



Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.

June 24, 1960 - August 26, 2022

Private burial will take place at Casteel Cemetery at a later date. There will be no public services. The family has entrusted their care to Miles J. Kimble Mortuary and Cremation Services of Forrest City.

Emanuel Steward Jr. was born June 24, 1960, in Forrest City, Arkansas to the late Emanuel Steward, Sr. and Rosie L. Vanzant-Steward.

Emanuel departed this life on August 26, 2022.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Donna Faye.

Emanuel attended Forrest City High School and was a member of the Class of 1978. At the tender age of 15, he met his lifelong soulmate Linda Bailey and on August 26, 1985, he was introduced to fatherhood with Linda as they fathered his only child Casey E. Bailey.

Emanuel was lovingly called "Pig" by his friends and family. He had a laugh that was contagious. He was co-owner and operator of their family-owned business, "The Blue Flame" that was established in 1950 and is still in operation. He was well known for his famous BBQ. He often bragged of his grilled pig tails.

He is survived by his son, Casey Bailey of Memphis, TN, his bonus daughters,

Tamera Bailey of Nashville, TN, and Kierra Bailey of Memphis, TN, his granddaughter, Caylee Bailey who he absolutely adored of Forrest City, AR, his sisters, Sherry Stringfellow of Forrest City, Arkansas, Barbara Reed of Saginaw, Michigan, VeEsther Walton of Marianna, Arkansas, a host of cousins, nieces and nephews, and a special aunt, Claudia.

Cemetery Details

Casteel Cemetery

Highway 70 West & CR 221
Forrest City, AR 72335

Tribute Wall

TM

“ Teresa McAllister lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Teresa McAllister - November 15, 2022 at 05:36 AM

JP

“ Rest In Peace Manuel.

Johnny and Roz Patterson - October 26, 2022 at 10:54 PM

EH

“ EDDIE Hodges lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



EDDIE Hodges - October 21, 2022 at 03:52 PM

CL

“ Cynthia Lipscomb Long lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Cynthia Lipscomb Long - September 11, 2022 at 01:22 AM

AC

“ *Angela Crippen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Angela Crippen - September 10, 2022 at 02:45 PM

LL

“ *Linda sending you prayers and blessing to you and your family. Little Pig was a sweet person, with a big heart. May he always rest in peace.*

Lita Lucas - September 08, 2022 at 07:42 PM

LL

“ *Lita Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Lita Lucas - September 08, 2022 at 07:38 PM

JH

“ *Jackie Holmes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



jackie holmes - September 04, 2022 at 04:33 PM

CL

“ Carolyn Cole Lawson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Carolyn Cole Lawson - September 03, 2022 at 03:22 PM

CL

Theodis and I admired you and enjoyed your cooking. Now you are both at your heavenly home. RIP.

Carolyn Cole Lawson - September 03, 2022 at 03:27 PM

AN

“ ALPERRY NASH lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



ALPERRY NASH - September 03, 2022 at 02:12 PM

MJ

“ Mary jackson will cherish the fun conversation we had

Mary jackson - September 02, 2022 at 08:04 PM

SH

“ Stella Hill-Winfrey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Stella Hill-Winfrey - September 02, 2022 at 05:40 PM

CE

“ Carolyn Evans lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



carolyn evans - September 02, 2022 at 05:21 PM

DF

“ Diana Farrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Diana Farrell - September 02, 2022 at 03:28 PM



“ Van Banks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



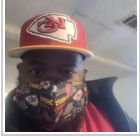
Van Banks - September 02, 2022 at 02:19 PM

 Resia
Guyton-
Robert

“ My condolences to the family! May God strengthen you during this time of bereavement! Sending major hug's to the family from the Guyton family. Your smile and beautiful personality will truly be missed! RIP Manuel



Resia Guyton-Robert - September 02, 2022 at 10:34 AM



“ *Lee Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Lee Williams - September 02, 2022 at 09:45 AM

SU

“ *Deepest condolences to the family. Rest well Pig!!*



Stephanie Ugbaja - September 01, 2022 at 09:38 PM

DJ

“ *Dorothy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Dorothy Johnson - September 01, 2022 at 07:10 PM

MB

“ *Merdis Burse lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Merdis Burse - September 01, 2022 at 07:04 PM

RO

“ *Wish I could of gotten a chance to meet you
may you rest in piece*



Robin - September 01, 2022 at 06:56 PM

RH

“ *Reva Hancock-Wiley lit a candle in memory of
Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Reva Hancock-Wiley - September 01, 2022 at 06:50 PM

MH

“ *you were such a great guy. I remember those Friday and Saturday
nights at the flame.. we would come outside after a night of partying
and enjoy those links ribs and pig tails.. The juke box playing your
song taxi. Resting internal peace*

Maneka Hubbard - September 01, 2022 at 06:48 PM

EH

“ *Eddie Hodges lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Eddie Hodges - September 01, 2022 at 06:42 PM

MW

“ *Mildred Willis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Mildred Willis - September 01, 2022 at 05:04 PM

BJ

“ *Bobbie Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Bobbie Jones - September 01, 2022 at 04:03 PM

CS

“ *Chasity Sanford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Chasity Sanford - September 01, 2022 at 04:01 PM

 Shekita Rogers

“ *Shekita Rogers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Shekita Rogers - September 01, 2022 at 02:21 PM

LB

Pig you were one of a kind loved by everyone you will always be in my heart and thoughts I will miss our trips me, Linda and you love you forever RIL pig.

Louise bailey - September 01, 2022 at 03:14 PM

MJ

“ *To the Family of Emmanuel Steward you're in my thoughts and prayers.*

Mary Jones - September 01, 2022 at 02:07 PM

EB

“ *Earnest Bailey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Earnest Bailey - September 01, 2022 at 01:59 PM

KP

“ *Kinyta Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Kinyta Parker - September 01, 2022 at 01:46 PM

MM

“ *Mary Mason lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.*



Mary Mason - September 01, 2022 at 01:22 PM

IM

“ Irene Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Irene Moore - September 01, 2022 at 12:15 PM

SH

“ Sherline A. Hooper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Sherline A. Hooper - August 31, 2022 at 07:50 PM

ST

“ Shirley Williams Thorn sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Shirley Williams Thorn - August 31, 2022 at 07:19 PM

LM

“ Lorne McClain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Lorne McClain - August 31, 2022 at 11:03 AM

PA

“ Thoughts&prayers go out to each one of you.. Sincerely, Paula Renee Adams,&family

Paula Renee Adams - August 31, 2022 at 02:38 AM

SB

“ Stacy Bailey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Emanuel "Pig" Steward Jr.



Stacy Bailey - August 31, 2022 at 01:05 AM



I will always remember that laugh.

Stacy Bailey - August 31, 2022 at 01:07 AM

CB

“ Piggly Wiggly! I'm surely going to miss you & those good ole smoke links. You knew just what I wanted & how I wanted them and made sure that "COrie" got her smoke links. Rest well! We got Casey from here..Until we meet again..Love You!

Corrie Bailey - August 30, 2022 at 09:25 PM

CC

“ Manuel you are going to be truly missed. Memories of days from Sanyo-pig tails on Saturday night. Of times of you-theodis-and me talking late into the night about just about any and everything. You were always a true friend to me. Tell my husband how much I miss him when the two of you are laughing about good times. My heart goes out to your family. I promise the loss does get better. With prayers and love.
Cindy C Cole



Cindy c cole - August 30, 2022 at 01:06 PM



“ Rest in Heaven Pig remembering our days in Memphis,love you man.



Ricky Green - August 29, 2022 at 04:20 PM

KA

“ 😊Pig, you will never be forgotten! You truly 🌹 a true friend to me you and that's so hard to find today we are in! my friend! RIP 🌹 I know you mom and Donna will be waiting at the gate! Until We meet again! 😊🙏🌹 love and peace to you and you family! 🙏🙏🙏😊 ,love little lady!



KarevThomas - August 29, 2022 at 02:52 PM

MM

Deepest Condolences to the Steward Family ...

Mason Mcghee - August 29, 2022 at 04:43 PM

RG

*Sending our deepest condolences to the Family and friends. R.i.L.
Pig!!!*

Robert Galloway - August 30, 2022 at 11:46 AM

RF

Going to miss you man , praying for family ,

Rodney Franklin - August 30, 2022 at 08:33 PM