



Clifford Capehart Jr.

March 22, 1976 - April 7, 2025

Clifford Capehart, affectionately known as "Babalou," was unexpectedly taken from life on April 7, 2025, at the age of 49—a day that will forever remain in the hearts of all who knew and loved him. Born on March 22, 1976, in New Haven, Connecticut, Clifford was the beloved son of the late Celestine Capehart and Beatrice Williamson Capehart.

A proud Wilbur Cross High School graduate, Clifford was a gentle giant known for his impeccable fashion sense and love for being sharply dressed. His passions included music, dancing, and cooking from scratch—a talent he mastered with care and creativity. Clifford's radiant smile and uplifting attitude brought joy to every room he entered, and his genuine kindness and humor left a lasting impression on all who crossed his path. Family was his greatest treasure, and he cherished every moment spent with his loved ones.

Clifford was the epitome of a devoted brother, uncle, cousin, and friend—always just a phone call away. He gave his all to family and friends alike, finding immense joy in attending family gatherings where he could showcase his exceptional culinary skills and legendary dance moves. Always the life of the party, Clifford was thoughtful to a fault, never forgetting a family birthday and always greeting others with love and appreciation. His enduring faith, compassion, and unwavering dedication to the people in his life will forever be remembered.

Clifford leaves to cherish his memory his sisters, Tyshi Williamson and Timira Matthews, and his brothers, Arthur Preston and Shunte Corley, all of New Haven, Connecticut. He will also be deeply missed by his Brick Baby and Barbershop brothers, stepchildren, special friend, aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and a host of other cherished relatives and friends.

Clifford is predeceased by his maternal grandparents, Mr. Frank and Geneva Williamson, and his paternal grandparents, Clifton and Ella Edwards.

Cemetery Details

Hamden Plains Cemetery

Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hour

APR 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The New Trinity Temple Church of God in Christ
285 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT

Funeral Service

APR 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MW

“ *Mina Williamson lit a candle in memory of Clifford Capehart*



Mina Williamson - May 23, 2025 at 01:05 PM

MW

“ *Top of the morning, Big Whoa..missing you like crazy. My heart is hurting and very sad since you left us.*

Mina Williamson - May 20, 2025 at 09:34 AM

MA

“ *May u rip I didn't know you, but I hear a lot of people say how good a person you are. You surely miss I will always miss I seen my*

love in my condolence to the family he was full of life. I watched a videos. I don't know you, but I love you.



marina - April 26, 2025 at 04:36 PM

MW

“ *Mina Williamson lit a candle in memory of Clifford Capehart*



Mina Williamson - April 25, 2025 at 03:30 PM

ID

“ Sip BOBBALOU give Momma Chaos a hug for me you will be truly missed I'll remember all the great times we had as kids.....
BRICKBABIESFOREVER MY BROTHA 🙏❤️💔

Ingrid Davis - April 24, 2025 at 01:33 PM

SB

“ It's with a heavy heart as tears roll down my face reflecting on who Bob was to everyone who knew him. Even when life came at him hard he kept it pushing. I will always remember his beautiful smile and loving spirit and those big bear hugs. My prayers are with everyone who loved him as I feel only God can lessen the pain. I love you Moni, Tyshi, Arthur, Everybody!! Bob will most definitely be missed

Santia Bennett - April 23, 2025 at 11:14 PM

TD

“ Send my deepest condolences to the family Big Fella. You will be missed.. Even though we are far apart I will always keep your memories in my heart.. Love you always
tamika daniels



Timeka daniels - April 23, 2025 at 09:01 PM

SB

“ Praying 🙏 for my family! R.I.H.
Love The Fenner Family!

Stacey Blackwell - April 23, 2025 at 06:29 PM

QB

“ *Cousin you will be truly missed I remember the last time I seen you and you give me a big hug. When I heard the news it broke my heart. Love you.*

Quinesha Bonner - April 23, 2025 at 05:28 PM

IA

“ *Babalou ,what can't anyone that knew him say of him ,he was a gentle giant laughter, smiles and happiness was big on his list. I've had the pleasure of knowing him since yay high as well as the family. We come from a place which we call the Bricks where at one time it took a village to raise the youth. My brother you will never be forgotten and will always be in my heart. Yes it's sad how you left us but I'm gonna remember all the good times that we shared. Am I my brothers keeper? ❤️ your brick brother MIA*

iami - April 23, 2025 at 05:04 PM

MW

“ *My heart is sad and hurting for the loss of my nephew Bob, words can't describe the pain inside of me losing him. This is a hard and difficult one to handle, yet I know that the God I served will get me thru. I love and miss you so so much and will not rest until everything is in order. God bless you Bob..until we meet again. Rock the Heaven*



Mina Williamson - April 23, 2025 at 12:46 PM