



Mr. John Gregory Andrews

April 11, 1970 - March 7, 2025

John Gregory Andrews was born April 11, 1970, to Mr. Andrew Atkins and his mother, Mrs. Farris Hull-Atkins who preceded him in death. He graduated from South Leake High School in 1988 and served time in the United States Army. Big John loved life and his family immensely.

John loved to cook, and this is what he did with a lot of his time. Whenever there was a family gathering, everybody knew John would do the cooking. He had a passion for feeding people which shines a light into the kind of person he was. He loved people.

One little known love of his was the beach. John loved going to the beach and he enjoyed the calm and peacefulness of the waves crashing against the shore.

At a young age, he joined Truelight Baptist Church in Walnut Grove, MS, where he was baptized. John was a hard worker and regardless of the job, he always gave one hundred percent of himself. He worked offshore after leaving the military, and at the time of his death, he worked as a supervisor at Peco Foods in Bay Springs, MS.

John departed this life during the morning of Friday, March 7, 2025. His mother, Farris Ruth Hull-Atkins and one sister, Moesha Tamara Williams

preceded him in death.

He leaves to cherish his memory a very special friend, Jessica McDonald of Newton, MS; his father, Andrew Atkins of Lena, MS; his children: Cheonchet (TI) Russell of Austin, Texas; Jontiese Fortune of Lena, MS; Jante Andrews of Walnut Grove, MS; Tyshaun (Destiny) Andrews of Phenix City, AL; and John Andrews Jr. of Louin, MS; three grandchildren: Khoda Russell, Kharter Russell, and Josiah Andrews; his loving siblings Anginette Hull-Browder of Pace, FL; Andrea Porch of Detroit, MI; Marcus (Portia) Hull of Columbia, MS; Andrew Atkins, Jr. of Meridian, MS; Aundrea (Tangela) Gilbert of Forest, MS; Adrian Porch of Detroit, MI; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Harmony MB Church Cemetery

1011 MS-487
Lena, MS 39094

Previous Events

Family Hour

MAR 21. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

"Lovie" Dean Memorial Chapel
745 Hwy 468
Brandon, MS 39042

Visitation

MAR 21. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Dean Memorial Funeral Home
745 Highway 468
Brandon, MS 39042
(601) 825-3884
<https://deanmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Homegoing Service

MAR 22. 1:00 PM (CT)

Harmony M.B. Church
1011 MS-487
LENA, MS 39094

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. John Gregory Andrews*



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - March 20, 2025 at 06:45 PM



“ *Minister Marcus Hull...our deepest love and sympathy to all of you. Our prayers are with you and your family. We pray our Lord continue to give you peace and comfort!*

KCM Outreach Ministries (GA) - March 22, 2025 at 10:50 PM



“ *Giovanni D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*

Giovanni D. - March 22, 2025 at 11:40 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*

March 22, 2025 at 01:40 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*



March 21, 2025 at 09:38 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*



March 20, 2025 at 09:21 AM



“ *Peco Foods, Inc. purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*



Peco Foods, Inc. - March 18, 2025 at 10:57 AM



“ *Peco Foods, Inc. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. John Gregory Andrews.*

Peco Foods, Inc. - March 18, 2025 at 10:57 AM

LM

“ 😞😞.. Gonna miss my buddy.. It was bout time for u n my son birthday.. We would always talk about how crazy it was cause my son name is John Aiden and y'all shared the same birthday April 11.. We gonna miss u at the wing table...

Laquita Mccullum - March 13, 2025 at 08:32 PM

TJ

“ I'm going to miss you at Peco. You were one of the real ones. Rest in peace Mr. Dean

Teresser Jones - March 13, 2025 at 04:38 PM

HD

“ John I miss you. John you meant more to me than you knew. You definitely left your mark on us. Forever screaming LLJOHNANDREWS. Prayers to the family

hannah Ducksworth - March 13, 2025 at 03:28 PM

JM

“ John Henry Marshall lit a candle in memory of John Andrews



John Henry Marshall - March 13, 2025 at 02:40 PM

EA

“ *Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of John Andrews* ”



Eddie Ainsworth - March 12, 2025 at 08:28 PM