

Wardel Alfonzo Ashford

Wardel Alfonzo Ashford, 57, passed away January 13, 2007.

Services conducted by the Reverend Johnnie Glenn were held Thursday, January 18, 2007 at 3 p.m. at St. John Baptist Church. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Family and friends were pallbearers and floral bearers.

A native of Winnsboro, Ashford was born September 14, 1949 to Willie Mae Bell Ashford and the Late James Ashford. He was a house mover with Carolina House Movers, and also a veteran of the United States Army.

He leaves memories to his loving mother, Willie Mae Bell Ashford of the home; also to his

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Wilson

1996 Tahoe LT *4x4* ...

2001 Tahoe LT

2001 Dodge Ram ..

2002 Toyota 4-Runner

2002 Suburban LT .

2003 Trailblazer LT s

2003 Grand Am *Load*

wife, Jessie Mae Kennedy Ashford (34 years); two sons, Clarence Ashford of Lexington, Terrence Ashford; three daughters, Lanette (Tavon) Ashford, Vernadette (Damon) Sloss of Blackstock, and Jackqueline Ashford of Columbia; eleven grandchildren, Amber Chappell, India Hemphill, Daylon Sloss of Blackstock, Malayzhia Ashford, Terrence Ashford, Deshana Ashford, Megan and Catherine Hampton, both of Columbia, Kacey Ashford, Brianna Ashford, and Shakeem Ashford of Lexington; mother-in-law, Mary Kennedy McDaniel; one great grand of Columbia; three aunts, one uncle of Philadelphia; one aunt of Detroit; and a host of other family friends, cousins, nieces, nephews, and in-laws.

Mr. Ashford was predeceased in death by his father, James Ashford; daughter, Catherine Ashford; brother, Odell Ashford; and uncle Leroy Bell.

ndboxes, etc. saw in a moment, the enormity of that comparison, when seen through the eyes of those who lived in these vast landscapes of sand.

We made several stops for days at a time until I came to this FOB (Forward Operating Base) called Korean Village. This place redefines the phrase "Out in the sticks."

Our remote location, although far from the niceties of life, has almost a small town feel, where you recognize most of the faces, and become more creative with the things that keep you entertained. The men and women build things to resemble the things back home, and immerse themselves in work.

A ping-pong table goes "tick-tick-tick-tick" as they play, made with scrap wood, aircraft paint, and camouflage netting. A volleyball