



## Leroy Mincey

April 13, 1946 - May 4, 2020

Leroy “Poppa Roy” Mincey 74, of Hamden, Connecticut departed this life suddenly on Monday, May 4th, 2020. He was born to the late Willie Mincey and Rosa Lee Jenkins in Sardis, Georgia on April 13, 1946. He was married to the love of his life, Lillie Mincey. Leroy attended public schools in Georgia. He later moved to New Jersey, where he resided for many years.

Leroy moved to New Haven, Connecticut in 1967. He was a hard working man from an early age. He retired from the Southern Connecticut Gas Company in 2007 after more than 30 years. Leroy had a great love for softball and was an asset to his teams. He was known to knock the ball out of the park in almost every game. He played for Oishi Moto and the New Haven Black Hawks.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife, Lil Mincey, two daughters, Barbara Mincey of Hamden, CT, and Darcel Franklin (Michael) of Chesapeake, VA, one son, Denaris Fleming of Norfolk, VA, five grandchildren, Andre’ Sutton of New Haven, CT, Falon Persley of Virginia Beach, Va, D’Naja Fleming of New Haven, CT, Michaela and Deion Franklin of Chesapeake, VA, and two great granddaughters, Taela Sutton of Greensboro, NC and Alaina Jones of New Haven, CT, one brother Herschel Jenkins of Newark, NJ, one sister, Leatha Gyamfi of Bloomfield, NJ, one sister inlaw, Carrie Clark (David) of California, one special aunt, Lena Bell of Augusta, GA, and a host of other

relatives and friends.

He was predeceased by his parents, brothers, Michael, Hosea, and Jamie Jenkins, and sister Willene Jenkins.

# Cemetery Details

## Beaverdale Memorial Park

90 Pine Rock Avenue  
New Haven, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

MAY 12. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

McClam Funeral Home Chapel  
95 Dixwell Ave  
New Haven, CT 06511

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Leroy Mincey*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *We were in 6 and 7th grade together in Sardis. Never never make the mistake of pitching the ball up and away. If you did you had to look for it. my condolences to the family.*  
*Thomas Williams*

**Thomas Williams** - June 10, 2020 at 07:24 PM



“ *Cousin Lillie, As you remember your Husband, I am praying that God's Love will comfort you, reminding you again and again that you are not alone. May God answer each prayer spoken for you with strength of heart and peace of mind.*

*With Heartfelt Sympathy and Love. Carol & Daughter (Riverside, Mo)*

**Carol Simmons** - May 17, 2020 at 12:40 PM



*Dearest Cuz Lil! I was saddened when I heard that Papa had fallen asleep in the Arms of Jesus. Nevertheless JESUS Arms the "BESTEST Arms To Be". Praying for you and the family. 💕 Evelyn Allen*

**Evelyn Allen** - May 18, 2020 at 06:13 PM

VL

“ Valerie Lomack lit a candle in memory of Leroy Mincey



Valerie Lomack - May 14, 2020 at 01:58 PM

AB

“ Barbara you and the family have my condolences,praying for you that God will give you extra strength on today and in the days to come,remember weeping may endure for a night but joy comes in the morning....



Anita Benton - May 13, 2020 at 09:31 PM

TD

“ Mincey family,  
may you find peace during this difficult time  
you are in my prayers

Towanna S Duncan - May 12, 2020 at 07:23 PM

AT

“ May 11, 2020  
My condolences to Lill, Barbara and the Mincey family. I remember Leroy and his grey GTO back in the early 70s. He was a big guy with a kind spirit. Rest in Honor friend!  
Angela Thigpen  
Friend

Angela Thigpen - May 12, 2020 at 08:24 AM

MB

“ *Rest in Paradise my dear cousin. I will miss you tremendously.*

Melvin & Ruby Broom - May 12, 2020 at 07:37 AM

KW

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Kelvin Walker - May 12, 2020 at 07:02 AM

JR

“ *While there is no way I can feel your pain, I do feel your loss as I have known Leroy for many years. Peace and blessings to you and your family during this difficult time.*

John Roberts - May 12, 2020 at 06:41 AM

MI

“ *Mary Alice Reynolds, Irving lit a candle in memory of Leroy Mincey*



Mary Alice Reynolds, Irving - May 12, 2020 at 01:16 AM

YF

“ Your friend Loretta Stephens Adderson & fami purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Leroy Mincey.



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**Your friend Loretta Stephens Adderson & fami** - May 11, 2020  
at 10:12 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Leroy Mincey.



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May 11, 2020 at 05:35 PM

FJ

“ Having met Leroy in New Haven, CT in the 1960's then realizing we were both from the same county in Georgia (Burke) invoked in us a strong relationship. Leroy was the kind of guy that you treasured to be a friend with. He will be greatly missed and as I have said to Lil, I will keep in touch with you.

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**Fred D Grant, Jr** - May 11, 2020 at 04:34 PM

SB

“ Sis. Darcel, Bro. Michael, The Lord cares and will comfort your hearts during this time and forever. Please remember that our memories are forever and a place where we can always visit when our loved ones are no longer here with us. Condolences and prayers for the extended family.

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**Sister Vanessa Fowler (ENOCH BAPTIST)** - May 11, 2020 at 04:30 PM

BJ

“ It is with a bit of disbelief that I am writing this note of sympathy. Leroy and I did not speak to each other often, but when we talked, we caught up. It was the time of his demise that I was looking through my rolodex and there was his card. I pulled it aside saying I would call, it was too late. Memories of Leroy will last with me forever.

Betty G Jackson - May 11, 2020 at 04:27 PM

JG

“ Leroy will surely be missed. We will keep the family in our prayers.  
Jimmy Giles

Jimmy Giles - May 11, 2020 at 03:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Leroy Mincey.



May 11, 2020 at 03:26 PM

AW

“ Condolences to the Mincey family. Cousin loved his family near and far. He regularly called his Texas family with love, support and care. His friendly and positive presence will be missed. We are praying for you all.  
The Alfred Walker family (Rev. Al, Angela, Azaria and Al Mark II)

Angela Walker - May 11, 2020 at 11:05 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Leroy Mincey.*



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May 11, 2020 at 10:21 AM



“ *no matter wherever he is,he'll always be watching over you He will stay with you forever*  
*Condolences*

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**Anita Tinney-Green** - May 11, 2020 at 10:12 AM



“ *Lillie and family,*  
*We are very sorry to hear this news.*  
*Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*  
*The Fontana family from Hamden Hall*  
*Take care*

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**Joe Fontana** - May 11, 2020 at 09:07 AM



“ *Sending our most sincere condolences and much love to the family...rest in peace Leroy*  
*Love, Eileen, Aaron & Morgan*



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**eileen esdaile** - May 11, 2020 at 08:59 AM

WJ

“ My heartfelt sympathy to Leroy's family, miss the good old days, when we played a lot of softball, RIP.

William Johnson - May 11, 2020 at 02:35 AM

SJ

“ Lil Leroy was a dear friend of mine as you know and we all will miss him so very much as well as you. Leroy is at peace now and he left a lot of memories here for us to share. Lil we want for you dear. God bless you and we are praying for you and the rest of the family. I was lucky enough to do Barbara's wedding I remember that day well. Well all love him he was that kind of a guy.

Samuel L Jackson Jr - May 10, 2020 at 10:48 PM

KM

“ Prayers 🙏🙏🙏 & Condolences to u Barbara & Family Much Love  
❤️❤️❤️🥰🥰🥰 Kim Moore-Bacote

Kim Moore-Bacote - May 10, 2020 at 09:24 PM

OM

“ Prayers for you Lil, and family. Leroy was like a brother and will be missed. I thank God for having him on my life! Will always cherish the memories we have. Love you girl. Wolf and Jacqui.

Ossie "Wolf" Matthews - May 10, 2020 at 09:08 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Leroy Mincey.



May 10, 2020 at 08:41 PM

KM

“ *The love you showed me growing up will always be remembered, you treated me as one of your own and I’m thankful and blessed to have had you in my life. I can still smile thinking about me and Barb begging you borrow your car knowing you would never say no to our plea. Your love and memories will forever be in our hearts, don’t you worry I’ll make sure your baby girl Barb has me in her life forever* 💔



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**Kaprice Miller** - May 10, 2020 at 06:08 PM

NB

“ *Nina Blackwell lit a candle in memory of Leroy Mincey*



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**Nina Blackwell** - May 10, 2020 at 04:42 PM

KH

“ *Hi Lil on behalf prof me and my we would like to send you our heartfelt sympathy. God bless Katie Hawkins*



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**katie hawkins** - May 09, 2020 at 09:40 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Leroy Mincey.* ”



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May 09, 2020 at 03:40 PM