

# <u>Obituary</u>

#### MAR-MAR

Marquise Jenkins, 17, was born on July 29, 2001, to his loving parents Shakira Chambers and Milton Jenkins in Newark, NJ. He was their first boy child and oh what an exciting and joyful moment for both of his parents. Growing up as a child Marquise (Mar-mar) was a pleasant child that barely cried, but very alert. Mar-Mar was always respectful and was always that one that could put a smile on your face at times when you were down.

Marquise attended preschool at Learn to Love DayCare and moved on to University Elementary School. He then moved on to Irvington High School. Mar-Mar's favorite color was green and for those that don't know, the color green symbolizes balance, harmony and growth. It renews and restores depleted energy. Mar-Mar definitely had that personality to restore, give balance and energy to all that came in contact with him. He was the peacemaker especially when it came to family and friends. He had the personality to say "Nah don't do that" or "No chill, that's gonna get you in trouble" he was always the leader and encourager.

Mar-Mar also loved to eat, he would come in the house and say to his mother, "Ma, let me get some" and his mom would respond, "boy no you always begging", Mar-Mar to his mother "so Ma you really not gonna give me none", and his mother's response "boy here, now get out of my room". Mar-Mar was always full of laughs and fun.

Mar-Mar loved his siblings and parents dearly and never took his family for granted. He loved music, dancing, and he was definitely into his fashion and working out. While Mar-Mar was here on earth, he cherished every moment that was spent with family playing, wrestling, rapping, joking and just loving on each other.

Mar-Mar and his brother Quail always had these debates of whose muscles were bigger, but even though they had these debates they were both their brother's keeper and they had an unbreakable bond! Most of all Mar-Mar had a deep love and loyalty for his family and there's nothing he wouldn't do for his family.

To be such a young age, Mar-Mar touched those younger than him and those older than him. There wasn't anyone that he was around that he didn't leave a little mark of Mar-Mar on. So, in honor of Marquise (Mar-Mar) let's represent his color, the color green in every area of our lives by living in harmony with family and friends.

Marquise is survived by his mother Shakira Chambers, his father Milton Jenkins, Grandmother Delores Jenkins, Grandfather Johnny Henry and Carlton Green, two brothers Marquil Jenkins & Corey Pearson, 2 sisters La-Niece Chambers & La-Kira Chambers & his only niece Aaliyah Chambers and a host of aunts, uncles and cousins.

He is preceded in death by his grandmother Sharon Chambers-Green.

# Order of Service

Scripture - Psalms 18:2 Read by Charlene Massey

Prayer

Remarks (Family and Friends)

Reading of Obituary Latoya Chambers-Clarke

> Song Walt Sorey

Eulogy Reverend Carlson S. Washington

Recessional

### **INTERMENT**

Evergreen Cemetery Hillside, New Jersey







## Mother and Son

I would give my life to have you back, said his Mum
I know you would, said her son. I cry each night for you, said his Mum
And I catch all of your tears said her son
I pray for the day that I can see you again, said his Mum
Close your eyes and you can see me, said her son
You are the first person who loved me, and you are the first person I loved.
You were always there when I needed you, and you always knew when I needed
a hug. I am here for you now, mum in your heart and in your soul.
I did not take your heart with me instead I left mine with you to hold.
One day I will take your hand and lead you to paradise,
but until then my beautiful mother, when you want
to see me you only need to close your eyes.

## Acknowledgement

The family of Marquise "Mar Mar" Jenkins wishes to extend our sincere gratitude for all acts of kindness and sympathy shown to us at our time of bereavement. God bless you all for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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