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Acknowledgements

The family wish to extend our sincere thanks for the great kindness shown to our family during our bereavement. The many expressions of sympathy have been a source of comfort and will be remembered with gratitude.

The Family

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A Celebration of Life



Mr. Jamil Raheem
BURT

SUNRISE:
MAY 26, 1987

SUNSET:
OCTOBER 23, 2025

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025
4:00 PM

FRIENDSHIP MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
411 COTTON AVENUE
AMERICUS, GA
BISHOP MELVIN MCCLUSTER, PASTOR

A LIFE REMEMBERED

Jamil Raheem Burt was born on May 26, 1987, in Sumter County, Georgia, to the parents Jacklyn Merritt and the late Cheyenne Burt.

Jamil received his education in the Sumter County School System. He was a dedicated employee of Taco Bell for many years, where his hard work led him into management. Along the way, his vibrant personality and sense of humor earned him the nickname “Twacko,” a name fondly remembered by all who knew him.

Jamil was a true family man at heart — the kind of man whose presence filled every room with laughter, warmth, and a sense of home. A dedicated father and proud provider, he lived for his loved ones and made sure everyone around him felt cared for. Whether he was out on the water with a fishing pole in hand, cooking something special, or cracking jokes that kept the whole crew smiling, he brought joy wherever he went. Known for greeting everyone with his signature phrase, “What’s going on?” he had a way of making people feel seen and welcome. A jack of all trades, there wasn’t much he couldn’t do — and whatever he did, he did with heart. His genuine spirit, love for family, and lively personality made him unforgettable to everyone blessed to know him.

On Thursday, October 23, 2025, Jamil entered eternal rest. His unexpected departure has left a deep and lasting void in the hearts of all who knew and loved him.

Jamil is preceded in death by his sister, Jessica Michelle Clemmon.

Jamil leaves to cherish his memory his loving mother, Jacklyn (Bonny) Merritt; his three children, Katelyn Nicole Burt, Jamir Rakeem Burt, and Trevyn Gray. He is also survived by nine siblings: Ansley (Chan) Moses, Tiffany Burt, Anisha (Jerome) Preaster, Jalen Whitehead, Bonny Merritt Jr., Satoya Merritt, Adaija Merritt, and JuMarcus Merritt. His memory is also held dear by his nephews, Anthony Lockhart and Kason Hodges Jr.; his niece, Alicia Green; his great-niece, Ar’mani Lockhart; his grandmother, Clara Clemmon; his god-sister, Aliyah Pride; his longtime companion, Cherie Gray, and her family, Shanekia (Taurus) Jackson and Collis Lowe III; and two childhood friends, Robert Dawson and Mike Dawson. Additionally, a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends cherish his memories.

Though Jamil is no longer with us in the physical sense, his spirit will forever live on in the hearts of all who loved him. His laughter, kindness, and larger-than-life presence will never be forgotten. The family finds comfort in the lasting memories he leaves behind and in the love he shared so freely with everyone he met. Jamil’s light will continue to shine through the lives he touched.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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Processional.....Pastor Daniel Clinton Sr.,
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