



Nasir Lay

September 28, 2003 - March 22, 2025

NASIR SHAKUR LAY, was born September 28, 2003, in Decatur, Georgia to Marquenetta Clark-Bethune. His sudden heartbreaking demise occurred on March 22, 2025, at the age of 21.

Nasir was a beloved son, brother, grandson, great-grandson, uncle, nephew, cousin and friend. He had a pleasant personality full of hugs and smiles. He was kind hearted and caring. He loved to dance and joke.

Nasir strived to make a better life for himself, mother and grandmother;

taking every opportunity to try different types of employment. He had the best intentions and believed in God making things happen.

He started at an early age worshiping with his great-grandmother while living in New Haven, CT, at Trinity Lutheran Church. Upon moving to Georgia, Nasir and his mother continued to worship at Living Grace Lutheran Church in Tucker, GA.

Nasir attended school in the New Haven, CT public school system, as well as schools in Dekalb County and Douglas County school systems. He was employed at Pinnacle Pointe Daycare Academy, until his untimely passing.

Nasir leaves to cherish many fond memories, his dear mother, Marquenetta

Clark-Bethune; his ever-loving sister, Sharae' Clark and big brother, Matthias

Dontfraid II; stepfather, James Bethune; niece, Raelynn Dontfraid; his grandmother, Lorraine Clark and grandfather Edward Hunter; aunts, Tekia

Clark, Mary Clark and Ajia Williams; great aunts, Patricia Clark, Constance Clark, Selestine Clark and Minnie Clark; great uncle, Jesse Daniel; godmother Gail Pederstuen; cousins, Deondre' Clark, Marshaine Clark,

Monasia Harris, Ashiya Cowan and Elijah Willis; special friend, Jabreece

Blue; best friend Aerial McGlue and "Mello." He also leaves a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends to cherish his memory.

Nasir was predeceased by his great grandparents, Mary and David Clark and his cousins Deshon English and Tamaje' Lewis, Jr.

His family is thankful for the short years spent together on earth, until we meet again.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Calling Hour

APR 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Thomas Chapel Church of Christ
30 White St.
New Haven, CT

Funeral Service

APR 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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30 White St.
New Haven, CT

Tribute Wall

MC

“Minnie Clark sent a virtual gift in memory of Nasir Lay



Minnie Clark - May 07, 2025 at 01:03 AM

MC

“Nasir, such a blank of the way that you were chosen by God to leave your family ! You went on your first airplane trip with me, you were so excited 😊. Rest up great nephew. Love your aunt Dampppp as you said it 😊 . Minnie D.Clark

Minnie Clark - May 07, 2025 at 01:02 AM

MC

“Minnie Clark lit a candle in memory of Nasir Lay



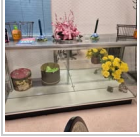
Minnie Clark - May 07, 2025 at 12:47 AM

MC

“Nasir, you were truly my miracle baby... I cannot believe you are no longer here... We were suppose to raise Raelynn together... My heart is completely shattered... I miss and love you so much!!! 😭😭💔💔



Marquenetta Clark-Bethune - April 08, 2025 at 02:32 PM



“ *James Clayton lit a candle in memory of Nasir Lay*



James Clayton - April 06, 2025 at 02:32 PM