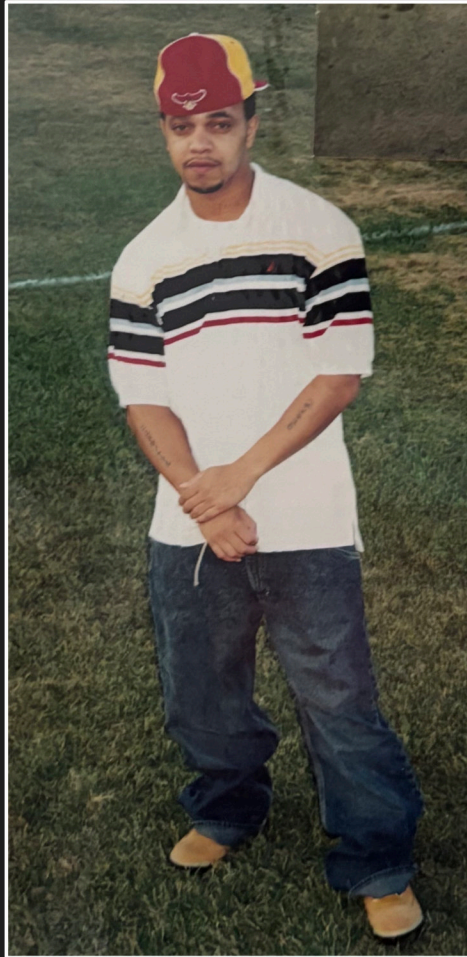


CELEBRATING THE LIFE
OF
Cheneir Dubois Ferebee

SUNRISE: March 15, 1978 - SUNSET: July 11, 2026



Sunday, July 26, 2026 -3:00pm

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Obituary

Cheneir Ferebee was born on March 15, 1978, at Flower Fifth Avenue Hospital in New York City to the late Belinda Cunningham and Clifton Ferebee.

Raised in Harlem on the East Side of Manhattan, Cheneir attended New York City public schools before earning his GED. During his childhood, he built lifelong friendships with the children in his neighborhood. Together, they found creative ways to earn spending money by packing groceries and carrying shopping bags for members of the community. Those early experiences helped shape his strong work ethic, sense of responsibility, and deep appreciation for helping others, qualities that remained with him throughout his life.

As a preteen and throughout his teenage years, Cheneir developed a passion for basketball. He proudly played for Each One Teach One, Young Life, and several other teams over the years. His love for the game never faded and remained one of his greatest joys throughout his life.

As a young adult, Cheneir pursued his entrepreneurial dreams by establishing his own import/export distribution business. His ambition, determination, and dedication required countless hours of hard work and frequent travel, but he embraced every challenge with perseverance and an unwavering desire to succeed.

Cheneir had a deep love for nature and truly enjoyed being outdoors. Whenever he wasn't traveling, he cherished spending time with his family. Those who knew him best will always remember him walking through the house with no shirt on, wearing only his jeans and socks, while filling every room with the soulful sounds of Betty Wright and Patti LaBelle. Those simple moments perfectly captured the comfort, happiness, and peace he found in being home with the people he loved most.

Cheneir was a loving, generous, and charismatic man who had a remarkable ability to make everyone feel welcomed and valued. He possessed an unforgettable sense of humor, always ready with a joke, a laugh, or a smile that could brighten anyone's day. His warm spirit, kind heart, and genuine nature left a lasting impression on everyone blessed to know him.

Above all else, Cheneir loved being a father. His children were the center of his world and his greatest source of pride. He treasured every moment spent with them and never missed an opportunity to boast about their intelligence and how much his children looked and acted just like him. Being their father was one of his greatest accomplishments and brought him immeasurable joy.

Loyal to those he loved, Cheneir faced life's challenges with courage, resilience, and determination. He stood firm in his beliefs, never backed down from adversity, and remained true to himself and those closest to his heart.

On Saturday, July 11, 2026, Cheneir peacefully departed this life, leaving behind a legacy of love, strength, laughter, and unwavering devotion to his family.

He leaves to cherish his precious memory his beloved children: sons Marcus, Sincere, Kyire, Cheneir Jr., and daughters Ri'lynn and Naveah; one cherished grandson; his siblings, Irving, Kevin, Davena, Shirelle, Vernetta, Vernon, and Kendall; his beloved cousins who were raised as siblings, Kenneth, Larnell, and Charnell; his lifelong best friends, Darnell ("D1"), Kareem, Ashanti, Poodah, and Kreep; along with a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family members, and dear friends who will forever hold his memory close to their hearts.

Although Cheneir is no longer with us in body, his love, laughter, strength, and spirit will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved him. His legacy will continue through the lives he touched, the family he cherished, and the countless memories that will forever bring comfort and smiles to those left behind.

Order of Service

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REMEMBER ME

Don't remember me with sadness,
Don't remember me with tears,
Remember all the laughter,
We've shared throughout the years.
Now I am contented
That my life it was worthwhile,
Knowing that I passed along the way
I made somebody smile.
When you are walking down the street
And you've got me on your mind,
I'm walking in your footsteps
Only half a step behind.
So please don't be unhappy
Just because I'm out of sight,
Remember that I'm with you
Each morning, noon and night.

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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