



Tavaras Demetrius Meniffee Sr.

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Tavaras “Turbo” Demetrius Meniffee, Sr., 36, of Chattanooga, passed away Sunday, August 13, 2023. He was born January 2, 1987, in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Tavaras was preceded in death by his grandparents, Reverend Thomas and Rachel Sparks, Reverend Lucius and Louise Meniffee, Sr.; brother, Marvin Meniffee; uncles, Edward Chapman, Thomas Sparks, Jr., Jeffrey Meniffee, Sr., Calvin Meniffee, and Lovest Morris; aunts, Barbara Chapman and Kimberly R. Sparks; cousins, Derrick Smith, Makala Sparks, and Chadrick Sparks. He leaves to cherish his memories: his children, Tavaras Demetrius Meniffee, Jr. and Ale’yah Rose Rowland-Meniffee; parents, Marvin Meniffee and June Sparks Meniffee; sister, Tammy Sparks; brother, Dayontae’ (Timeka) Meniffee, Sr.; cousin brothers, Gerald Penn, Sr., Christopher Penn, Sr., Montez Meniffee, Brandon King, Bryan King, (Sabre) Christian Meniffee, Dominique Robinson, Deonte’ Robinson, Dedrick (Jesami) Brown, Cordell Sparks, and Brandon Wordlaw; cousin sisters, Lavette (Marsai) Hale, Jasmine Penn, Brittney (Shawn) Curtis, Tanisha Sparks, April Brown, Bricara King, and Brinae King; aunts, Charlette Brown, Gwendolyn Brown, Lillie Morris, Reba Sparks, Willie Ruth Meniffee, Joyce Chapman, Seteria Brown, Faye Brown, Charlene Sparks, Gale Chapman, and Netta Meniffee; uncles, Fred Brown, Lucius Meniffee, Darrell (Alicia) Meniffee, Willie Lee (Clothie Daveyah) Meniffee, Rodney Sparks, Maurice (Ginger) Sparks, and Wilbert (Julie) Sparks; nieces, Kennedy Meniffee, Dayonna Meniffee, Daveah Meniffee, and Jaylah Nelson; nephews, Javon Sparks, Dayontae’ Meniffee, Jr., Kaiden Meniffee, and Kingsleigh Meniffee; special friend, Dathan Mitchell; a host of loving cousins; other family and friends. Tavaras will lie-in-state on Friday, August 25, 2023, from 1-5 p.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Saturday, August 26, 2023, at 12 noon at Community Baptist Church with Pastor Gerald Penn as the eulogist. Burial in Highland Memorial Gardens.



Events

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Lie-In-State

Friday, August 25, 2023

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM ET

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3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411

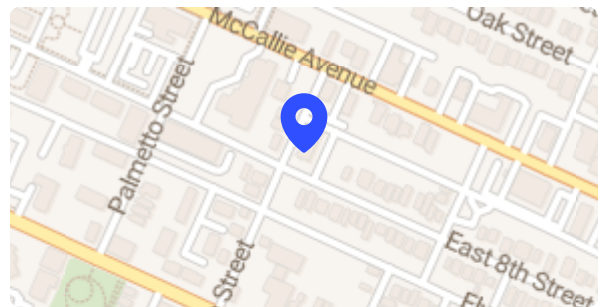


Service

Saturday, August 26, 2023

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM ET

Community Missionary Baptist Church
1001 E. 8th Street, Chattanooga TN 37403



Cemetery Details

Highland Memorial Gardens
TN





Tribute Wall

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AB

April Brown lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 24 at 12:05 PM



AB

April Brown posted:

I miss you family. You are still LOVED & REMEMBERD every day!

August 24 at 12:01 PM

TE

Tayztime Entertainment posted:

Our deepest sympathy with love to our family! Blessings and prosperity... Terese Menifee, Atlanta, GA@tayztime

January 9 at 4:33 PM

CT

Cynthia Thomas posted:

To the Family: Sending sincere heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one. Family and our children are our everything. Prayers for your comfort and strength as you go through this transition. Sincerely Cynthia Byrd Thomas & Family

August 26 at 11:28 AM

T

Tabatha Brown lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 26 at 9:45 AM



T

Tabatha Brown August 26 at 9:47 AM

Rest easy cousin. You will be missed. Love you always ❤️❤️



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WJ

Wilbert/Julie lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 26 at 2:45 AM



JW

Jeanette Woods August 28 at 9:09 AM
Sending my condolences

LS

Linda Strickland lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 25 at 8:01 PM



DS

Douglas Strickland lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 25 at 8:00 PM



LS

Linda Strickland August 25 at 8:03 PM
With love and deepest sympathy prayers going up

LH

Laretta Harrison lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 25 at 7:07 PM



KP

Kheisa M. Penn posted:

Our deepest and sincere condolences goes out to Tavaras family and friends during this difficult time. So sorry for your loss. Our prayers 🙏 are with you all, the Penn Family

August 25 at 1:01 PM



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PT

Patricia Ann Taylor posted:

Tarvaras (Turbo) You are at Peace now. May God continue to Bless your Family and give them Peace. You are truly missed by your Loved Ones (Brandon, Montez and Christian) We Love You Dearly and will miss you ❤️

August 25 at 11:59 AM

AP

April lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

Prayers for your family Rip

August 25 at 8:46 AM



BR

Brittney lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

LOVE YOU SO MUCH...!!!

August 24 at 6:26 PM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Meniffee family.

August 24 at 2:14 PM



NP

Nina Pierce lit a candle in honor of Tavaras.

August 24 at 12:22 PM



EJ

Ed Johnson September 3 at 4:10 PM

We Love you nephew now until we see you on the other side. So thankful we had that talk and said that prayer so we know you will be there but until then we will miss you. Love, Ed and Amanda



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Tavaras by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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