



## Monroe N. Young

December 17, 1947 - November 3, 2022

Monroe Nathan Young

Age 74, residing in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania was called home on Thursday, November 3, 2022 after his hard-fought battle with pancreatic cancer. Monroe was born on December 17, 1947 to James Luniford Young and Lennis Wise. He spent much of his early life surrounded by friends and family in Jefferson County, PA. He began his high school career at Jones High School in West Elizabeth then transferred to Thomas Jefferson High school where he played football and received his high school diploma. After graduating he was one of three selected young black men to attend Hampton Institute, (now Hampton University) provided by the College Negro Fund. There he earned his bachelor's degree in Secondary Education and Carpentry. He strived to be a lifelong Hampton pirate and cultivated lifelong friendships. He successfully balanced his school and social life to graduate in 1970. After graduating he moved to Pittsburgh where he began working for the Pittsburgh Public School District as a substitute teacher for a short time. Then he moved on to US Steel as the Supervisor of Power & Fuel, overseeing the Homestand Works. After the downsizing of US Steel, he moved on to supervisory positions in various companies in Western PA. He retired from the workforce in 2015 and enjoy his senior citizen years. Monroe lived a full and beautiful life, enjoying hobbies like hunting with his son, playing chess with his daughter, or attending homecoming and track events with his beloved friends. He is survived by his aforementioned daughter Keelyn, son Tyler, and two grandchildren Kyla and

Tristian Young. He is also survived by his sister, Treva Young, three nieces and six great nieces and nephews, and a host of cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents. Professional Services trusted to D'ALESSANDRO FUNERAL HOME & CREMATORY LTD., Lawrenceville. [www.dalessandrold.com](http://www.dalessandrold.com).

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