Mortuary, 1020 W. 94th St., Los Angeles from 3 to 7 p.m. Funeral service will be Saturday, Oct. 18 at 11 a.m. at Sunnyside Baptist Church, 9317 South Budlong Ave., Los Angeles. 323-756-1453.

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