

Service

Wednesday April 28, 2010 - 10:00 a.m.

CHAPELS OF EDEN FUNERAL HOME

110 South Munn Avenue • East Orange, NJ

Rev. Michael Bethune, Officiating

<u>Obituary</u>

Leon Dawain Neal AKA "L Burna" was born on April 20, 1988 in Orange, NJ to Lisa Smith Neal and the late George Leon Neal. He departed this life on the early morning of Sunday, April 18, 2010.

Leon was educated in the Essex County & Passaic County school systems. Leon also played football for the EO Rams and ran track for the EO Striders.

Leon started his career working at Express as a stock associate at Willowbrook Mall and UPS. His favorite basketball player was Kobe Bryant #24."GO LAKERS".

Leon is preceded in death by his father, George Leon Neal, grandparents, Calvin Smith Sr., George & Mary Neal, great-grandmother, Grandma Laws, and uncles, Curtis & Anthony Neal.

Leon leaves to cherish his memory: his mother, Lisa Smith Neal; sister, La'Toyah (Paterson, NJ); brothers, Curtis & Anthony Walker (Newark, NJ); his grandmother, Marsha Smith (Paterson, NJ); nieces, Ty'Janae Smith & Amiyah Porcher; uncles, Calvin Jr., Mark and Victor Smith (all of Paterson, NJ); Aunt Kena & Uncle Tracey Porcher, Aunt Sharon & Uncle Steven Chambers, Uncle Butch and Aunt Pam (all of East Orange); uncle, Frank Neal; aunts, Valverlyn Neal and Tyrema Lewis of Newark, NJ; cousins, Deshawn, Nicole, La-Shawn, Michael, Taliah, Talisha, Tyree and Stephanie; best & dearest friend, Veree Hilton; brother-in-law, Derek Smith; companion, Jessica Perez; and a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, family & friends.

Order of Service

Prayer of Comfort
Rev. Michael Bethune

1St Musical Selection
Tyron Brunson

Scripture Reading
La-Shawn Porcher

Remarks

Obituary
La-Shawn Porcher

2nd Musical Selection
Tyron Brunson

Eulogy
Rev. Michael Bethune

INTERMENT

Heavenly Rest Memorial Park
East Hanover, New Jersey
(please turn on headlights and hazards for cemetery procession.)



Sometimes life doesn't make sense at all, You have to pray for the better. You have to be strong for the fall your beautiful smile, your dimples. A heart that's warm and soft now that your gone we will never know the cause A family man for sure and its clearly we are your family and friends we love you too, oh so dearly just a young one presence gone so fast with precious memories and pictures is all we have to last god brings us here and takes us when we're done with our task, think of Dawain's future in heaven where we know he would be glad we're gonna miss you flexin your confident and charm your new home will bring you forever happiness you never have to worry about harm you will always be remembered you will always live in our hearts life will always be forever unpredictable but your love and our's will never part.







<u>Acknowledgements</u>

The family of **Leon Dawain "L Burna" Neal** gratefully acknowledges with sincere appreciation your expressions of love, support, kindness, comforting messages and prayers during this challenging time of sadness and reflection.

Professional Services Provided By

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