



Michael Andrew Davis

August 17, 1955 - June 15, 2026

Michael Andrew Davis, 70, of Hamilton Township, New Jersey, passed away on June 15, 2026, leaving behind a legacy defined by service, strength, and unwavering devotion to his family; both biological and chosen.

While he carried many titles throughout his life, Michael's most cherished role was that of provider. He worked tirelessly to ensure those he loved were cared for, protected, and supported. No problem was ever too big; whenever a call for help came, he was there. Whether offering one of his legendary pearls of wisdom or a pat on the back for a job well done, he could always be counted on.

Michael was born and raised in the Hamilton area of New Jersey and was educated in the Hamilton Township school system. Michael honorably served his country for 27 years in the National Guard and Army Reserves while also dedicating his civilian life to helping others. He proudly retired with the rank of Sergeant after decades of distinguished service and commitment.

His love for people led him to a lifelong career serving adults with disabilities and other challenges for the State of New Jersey. He began his career in 1979 at N. Princeton Developmental Center, the facility closed and he continued his service at Trenton Psychiatric Hospital until his retirement in 2015.

A man of remarkable mental and physical strength, Michael lived by the belief that life was always a matter of "mind over matter." He often shared his personal mantra: "I'm a lion, strength of the bear." Those words reflected the courage, resilience, and protective spirit he brought to every role he held.

Everything Michael did was rooted in his love for family. He was preceded in death by his father, Master Mack Davis; his beloved mother, Beatrice Davis; and his brother, John Hills.

He is survived by his children, Jameel Davis, Rahsheed Davis, La'Tiesha Caballero, Christopher Allen, and Jalees Davis; his bonus children, NaSheena Barksdale, Quiana Bush, Anthony Allen, and Darnell Allen; his siblings, Patrice Hayes-Davis, JoAnn Nicholson, Nicole (Anthony) Ball, Louise Davis, and Iris Stovall; and a host of beloved grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends who will forever mourn his passing.

The life Michael lived, the lessons he taught, and the values he embodied will continue through all who were blessed to know him. Though our hearts will forever carry the weight of his absence, we find comfort in the memories we will always cherish.

A memorial service celebrating Michael's life and service will be held in August, with details to be announced at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations in Michael's memory be made to the National Kidney Foundation.

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