

Honorary Pallbearers

Anthony Adams
Jermain Townsend
Neil Sledge

Chris Boom
Boo Bell
Marcus Miles

Interment

Private

A Very Special Brother

*It seems to me the day you left the sun forgot to shine
Because it feels as though the lights gone out within this heart of mine
My body feels so broken because we had to say goodbye
And my tears fall like raindrops everytime I cry
The pain that I am feeling is like a storm inside my heart
And it only grows much stronger everyday that we're apart
It's hard to see the future and to make it through the day
But I know you will be with me and help to light my way
When the light goes out for me I know what I shall do
I will close my eyes a final time and I will be with you*

Arrangements Entrusted To

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Acknowledgment

The family of Lysander D. Townsend Jr. acknowledges, with sincere appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of kindness shown during this time in bereavement.

Program by the House of Day Funeral Service

Celebrating the Life of



Lysander D. Townsend Jr.

Sunrise: July 13, 1976

Sunset: January 11, 2021

Service

Saturday, January 23, 2021
4:00 PM

The House of Day Funeral Service
2550 Nebraska Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43607

Elder Samuel Alfred, Eulogist

Obituary

Lysander D. Townsend was the first born son of the late Lysander Townsend Sr. and Darcea Miles. He was born July 13, 1976 and ended his earthly journey on January 11, 2021. Lysander was a loving son, devoted bother, father, grandson, nephew, uncle, cousin, and friend.

Lysander was recognized as a genius at 3 years old. At the age of 12 he was amongst the 1st class recipients of the highly selective and prestigious Bill Gates Scholarship. This Scholarship awarded him to attend St. John's High School and receive a full academic scholarship to the Ohio State University. Lysander was a first generation college graduate, obtaining a degree in Computer Science. His love for learning later led him to complete his Robotic Engineering Program. Lysander went on to work in his field of studies in many states throughout the country. He also served in the National Guard from 2002-2009.

Lysander is preceded in death by his father, Lysander Townsend Sr.; his brother, Levon Townsend; his uncle, Jeffrey Townsend; and special cousin, Eduardo Adams Jr.

Left to cherish his precious love and memories is his son, Lysander Townsend III; his mother Darcea Miles of Toledo; one brother, Makel Allen of Toledo; two sisters, Nichole Townsend Muniru (Nuru Muniru), Tiffany Townsend; grandmothers, Margarete Miles and Dorothy Townsend; four aunts, Bernadine Townsend, Rochelle Jackson, Angela Miles Laurretta Satterfield of Toledo, Ohio; eight uncles, Harvey (Julia) Townsend, Lawrence Townsend, Henry Townsend, Shaun Townsend, Lamont Miles, Frankie Miles, Kenneth Satterfield, Eduardo Adams Sr. of Toledo, Ohio; nieces and nephews, Miya, JayShon, Kierra, Shavonna, Levon, Da'veon, Leondre, Abdul, Habiba, and Haijara; special cousin, Anthony ((Paulie) Adams; and a host of many loving cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Processional

Musical Selection

Prayer.....LaShonna Alfred

Scripture

Acknowledgment of Condolences
and Obituary.....Rochelle Townsend

Remarks.....2 minutes, please

Musical Selection

Eulogy.....Elder Samuel Alfred



"I am the resurrection and the life.

He who believes in Me,
though he may die, he shall live.
And whoever believes in me shall never die."

John 11:25-26