



## Mr. John Dean Lyles Obituary

January 19, 1958 - October 21, 2012

KIMBRELL-STERN DEATH OBITUARY  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2012

John Dean Lyles, 54, of Albany, GA, died Sunday, October 21, 2012.

Mr. Lyles's remains were cremated and the family will have a celebration of life service on Tuesday, October 30, 2012 from 6-8 PM at the National Association of Letter Carriers, 1709 Oakridge Dr., Albany, GA 31707. The family requests casual dress for those attending the celebration of life service.

Mr. Lyles was born in Chicago, IL and graduated from Martin Luther King High School with the Class of 1976. He entered military service in the US Navy following his graduation, and he served for 20 years, retiring in 1997. Mr. Lyles moved to Albany in August of 1998. He was employed as a letter carrier with the US Postal Service until his death. Mr. Lyles enjoyed sports, especially watching the Chicago Bears. He was preceded in death by his father, John Lyles, and 2 sisters, Everlene Lyles and Della Lyles.

Mr. Lyles is survived by his wife: Ann Lyles, Albany; a daughter: Sonya Haveron, Albany; a son: David Lyles, Albany; a grandson: Austin Haveron, Albany; his mother: Gracie Lyles, Albany; a sister: Beverly Lyles, Chicago, IL; many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

You may sign the online guestbook and share your own memories with the family of John Dean Lyles by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's website at [www.kimbrellstern.com](http://www.kimbrellstern.com).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

OCT **30**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

National Association of Letter Carriers  
1709 Oakridge Dr.  
Albany, GA 31707

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. John Dean Lyles Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *Mr. John Dean Lyles Obituary*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *John will be greatly missed by many. He was one of those people who made a positive difference in the world. He may be gone but never forgotten. He was a cherished friend.*

**Pam Beck - Albany, GA - Friend** - November 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *We had the pleasure of knowing John for years. John and I went to Martin L King High School together. Played on the same basketball Team for New Calvary M.B Church which is also the Church he attended. John was a true friend. Someone you love to be around. John will tell a joke and we will all look at each other and laugh because the joke wasn't funny that's how much fun we had back in the good days. My wife and I will miss you Friend. I will miss you on facebook. But I will get a laugh when I think about us playing basketball and we use to talk about how tight your shorts were. rest in peace our friend.*

*John & Evelyn Wilder  
Friends of the Family*

**John & Evelyn Wilder - Friends, IL** - October 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ John will be truly missed. He was a great person that always made me smile when I spent time with him and his family. My best memory was how he always teased me about living on the other side of the bridge in Albany. He will never be forgotten. God Bless the family !

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**Charlene Jackson - Sylvester, GA - friend of family** - October 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ I have only known John for a few years, but in that time I cannot think of anytime he was not friendly, honest and a pleasure to talk to. Our world needs more like him and he will surely be missed by everyone that knew him. He loved his family and he loved life. I wish to express my heartfelt sorrow for his departure from this life.

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**Jimmy Simons - Albany, GA - Friend** - October 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM