



Lamont Sargent

January 14, 1975 - July 5, 2023

With great sorrow, the Sargent and Byars families announce the passing of our kind, brave, and unimaginably generous husband, father, brother, and friend, Lamont Sargent. At only age 48, Lamont passed away unexpectedly on July 5th, 2023.

Lamont was born in January 1975 to Lottie (Cantey) and Arnold Sargent in Jersey City, New Jersey. After graduating from St. Mary's High School, he began his higher education at Rhode Island College and, shortly after, enlisted in the United States Marine Corps. He started as an Infantryman and was ultimately promoted to Sergeant.

After serving eight valiant years as a Marine, Lamont continued to serve the nation via a new career with the U.S. Department of State as a Diplomatic Security instructor. Upon transitioning to the position of Sergeant with the Security Protective Service, Lamont simultaneously matriculated with a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice. Lamont received many accommodations from U.S. Homeland Security, U.S. Marine Corps, and U.S. Department of State.

Lamont made his profession of Christian faith at a young age. While his spiritual journey was hard-won, he loved Christ and was a principled man of integrity. Lamont's personality was larger than life, and he genuinely loved

everyone. His favorites included leg and arm day at the gym, his bi-annual hunting trips with military comrades, cooking for his family, and attempting to grill. Lamont was the life of each party. Lamont had opinions that all needed to hear, whether a political debate or a lengthy text message. He loved his pets and had many stories about bonding with his canine companions, and we know Lamont is on a long walk with Milo, Pearl, Wednesday, Sebastian, Storm, Micha, Sam, and Cleo!

Lamont, an active father in EVERY aspect, cherished his children James (20), Bella (16), and Carrington (11), who survive him along with his spouse Rachelle Byars-Sargent of 18 years.

Lamont also leaves behind two sisters, Marie Sargent and Yolanda Sargent both of Jersey City, NJ; five brothers, Arnold (Diane), Edward (Demetria), Michael (Michelle), and Shawn all of Jersey City, NJ and Chris (Zelma) of Newark, NJ; one mother-in-love, Ann D. Byars of Middletown, DE; brother/sister-in-love, Edward (Angela) Bowers of Middletown, DE and Cedric (Talonna) Moore of Pinole, CA; as well as many loving cousins, four nephews, and three nieces. Lamont has a vast extended family: Jason Childrey of Baltimore, MD, Benard Drayton and family of Avenel, NJ, Phil (Tiffany) Rodriguez of Dinwiddie, VA, and a host of best friends around the world.

Lamont is preceded in death by his parents, James Sargent (brother), Ella Cantey (grandmother), Juliete Hunter (aunt), William Hunt (uncle), Wayne Hunter (cousin), "C" Drayton (family friend), and Daniel Byars (father-in-love).

Lamont Sargent was a one-of-a-kind man. He will truly be missed by everyone that knew him!

Charitable contributions in memory of Sgt. Lamont Sargent can be made to Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society at <https://support.nmcrs.org/a/homepage> .

Cemetery Details

Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Road
Triangle, VA

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Chapel Springs Assembly of God
11500 New Life Way
Bristow, VA 20136

Funeral Service

JUL 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Chapel Springs Assembly of God
11500 New Life Way
Bristow, VA 20136

Tribute Wall



“ We may have only met once in person, but I’m grateful that you gave me a friend that I’m glad to call my brother.

Dylan Coulter - January 31, 2024 at 07:56 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 17, 2023 at 09:15 AM



“ Tiny was truly a one of kind friend. Rest easy you gentle giant!



Will Hiett - July 17, 2023 at 07:29 AM

JE

“Our hearts go out to you during this trying time. May the Lord bring peace and hope into your life in the midst of your sorrows.” - The Clausell family, The Jelks Family and the Weathers family.



Jelks - July 16, 2023 at 09:54 PM



“Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 16, 2023 at 07:07 PM

YF

“TINY, you truly knew how to Work hard, Play hard. No matter the conditions on a work commitment, whether it was pushing through the sweltering heat, freezing cold, or even the occasional stomach bug, you always made the commitment fun. The after-hours were even better getting the chance to share a cold one with you. We know how much you love your family and that you are a Man of God. Semper Fi and God Bless.



Your FTU family - July 16, 2023 at 01:25 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 15, 2023 at 08:22 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lamont Sargent.

July 15, 2023 at 08:22 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 14, 2023 at 08:32 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 14, 2023 at 03:14 PM

DH

“ David Hong purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lamont Sargent.



David Hong - July 14, 2023 at 02:35 PM

LF

“ Love, Talonna & Cedric Moore & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lamont Sargent.



Love, Talonna & Cedric Moore & Family - July 13, 2023 at 10:40 PM

LF

“ Love, Talonna & Cedric Moore & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lamont Sargent.

Love, Talonna & Cedric Moore & Family - July 13, 2023 at 10:40 PM

AO

“ The news of you leaving us shook me. You're gone entirely too soon. You taught me a lot 12 years ago when we first met and always kept me smiling and alert. Those who knew you will miss you dearly and those that didn't know you have missed out on one of the world's best humans. RIP my brother.

Angel L. Ocasio - July 13, 2023 at 04:33 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.*



July 13, 2023 at 01:41 PM



“ *Mary Stapleton lit a candle in memory of Lamont Sargent*



Mary Stapleton - July 13, 2023 at 10:47 AM



“ *I am deeply saddened to hear about Tiny it was great working with him at FTU he was a hard worker a Patriot always good for smile and a laugh and a lover of life and his family. Calm winds and fair seas in your next journey demoed fi brother*

Paul sal Salomon - July 12, 2023 at 08:14 PM

TA

“ I am beyond heartbroken in the loss of my brother in love, Lamont. He was so kind, caring and loving to all who knew him. I was fortunate enough to spend time with my brother and witnessed how he loved his family and how he would go above and beyond to help everyone he met. Lamont was a terrific cook, very creative and always cooked with love. My dear brother is gone way too soon and we will miss him immensely. Rest in peace my brother. With love in our hearts and fond memories always. Sister in love and brother in love and family
Talonna

Talonna - July 12, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 11, 2023 at 05:58 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lamont Anthony Sargent.

July 11, 2023 at 05:58 PM

SG

“ My heart is SOOO BROKEN as I remember what a kind & caring person Lamont was as he helped my 6 year old great-grandson, Lavar, get through a "melt down" at our 2022 Byars Family Reunion in Columbus OHIO! This was the first time Lamont & Lavar had ever met! Lamont was such a concerned & loving father figure for Lavar!!! He will be greatly missed by all of his extended Pennsylvania family!

REST IN PEACE Lamont as you have finished your course here on earth and BEAT US to receive your Heavenly Reward for your earthly labors as a Disciple of Jesus Christ...WE LOVE YOU!!!

Sue Goodson - July 11, 2023 at 05:45 PM

AG

“ Lamont was an amazing friend who will be missed dearly. I'm still in shock. We have had so many memories together and his family is in my prayers.



Allyson Gerben - July 11, 2023 at 05:11 PM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 11, 2023 at 04:32 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lamont Anthony Sargent.

July 11, 2023 at 04:32 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 11, 2023 at 12:57 PM



“ So very sorry to hear of Lamont's passing. Great memories of him from the RIC days with my son , Sean. Lamont always had a big smile & we enjoyed his company. Fly with the angels Lamont 😊

sandi siembab - July 11, 2023 at 07:20 AM



“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Yolanda Sargent - July 10, 2023 at 08:37 PM

GS

“ Tiny I stand cant believe I am typing this ... you introduced me to a lot of things I would need to learn in the world I entered after retirement. Big guy with a big smile and could make the world laugh ... Gods speed brother and prayers for your family.

Gerald Smith - July 09, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 08, 2023 at 04:33 PM


Michael
Justus

“ Still in disbelief. Lamont brought so much joy to those around him. It was such a pleasure to know and work with him. I'll miss his humor, our amazing conversations about everything and his integrity. The world seems darker today without him. Praying Christ our savior will shine a light over his family and friends during this dark period.

Michael Justus - July 08, 2023 at 11:27 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 08, 2023 at 07:43 AM

BA

“ Big guy... you took a group of friends and you made us a family. You held us together like glue and constantly checked in on every one of us.

You were a role model for myself and so many others and I know you left this life having left nothing on the table. You made sure everyone knew you cared and loved them, you were a bright light and constantly full of joy. I'll miss the jokes and laughs, don't know who is going to back me up when I'm making fun of fluffy now. But I'll continue to give him hell for you and we will always love you. Until again.

-Little E



Baca - July 07, 2023 at 09:47 PM



“ Tiny, you were always a source of positive energy and happiness. You inspired me to look at life in a different way. I will always remember you and will try to live my life as you did, rest in peace my friend.

Scott Roy - July 07, 2023 at 09:26 PM

JC

“ I’m still in shock brother. For over 15 years you’ve always been there to make me laugh and help me look at the bright side of things. I will be forever thankful for your friendship and for being family. Semper Fidelis.



Jose Chacon - July 07, 2023 at 09:12 PM



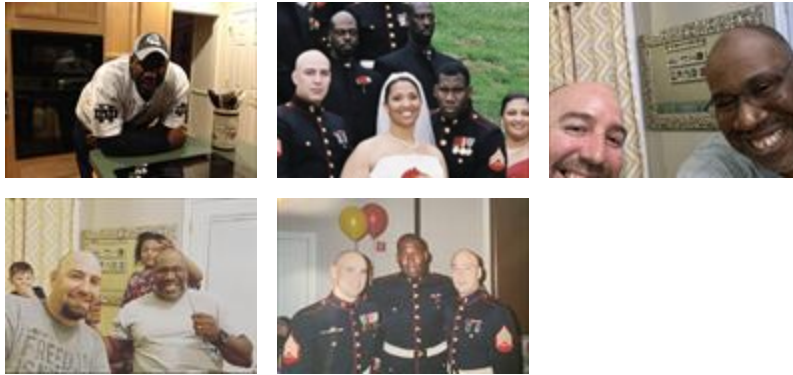
“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lamont Sargent.



July 07, 2023 at 07:32 PM

PR

“ I don't even know where to start as I still can't believe you're gone! I met you over 20 years ago and from that first day we were brothers! You knew how to make everyone smile and laugh and you made an unforgettable impression on everyone you met. You are more than the man and the myth, you truly are the legend! You impacted more lives than you'll ever know and while there's a purpose behind it, your departure from this earth is truly heartbreaking! I miss you so much my brother! Till I see you again! Till Valhalla!!



Phillip Rodriguez - July 07, 2023 at 07:14 PM



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July 07, 2023 at 07:09 PM



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July 07, 2023 at 06:57 PM



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July 07, 2023 at 06:57 PM



“ *You were my brother in law from another mother and for the 8 years I had the amazing pleasure of calling you family! You will never truly know what you meant to Phil and me-especially Phil- I still can't believe that you are not here! You will never be forgotten you crazy, Wild, stubborn man! Will always love and miss you forever! Give heaven some extra fun and craziness! See you when It's my time!*



Tiff Rodriguez - July 07, 2023 at 06:30 PM