



Lavon Camar Sampson

November 3, 1984 - May 23, 2009

LAVON SAMPSON

Lavon Camar Sampson entered this life November 3, 1984 born to Celano Jones and Tommie Etta Hooks Sampson in Ardmore, Oklahoma. He departed this life on Saturday, May 23, 2009 near Paden, Oklahoma at the age of 24 years.

Lavon spent his early childhood days in Tatums , OK and moved to Pauls Valley, OK in 1992. He graduated from Pauls Valley High School in 2003 and attended Ardmore Higher Education for a time. Lavon then went to work for SORC in Pauls Valley where he was a Direct Care Specialist until the time of his death.

Lavon chose to make family first in his life. Letting his family know that he loved them by his expression “I Love You” said frequently to each of them was a very endearing quality. Special time for Lavon was any time spent with family especially nieces and nephews. He was a very gracious and well mannered person.

Joining the Bethel Baptist Church in Tatums when he was 6 years old and later being baptized at Bethlehem Baptist Church in Pauls Valley established him early in the faith.

At his work he had a passion for caring for his clients with special needs always mindful of their needs and demonstrating a deeply caring spirit. He was a “big Teddy Bear” with a special way of relating to all individuals of the community young and old.

Lavon was the life of the party with his expert outdoor grilling talents. Always a great lover of parties he had a great time with special birthday celebrations for his niece and nephew. He was an avid fisherman and very competitive especially when fishing with his fiancée' Holly. He had to beat her and counted anything he caught even the size of a minnow as a point for himself. His truck was kept immaculate and tinkering with his truck brought him great pleasure. The hours he spent at the lake and with his dogs Crazy Tank and Harley were special.

Family members grieving his passing are his fiancée' Holly Dawn Johnson; his father, Celano Jones ; his mother, Tonni Sampson; brothers, Stefon Sampson and James Sampson; sisters, Danielle Williams and Angel Sampson; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hooks and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones, Sr.; and beloved aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and many friends.

Funeral services are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. in the 1st Baptist Church of Elmore City, OK, Saturday, May 30, 2009. Interment will follow in the Tautms Cemetery in Tatum, OK. Services are under the direction of Wooster Funeral Home of Pauls Valley. You may express your condolences to the family online at www.woosterfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **29**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wooster Funeral Home and Cremation Services (Pauls Valley)
1601 South Chickasaw
Pauls Valley, OK

Service

MAY **30**. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church- Elmore City
103 S. Arkansas
Elmore City, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Lavon Camar Sampson*



Wooster Funeral Home & Cremation Services - May 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM



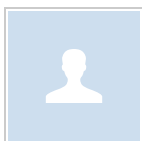
“ *Lavon Camar Sampson*

November 12, 2022 at 02:44 AM



“ *i just heard of your loss today
i am very sorry i will be praying for u and your fairmly god bless you
patty holmes###imported-begin##patty holmes###imported-end##*

June 05, 2009 at 01:54 PM



“ *Lavon made an impression on my life as well as others as being a good hearted, loving, caring person who loved life as I felt blessed to have known him and worked with him for the 2 years. He was the one who encouraged me to work at SORC. God I'm sure is delighted how Lavon lived and loved.
I will miss him.###imported-begin##Pamela Dye###imported-end##*

May 31, 2009 at 08:18 PM



“ *Lavon was a good guy to work with, and he will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May god bless you and your family in this time of need.##imported-begin##Sandra Wardwell##imported-end##*

May 30, 2009 at 11:09 AM



“ *May your memories bring you comfort at this difficult time, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God bless you all.*

Love, Kat##imported-begin##Kathron Brown##imported-end##

May 29, 2009 at 09:42 PM



“ *From my family to yours, our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Debbie Washington##imported-end##*

May 29, 2009 at 05:06 PM



“ *Toni,
You have my deepest sympathy. Lavon was a very special guy. I will forever remember his laugh and smile. When he worked on my unit he would peek into my office and look at me with that mischievous smile and wait for me to teasingly reprimand him for something, just anything so that he could laugh.*

I am praying for you.

Sandy##imported-begin##Sandy Simpson##imported-end##

May 29, 2009 at 01:17 PM



“ *Lavon was the most respectful, patient, and loving person I know. Tonni I am so sorry for your lost, but you raised 2 of the best men that I will ever know. The love they have for you is unconditional and I applaud you for doing such a great job. I will miss Lavon dearly and he will always be in my thoughts. Tonni and Skip you will be in my prayers that God will help you with these hard times. May God Bless each of you.##imported-begin##Robin Thomas##imported-end##*

May 29, 2009 at 10:47 AM



“ *Celano, Toni & Skip.... I was saddened to hear about Lavon. You are all in my prayers and have my deepest sympathies. I don't know the pain you feel but will pray the God will bring you all peace. God Bless.##imported-begin##Kim Jones Burks##imported-end##*

May 29, 2009 at 10:34 AM



“ *Dear Tonni & family, Please know you are in our prayers. Also thank you for your support and kindness extended to us during the recent loss of our husband and father. Tonni, your beautiful, magical voice, we will always remember. Our love to all, The Bradley Family, Janet, Wente', Brian, Carvel, & Nunu##imported-begin##Janet Bradley and family##imported-end##*

May 28, 2009 at 05:06 PM



“ *Lavon was a great friend.....I met him back in high school when we used to "cruz" pauls valley. He was always there for anything you needed, a great listener and a wonderful person to be around. His humor bright light to this world and he will truly be missed.##imported-begin##Kalyn Alexander##imported-end##*

May 28, 2009 at 03:09 PM



“ *My heart is broken for my little Lavon. I know that heaven is a happier place with him there. May God give you His greatest comfort as you deal with this each day.##imported-begin##Debbie Spigner##imported-end##*

May 28, 2009 at 01:02 PM



“ *I want to express sincere sympathy for your loss. Lavon was a great guy who always greeted you with a smile and a warm hear. He will be sincerely missed. I pray at this time that you continue to keep your faith in God and trust in him to pull you thru these tough times. He is always there for you wether you believe it or not and he will help you. I'm praying for you and God Bless You.##imported-begin##Leatrice McConnell##imported-end##*

May 28, 2009 at 12:23 PM



“ Thank you for being a part of my life as well as my families lives. You introduced me to the man that gave me my precious little boy. I'm truely blessed for you.

I will remember all the goodtimes that we all had together and hold them in my heart forever. I'll never forget that laugh or that big huge smile you had. Or the saturn that's wheels were about to fall off, or you giving timothy a hard time about his Nike "Checks". Or the time Timothy and I had our wreck, you drove all the way to Wewoka to make sure we were okay. Those were the goodtimes.

That lil Brayden always wanted to see his "Uncle Bon". You touched so many peoples lifes and Lavon you will never be forgotten. We love you forever and always!!!

Terri, Kristen, Bryce, and Brayden###imported-begin###Terri Miller###imported-end##

May 28, 2009 at 09:34 AM



“ You were a great sweet person. you wil be missed. the time spent knowing you meant a bunch to me. my love goes out to Ms. Toni and family.###imported-begin###VERONICA ANDERSON###imported-end##

May 28, 2009 at 07:38 AM



“ To the family of Lavon,
Word's can not express our heart felt sympathy during your time of grief but just know that you are all in our prayers. Remember to look to the hill from which cometh our help and to the lord who is our strength in our time of weaknesses.###imported-begin###Frank, Edith & Lawrence Washington & Skyler & Jeremy Smith###imported-end##

May 28, 2009 at 02:39 AM



“ Toni,
Please accept my family's sincere condolences for the loss of Lavon. I can not imagine what your world feels like at the moment. However, I can say that we serve a risen savior that emphasizes - Farther Along We'll Understand Better, Bye and Bye, God's will for this life and beyond.
We love you and if you need anything call 405/609-7319. Ernest Franklin##imported-begin##Ernest and Mary Franklin##imported-end##

May 28, 2009 at 01:05 AM



“ I have only known Lavon maybe two weeks until his untimely death. my friend julia jones also died the same night. Tragic events will always rest in anyones heart deep, overcoming this will be the main struggle for all of us. they will always be an example to me; seatbelts. when i put mine on i will always take a deep breath and remember lavon and julia as i am fortunate to still be here. i think they will be a huge example here in town for anyone who cared for them. i have no words of wisdom hurting deeply but i can say they have saved one life and kept one mother with ther children by their example. i feel much pain for the sampson family as well as the jones family and anyone hurt by this tragic situation. my deepest sympathy for everyone.##imported-begin##Amanda Lunn##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 11:10 PM



“ Lavon was the most loyal person I know. He had a laughter that filled the room and a smile so contagious. I'm very blessed to have known him. He may be gone but will never be forgotten.##imported-begin##Courtney Miller##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 10:09 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with Lavon and his family. May God watch over him and his family. He will be missed very much. He was a joy to work with.##imported-begin##Dianna Shoun##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 05:39 PM



“ Lavon will be missed but not forgotten. Loved and always remembered. Through life and death will continue to hold a spot in everyone's heart.##imported-begin##Kelli White##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 05:29 PM



“ Our sincere sympathy, you are in our prayers.

Love Cinthya and families##imported-begin##Cinthya Sims Franklin##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 05:10 PM



“ May God bless and keep you. You are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Charles and Fredia Cohee##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 04:32 PM



“ *Celano and Family, Sorry to hear about your loss but have peace in knowing that God makes no mistakes and will not put no more on you than you can bear. Only God knows why this happened and we can't ask why. But have peace in knowing that he's in a better place and I know you will miss your only Son, But he would want you to continue to go on and you and his mother to live life as you are and take care. God Bless and be with you all. Love Anita and Katrina###imported-begin##Anita McGEE and Katrina Jackson Stevenson###imported-end##*

May 27, 2009 at 03:07 PM



“ *Dear Toni & Skip,*

I wanted to let you know that you have my greatest sympathy, and my heart is truly saddened. May the comfort of God help you during this difficult time.

*With heartfelt condolences,
Stacey Breath-Adams*

Fairlawn, OH###imported-begin##Stacey Breath-Adams###imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 12:48 PM



“ *I want to express my deepest sympathy for your loss. I'm praying for your family continually during this tough time. I just want to encourage you to keep your faith in the Lord. I know sometimes we don't understand his plan that he have for our life or sometimes we may question him..But he loves us more than we love ourselves and we just have to trust him and know that he has our best interest at heart. I love you###imported-begin##Tina Allen###imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 10:00 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Lavon was an extraordinary person and will be missed terribly.##imported-begin##Joey Hunnicutt##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 06:39 PM



“ *Toni,
Lean on God with everything that you have because He is the answer to every thing that you need today, tomorrow and in the days to come.*

I promise you He will comfort you and give you peace that surpasses all understanding and I am not just quoting parts of scriptures. I KNOW FOR A FACT.

If you ever need to talk I am ALWAYS available. I will continue to lift you and your family up to God in prayer.##imported-begin##Lois Marie Clark##imported-end##

May 26, 2009 at 05:15 PM



“ *For me ~ always respectful, always putting any negative experience to a fading dim of nothing. Even when I was no longer a Boss to him, he never wavered with respect and making me feel he was happy to see me.*

*Sherry Ehrhart
Programs Manager
Aging Services Division/DHS##imported-begin##Sherry Ehrhart##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 02:49 PM



“ *Tonni & Family,
We know that God makes no mistakes. We don't always understand
the will of God but we do understand He is still in control.
The Peevy family is praying your strength in the Lord*

*Annalisa, Tisa and Ashleigh##imported-begin##Annalisa
Peevy##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 01:59 PM



“ *Lavon was a great person and a good friend to everyone he knew.
The times we all have shared with him will not be forgotten. He will
be missed and remembered always.##imported-begin##Jeff
Richmond##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 01:48 PM



“ *Lavon was a great guy who always made me smile and he will be
missed.##imported-begin##Jaime Bouton##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 12:29 PM