



## Dwain Morton Holmes

September 22, 1949 - March 29, 2022

Dwain Morton Holmes, aka “Maude”, 72, of Providence Forge, VA, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Tuesday, March 29, 2022. He was preceded in death by his parents, Everette and Alethea Holmes; siblings, Ernest, Everette, Jr., Rodgers, Tom and Arnell Holmes, Pauline Stewart and Bertha Adkins.

He is survived by his loving devoted wife and best friend of 43 years, Norma C. Holmes. He is also survived by his devoted daughter, Mary Crewe (Pete); one brother, Oliver (Pat); devoted nieces, Gail Adkins, Wendy Adkins, Esther Cannada, Kellie Craft, Karen Canaday, Celeste Stewart, Marilyn Canaday, Daph Holmes, Shelby Stewart Bradby, Alex Fortune, Lauren and Megan Canaday, Corrina, Emma, Anna and Lindsey Holmes; devoted nephews, Glen, Joe and Jeremy Holmes, Daniel Stewart, Sr., and Cameron Canaday. He is also survived by his sisters-in-law, Irese Whitehead, Helene Stewart, Kathleen and Diane Canaday; brothers-in-law, Alvin (Maurica), Leslie (Juanita), Horace, Clayton (Velma) and Glenn Canaday; special friends, Eugene and Judy Crump, Jeff and Margaret Jefferson, Clayton Stagg and Sylvia Wei, along with numerous nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Dwain was a retired employee of Smurfit-Stone Container of 41 years. He also loved to bake fresh apple cake and Paula Deen pound cake! Dwain loved the outdoors, singing in the church choir, whistling and running the drink booth at the Chickahominy Pow-Wow. He was a member of Samaria Baptist church

and the Chickahominy Indian Tribe. Dwain enjoyed being with his family and friends. He was truly loved and will be missed by all.

A funeral service will be held 2PM Monday, April 4, 2022 at Samaria Baptist Church, 8130 Lott Cary Rd, Providence Forge, VA. A viewing will take place Sunday April 3, 2022 from 4PM to 8PM at Vincent Funeral Home, 9923 Pocahontas Trail, Providence Forge, VA.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to either Samaria Baptist Church or the Chickahominy Indian Tribe. The family would like to express their appreciation to the medical team at Bon Secours Memorial Regional Hospital for all the care given to Dwain and the family in their time of need.

# Cemetery Details

## Samaria Baptist Church Cemetery

8130 Lott Cary Road  
Providence Forge, VA 23140

# Previous Events

## Viewing

APR 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel  
9923 Pocahontas Trail  
Providence Forge, VA 23140  
(804) 966-7075

## Funeral Service

APR 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

Samaria Baptist Church  
8130 Lott Cary Road  
Providence Forge, VA 23140

# Tribute Wall

CC

“ Clayton And Velma. Canaday lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Clayton and Velma. Canaday** - August 04, 2022 at 12:10 AM

SA

“ Susan Adkins lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Susan Adkins** - April 05, 2022 at 03:15 PM

MH

“ The prayers and thoughts of the Hathaway family and New Covenant Community Church are with our friend, Norma and family as you celebrate Dwain's life with us and his new life with Our Lord. Dwain was truly a good man with a big heart. He will truly be missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. I feel honored to be among that group.



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**Milton & Sylvia Hathaway** - April 04, 2022 at 09:43 PM

KA

“ *Kent Adkins lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes*



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**Kent Adkins** - April 04, 2022 at 09:10 PM

CJ

“ *Cedrick & Brittany Johnson lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes*



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**Cedrick & Brittany Johnson** - April 04, 2022 at 06:20 PM

LG

“ *Daddy Wayne,*

*You will be greatly missed. We love you always!*

*Mom Norma,*

*We are praying for you and are so sorry for your loss. We love you!*

*Love,*

*Lori Gantz-Glass & Teresa Gantz*



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**Lori Gantz-Glass** - April 04, 2022 at 01:41 PM

JE

“ Jenna lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Jenna** - April 04, 2022 at 12:39 PM

CC

“ Charlene Christian lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Charlene Christian** - April 03, 2022 at 04:43 PM

HS

“ Hilda Sakiewicz lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Hilda Sakiewicz** - April 03, 2022 at 01:41 PM

EC

“ Norman our hearts are heavy at this time. We are keeping you in our prayers you know how much we care. Praying for strength and comfort may God continue to bless you and the family. Dwain was such a good friend. A friend closer than a brother we loved him so much and missing him already but God knew what was best. We thank God for his life.  
With love Eugene and Judy Crump



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**Eugene and Judy Crump** - April 03, 2022 at 11:58 AM

VR

“ To Norma and the extended family, So sorry to hear of Dwain passing. May God bless and keep you in your time of sorrow.  
Sincerely, Veralyn Ruttley

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**Veralyn Ruttley** - April 02, 2022 at 06:13 PM

VR

“ Veralyn Ruttley lit a candle in memory of  
Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Veralyn Ruttley** - April 02, 2022 at 06:07 PM

AH

“ Deepest sympathy to Norma and family for your loss. Dwain was a true gentleman, devoted family man and amazing husband, let's not forget a fantastic cook. His fresh apple cake hands down the best! RIP my friend. Love, Anita H.



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**Anita Hazelwood** - April 02, 2022 at 01:31 PM

YB

“ Yvonne Bradby sent a virtual gift in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Yvonne Bradby** - April 02, 2022 at 10:23 AM

RM

“ Dwain was a good friend and devoted husband. My sincere sympathy for Norma and family as he will be truly missed by many. Richard & Theresa Morris

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**Richard Morris** - April 02, 2022 at 06:43 AM

KD

“ Karen P. Disse lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Karen P. Disse** - April 02, 2022 at 06:25 AM

JW

“ My condolences to the family Norma I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of Dwain he was a good person always show me respect may God give you strength and peace my prayers are with you 🙏🙏❤️

jeanette. washington - April 01, 2022 at 08:31 PM



“ Silene Johnson lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Silene Johnson - April 01, 2022 at 05:25 PM

RA

“ So sorry to hear of Dwain's passing. He was a true gentleman. With deepest sympathy to Norma and Family.

Ruth Adams - April 01, 2022 at 04:04 PM

MC

“ Mike And Cell lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Mike and Cell - April 01, 2022 at 02:51 PM

JJ

“ Joanne Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Joanne Johnson - April 01, 2022 at 10:03 AM

JJ

“ Joanne Johnson lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Joanne Johnson - April 01, 2022 at 10:01 AM

RS

“ Reggie And Robin Stewart lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Reggie and Robin Stewart - April 01, 2022 at 09:25 AM

CC

“ Cynthia Coles lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



Cynthia Coles - March 31, 2022 at 09:44 PM

WF

“ Dwayne was a great man his smile would light up a room. My thoughts go out to his wife Norma and family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.



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**Williams Family** - March 31, 2022 at 09:19 PM

HS

“ Hank And Joyce Sellers lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes



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**Hank and Joyce Sellers** - March 31, 2022 at 08:29 PM

SB

“ Aunt Norma & Family,  
You are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Love y'all

*Shereen & Brian*

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**Shereen Bradby-Ghee** - March 31, 2022 at 08:20 PM

LW

“ Norma, Sorry to get news of Dwain's passing, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I love you.  
*Lois Wilcox*

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**Lois Wilcox** - March 31, 2022 at 07:16 PM

LW

“ *Lois Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes*



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**Lois Wilcox** - March 31, 2022 at 07:03 PM

GC

“ *Dear family,  
We are so sorry to hear of Dwain's passing.  
We first met Dwain at Cumberland  
Community Center when we were both  
working at the Brown Bag Food Bank. He was  
always such a kind gentleman.  
Cherish your precious memories. He will be sorely missed.  
With heartfelt sympathy,  
Gloria Couch & Inez Hawthorne*



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**Gloria Couch** - March 31, 2022 at 06:08 PM

DR

“ *Debbie Robbins lit a candle in memory of Dwain Morton Holmes*



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**Debbie Robbins** - March 31, 2022 at 05:40 PM

JW

*Love And Prayers NORMA.a good man Gone too Soon*

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**JAMES WYNN** - March 31, 2022 at 09:59 PM

YB

*Norma and Family - I am so sorry to hear of Dwain's passing. My deepest condolences - Praying that God will give you all peace, comfort and understanding during this trying time. Love and prayers for you all.*

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**Yvonne Bradby** - April 02, 2022 at 10:22 AM