



## Jimmy Edwards

November 23, 1958 - September 13, 2012

Jimmy Edwards, Jr.

Jimmy Edwards, Jr., also known as JR, Bird, and Honey Boy was born November 23, 1958 to the union of Jimmy Edwards, Sr. and Margaret Haliburton-Moore in Dyersburg, Tennessee. His father Jimmy Edwards, Sr., brother Larry Neal Edwards and grandparents preceded him in death.

Jimmy attended elementary and high school in Maury City, Tennessee where he was reared by his grandparents Wellton and Freddie Haliburton.

He was an outstanding basketball player at Crockett County High School where he earned the nickname of "Bird" for his athletic abilities.

In the early 80s he moved to St. Louis with his Aunt and Uncle Leonard who helped him secure employment with (HOK) Architect where he remained employed for several years. He also worked several years for the Auffenberg Family until his health failed him. Shortly after his arrival in St. Louis, he moved to his mother's home on "Ruskin Street" where over the years he acquired the nickname of "Honey Boy" from his neighbors and friends. Jimmy made his final transition after several months of illness and being cared for lovingly by his Mother at their home on Ruskin.

Jimmy, JR, Bird, Honey Boy enjoyed watching old westerns and comedy shows. He also enjoyed working outdoors doing landscaping. He was gifted with the ability to do small home repairs and tinkering on cars for his family and friends. He would greet you with a smile and was always willing to lend a hand to those in need. He will be missed by all, especially his family and the residents of Ruskin Street.

Jimmy leaves to cherish his memory his Mother and caregiver Margaret Moore; Sister Vernita (Jeffery) Clay of St. Louis, Mo.; Three Sons, J. C. and Dereck residing in Tennessee and Tyrus residing in Washington, D.C; Daughter Keisha and Friend Danny residing in Atlanta, GA; several Grandchildren, Step-mother Betty Edwards; Step-sister Casandra (Jerry) Broadway, Step-brother Michael (Debbie) White of Fairview Heights, Illinois; Several Uncles, Aunts, Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Laurel Hill Memorial Gardens

2000 N. Pennsylvania Ace.  
St. Louis, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 22. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Archway Memorial Chapel  
111 Taylor Road  
Hazelwood, MO 63042  
(314) 895-3900  
[info@archwaychapel.com](mailto:info@archwaychapel.com)

## Graveside Service

SEP 22. 11:30 AM (CT)

Laurel Hill Memorial Gardens  
2000 N. Pennsylvania Ace.  
St. Louis, MO

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Dianne Edwards Brandon lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Edwards*



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**Dianne Edwards Brandon** - September 19, 2012 at 11:17 AM



*June bug, you will truly be missed. When you would see family members your face light up the sky and you would always have the biggest smile to greet them and could not wait to start talking. I will cherish the memories of you coming and staying the weekends at mama Cressie's house, eating sweets and playings cards and hanging out. Praying for the entire family during this time.*

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**Dianne Brandon** - September 19, 2012 at 11:32 AM

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“ *Jimmie Mae Dawson Hudson lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Edwards*



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**Jimmie Mae Dawson Hudson** - September 18, 2012 at 04:27 PM