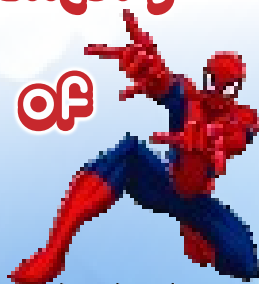




In Loving

Memory

of



Christian Pierre-a Cheno Phillips

"Budda"

Sunrise: June 24, 2009

Sunset: March 20, 2016



# Obituary

**Christian Pierre-a Cheno “Budda” Phillips** returned to his heavenly home and was granted his angel wings on Sunday, March 20, 2016, after a valiant battle with cancer. His devotion to his family and firm belief in GOD supported him in his struggle, and ultimately gave him peace. Christian was born to Shanay Bellamy and Troy Phillips of New York, New York on June 24, 2009 at Brooklyn Hospital. His final days were spent surrounded by family and friends that Christian had touched in some way throughout his short, yet memorable life.

Christian’s life would seem too short, but those who were touched by him understood that the quality of existence far exceeds the quantity of time in which one lives. His gentle smile could melt the hearts of those around him. Although Christian’s illness made him appear frail, he possessed strength, perseverance and ability to overcome incredible odds and physical challenges. With his courage he led us to believe that each day is a blessing and an opportunity to create lasting memories.

“Budda” loved playing basketball and enjoyed riding his bike and scooter, as well as playing video games with his siblings. He loved the color blue and his favorite food was pizza. Christian enjoyed listening to the sounds of children's laughter, which always placed a big smile on his face. He also loved to cuddle with his parents; it was one of the places that he could always sleep peacefully through the night. All of the comfort from his parents, family and friends will continue to remain in his heart and spirit, as he sleeps peacefully amongst the angels.

Christian is survived by: his parents, Shanay Bellamy and Troy Phillips; sisters, Shani Phillips and Tanisha; brothers, Kasiem Smith and Little Troy; his grandparents, Denise and Bruce Jenkins, Jihad Mohammed, and late Diane and Alvin Phillips; uncles, Ronnie Towns, Casium (Toniee) Brooks, Kevin Phillips, Alvin Phillips, Farris Phillips, and Ernest Jones; aunts, Chanel Alexander, late Leslie Phillips, Shamanie Phillips and Connie Phillips; and a host of aunts, uncles, family and friends.

Christian leaves behind many wonderful caregivers that provided love and support that enhanced his quality of life, Christian’s love extends to his wonderful nurses, doctors and other hospital staff. Christian was able to survive some of his toughest challenges because of all of their support. He will be deeply missed by all of his special caregivers at Mount Sinai Medical Center and the Morgan Stanley Children’s Hospital of New York Presbyterian. All of these special people, too numerous to mention, provided Christian with love and dignity in his life and also in his death.

*We all love you, but GOD loves you best.*

**Service**

Friday, March 25, 2016 - 10:00 a.m.

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**Order of Service**

The Processional

Opening Hymn

Scripture Readings.....Reverend Darryl Green  
Old Testament  
New Testament

Prayer .....Toniee Parker Brooks

Poem.....Written by Shanay Bellamy; read by Andrea Lee-Fisher

Acknowledgements and Obituary.....Charlene Culler

Musical Selection ..... Ken Alson, Jr.

Expressions and Remarks

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional

**Interment**

*George Washington Memorial Park  
Paramus, New Jersey*

A large, stylized illustration of Spider-Man in his red and blue suit, flying horizontally across the top half of the page. He is positioned as if he is soaring over a city, with a detailed cityscape visible in the background. The sky is a light blue with soft, white clouds. The text of the poem is centered in the middle of the page, below the Spider-Man illustration and above the 'Acknowledgement' section.

In our hearts we hold you close  
As God reached out His hand  
And summoned you home  
If tears could build a stairwell  
And memories, a lane  
I would walk right up to Heaven  
And bring you home again  
It's so hard to say goodbye  
When I'd rather have you here  
But I know that your soul is floating,  
I feel it in the air  
I'll see your face in the sun,  
The wind and the rain  
You're the song of hope and cheer,  
I know your in a better place  
No more pain, and no more fear  
You're in the clouds up above  
And the singing birds,  
Chanting words of love  
We will be together again one faithful day  
It won't be long so I'll promise to be patient and wait  
You'll be our little angel watching over the family tree  
And late at night as I sleep  
I'll feel your soft kiss on my cheek  
Dance on the clouds  
And skip your way through the garden Christian P  
But don't forget to save your energy for me  
I LOVE YOU DEARLY, love Mommy

## Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of  
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.  
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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