



## Jonathan Andrew Tate

June 2, 1974 - December 3, 2024

### MY JOURNEY

JONATHAN TATE was born June 2, 1974 in East Elmhurst, NY to Julia Cotton and Timothy Tate. He was the second born that day, just 11 minutes after his fraternal twin Timothy. He was a quiet sensitive child who often kept to himself. He attended the local elementary and middle schools. He went on to attend Bryant High School briefly but later opted to obtain a GED.

As an adult Jon didn't follow the normal employment path. He opted to be a caregiver for his family. He helped raise his special niece Janesa. He was a loving and patient care provider who was always there for her. When he wasn't taking care of her he helped all the elderly neighbors. Jon would help with groceries, cooking, medicine, appointments, dog sitting and even minor repairs . Whatever they needed

he would help them. He was a gentle soul. He was someone who would literally give you his shirt and go without one if you needed it. Everyone who knew him loved him.

Jonathan is survived by his mother: Julia Cotton-Lee, his siblings: Warren Tate, Jocee Leah Cotton, Timothy Tate (his twin), and Brandon Lee; His niece Janesa; His first cousins Pernell, Ameeka, and Alphonso and a host of extended family members and friends whom he loved dearly.

He moves on to join the other family members who predeceased him, including Sunny, Junior, Granny, Elaine, FuFu, and his grandparents, uncles and aunts. May they all Rest in Heavenly Peace.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

DEC **28**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

TT

“ *Missing you My Twin Brother,  
You were so Nice to everyone.  
I could not have asked for a better brother than you. May God rest  
your soul,  
Love you, Until we meet again*

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**Timothy Tate** - November 11, 2025 at 12:10 PM

DV

“ *Jon Jon, you always had a smile on your face  
when we were growing up. I am glad the  
world was blessed to know you and see you  
grow. A new star has gone to Heaven.*



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**Danielle Volkar** - December 29, 2024 at 10:08 PM

EP

*Jon I can't believe that you left us too soon, we always had a good time  
when we hung out in the summertime on the boardwalk bench. Misd  
you ots going to be hard for me this coming summer.*

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**Eddie Padilla** - January 06, 2025 at 03:35 PM

EP

*Jon was a great friend and I'm glad to had meet him back in 2014 not  
enough time 10years.*

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**Eddie Padilla** - January 06, 2025 at 03:37 PM

MN

“ Jonathan was the friendliest and most kindest person I was lucky enough to know and love. I'm so sorry for his family ! He will be sorely missed.



Maureen Nelson - December 28, 2024 at 05:39 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jonathan Andrew Tate.



December 27, 2024 at 03:22 PM

EP

“ Jon until we meet again, we have another angel watching over us. Love and will miss you.

Eddie Padilla - December 26, 2024 at 06:02 PM

EP

“ Eddie Padilla sent a virtual gift in memory of Jonathan Andrew Tate



Eddie Padilla - December 26, 2024 at 05:45 PM

MN

Eddie, you made him smile in heaven! Thank you and God bless you and his poor family! He was a wonderful friend and I loved him.

Maureen Nelson - December 28, 2024 at 05:26 PM