

From His Children

MY HERO

You held my hand when I was small

You caught me when I fell.

You're the hero of my childhood and my later years as well.

*And every time I think of you my heart still fills with pride.
Though I'll always miss you Dad I know you're by my side.*

*In laughter and in sorrow, in sunshine and through rain,
I know you're watching over me until we meet again.*

-author unknown

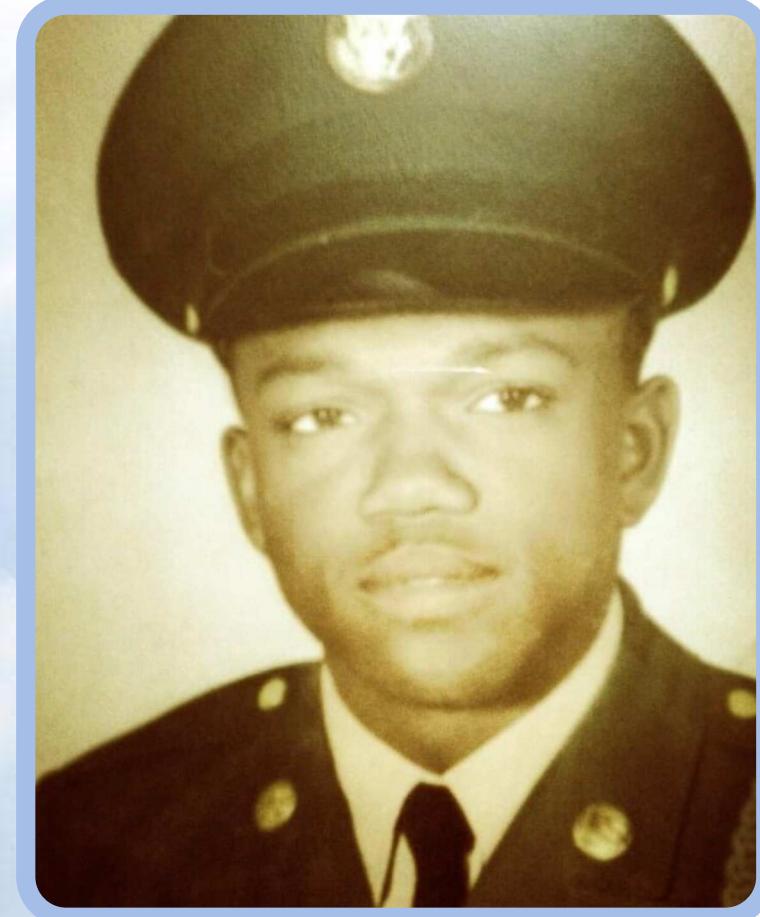


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CELEBRATING THE LIFE
OF

Ammar Ibn Jesar



SUNRISE

October 12, 1944

SUNSET

February 26, 2021

Private Services
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2021
1:00 PM

Interment following at
Asbury Cemetery
2536 County Road 33 • Skipperville, Alabama 36374

Brother James Barber, officiating

With the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful

“Say: Truly, my prayer and my service of sacrifice. My life and my death are (all) for Allah, The Cherisher of the Worlds: No partner hath He: This am I commanded, And I am the first Of those who bow To His Will”

-Al-Qur'an 6:162-163

Obituary

Ammar Ibn Jesar was born in Ozark, Alabama on October 12, 1944 to the late Windell and Ruth Baxter (Currington). He graduated from D.A. Smith High School in 1964. After graduating high school, Ammar joined the U.S. Army and served 8 years. He served two tours of duty in Vietnam. During this time, he reverted to Islam. On May 31, 1980, he married Fatin Jesar. To this union, five beautiful children were born; whom were the most important part of his life.

Ammar was a devoted father. He enjoyed spending time with his children and especially adored the company of his grandchildren. He was an avid reader who enjoyed learning about history.

Ammar Ibn Jesar, a Vietnam Veteran and life-long resident of Ozark, Alabama, died February 26, 2021.

Ammar Ibn Jesar is survived by his wife, Fatin Jesar ; his five children, Zubaedia, Sabirah, Qadree, Radeyah (Lester Eutsey), and Ammar Ibn Jesar II, his grandchildren Nialah, Elijah, Jammar, Arman, and Ocean, his sisters, Gaynell Christian Almaruf (Thomas)- Miami, Florida, and Theresa Currington Montford (Dwayne) -Midland City, Alabama, his five grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. He is predeceased by his brothers, Woodrow Baxter, and Ruben Baxter; his sister, Lillie Baxter Smith, and brothers, Willie Currington and Jerome Currington. And his loving Mother and Father in law George and Laura Harris.

Ammar Ibn Jesar will be deeply missed by his family, friends and all who knew him.

