



Tahaya Damon Hardaway

February 19, 1986 - January 18, 2022

Tahaya Damon Hardaway entered this world on February 19, 1986. He was one of the great gifts given to Amander Hardaway and Vernon Johnson.

Tahaya left the world behind for trip to eternity on January 19, 2022.

Tahaya, aka "Lou" was born in Memphis, TN. In 1997 he along with his sister Seicha and Mother Amander, moved to Cedar Rapids, Iowa for a new beginning. This is where Tahaya would grow up, attend school, and eventually become a productive member of society. Tahaya had a strong sense of love for his family and friends. This intense love is what later led Tahaya to start his own family. He loved his two beautiful daughters Serenity and Amirah with a fierceness and tenacity that was unmatched.

It said that when the music played, Tahaya was going to sing or dance or maybe do both. It also said that he was good at neither of those two things. Tahaya had absolutely no rhythm and couldn't carry a tune in a bucket, but that never stopped him from telling people he used to be on Soul Train. If you count the soul train lines at the family gatherings, this could very well be true.

Tahaya leaves to cherish his memory, two precious daughters Serenity Hardaway of Hiawatha, Iowa and Amirah Mulengwa of Dallas, Texas. His loving Devoted Mother, Amander Hardaway of Hiawatha, Iowa; His Father, Vernon Johnson of St. Louis, Missouri; two sisters, Seicha Hardaway of

Hiawatha, Iowa and Angela Johnson of St. Louis, Missouri; one nephew, Karon Hardway-Jones, two nieces, Ka'Mya and Ka'Lia Jones all of Hiawatha, Iowa; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

New Park Cemetery

4536 Horn Lake Rd.
Memphis, TN 38109

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

Snow Funeral Home
1650 E Shelby Dr
Memphis, TN 38116
(901) 946-9726
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Your family at U.S. Nameplate purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Tahaya Damon Hardaway.



Your family at U.S. Nameplate - January 31, 2022 at 04:43 PM

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“ To my niece Amanda....I send you my deepest felt prayer that God will ease your pain and give you and your children the strength to hold on to his hand and allow him to carry you. "God will never put more on you than you can bare"... Love to you all from your aunt and the Collins family..Syma, Daniel & Gabriel Collins- Memphis

Syma Hollowell Collins - January 29, 2022 at 10:39 AM

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Good Morning Amanda, I wanted to express my deepest sympathy to you and our family. I can only imagine how much you are hurting right now but know God is there with you. lean on him, trust in his word and know he will see you through. My memory of Tahaya is his smile, when he would speak he was a very respectful young man. Hold your head up Amanda when you remember Tahaya, he is with you always.. he will Never leave you. I Love You, stay strong
Desiree'

Desiree' Williams - February 03, 2022 at 12:41 PM