

Vance Sherod Ruff, 69, passed away peacefully at his home on June 11, 2009. He was born in Richmond, VA on February 14, 1940 to Wesley R. and Pearl Virginia Berry Ruff. Mr. Ruff worked for 27 years at the Department of Corrections, retiring in 1995. He enjoyed home improvement projects and was also an avid collector of cars, planes and trains. He is survived by his wife, Daisy Evans Ruff, children: Albert Green, Barbara Godbee, Roxanne Robles, Geoffrey Ruff, Benjamin Green, Yvette Taylor, Patrick Evans, Yolanda (Kevin) Guardino, Monica Cooper, Tamisha Hawthorne and Vance Ruff, Jr., brother Wesley (Ruth) R. Ruff, Jr., 17 grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and his trusty-friend "Chopper". Vance was loved by all. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, June 16 from 9-11 AM at the E.O. CURRY FUNERAL HOME, where Funeral Services will be held at 11:30 AM followed by interment at Hillside Cemetery, Cortlandt Manor, NY. The Family wishes donations be made to Hospice Inc, 540 White Plains Rd, Ste 300, Tarrytown, NY 10591 E.O. CURRY FUNERAL HOME, INC. 313 North James St. Peekskill, NY 10566 914-737-0083