

In Loving Memory



Nakiyyah Miller
“Denise”

Sunrise

September 26, 2000

Sunset

August 9, 2019

Service

Thursday, August 15, 2019 - 1:00 p.m.

MASJID NIA

229-231 Roseville Avenue • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Nakiyyah Denise Miller 18 died Friday, August 9, 2019 in Newark, NJ. Nakiyyah was born September 26, 2000 in Newark, NJ to Milton Lee and Rashida Miller.

Nakiyyah graduated from Malcolm Shabazz in 2018. She also received certificates in finance, culinary arts and ServSafe just to name a few.

Nakiyyah was a sweet, loving young woman who love making her family and friends laugh. She often enjoyed spending time with her best friend Zoey.

Nakiyyah is survived by her mother Rashida Miller, father Milton Lee, her two sisters Cynthia Lee-Brown, Marquia Hawkins, brother Khabir Favors-Lee, grandfather Joey Johnson, Best Friend Emajanae Plant (Zoey), and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. Nakiyyah was preceded in death by her grandmother Ruby Lee, grandfather Milton Madison and grandmother Geraldine Lee and and grandmother, Miriam Miller.

Nakiyyah will be missed by all her family and friends.



Order of Service

The deceased Muslim is placed horizontally in front of the Imam who stands, according to the Sunnah, at the shoulder of the deceased. The believers stand behind the Imam. There is no Ruku (bowing) or Sujuud (prostration) in the prayer. The prayer is conducted in an upright standing position, Qiyam and contains four takbirs.

FIRST TAKBIR:

The Imam says "*Allahu Akbar*" (God is Greatest), raising his hands to his ears and placing them between the chest and the navel. The followers do the same.

The Imam recites Surah Al Fatiha.

"In The Name of Allah, The Most Gracious, The Most Merciful.. All Praise is due to Allah, Lord of the worlds. The Most Gracious, The Most Merciful, Sovereign of the Day of Recompense. It is You we worship and You we ask for help. Guide us to the straight path - The path of those upon whom You have bestowed favor, not of those who have evoked Your anger or of those who are astray. Ameen

SECOND TAKBIR:

The Imam says "*Allahu Akbar*" without raising his hands. The followers repeat. They then invoke Allah's blessings upon the Prophet Muhammad (SAW) by reciting Salatu 'Alan Nabiyy. "*O Allah, shower Your Mercy upon Muhammad and the followers of Muhammad, as You showered Your Mercy upon Ibrahim and the followers of Ibrahim. Behold You are Praiseworthy. Glorious, Oh Allah, shower Your Blessings upon Muhammad and the followers of Muhammad as You showered Your Blessings upon Ibrahim and the followers of Ibrahim. Behold, You are Praiseworthy, Glorious.*

THIRD TAKBIR:

After the third takbir, the Imam and believers pray for the deceased by saying the following:

"Oh Allah, forgive those of us that are alive and those of us that are dead, those of us that are present and those of us who are absent; our minors and our elders; Oh Allah, whomsoever of us you keep alive, let him live as a follower of Islam and whomsoever of us you cause to die, let him die as a believer."

FOURTH TAKBIR:

The Imam says "*Allahu Akbar*" and the believers repeat. They then proceed with: "*Oh Allah, do no deny the reward which is due him, do not expose us to temptation after his death. Forgive us and him.*

The Imam concludes the prayer with:

"As Salaamu 'Aiaikum wa Rahmatullahi"* and the believers repeat.

**Peace and Mercy of Allah be upon you.*

BURIAL

The deceased is then taken to the burial ground where, according to the Sunnah (tradition

of the Prophet (SAW), he is placed facing the Qiblah (direction of prayer). While the body is being lowered into the grave, one may utter:

"In the Name of Allah, (we bury) according to the Sunnah of the Messenger of Allah."

Witnesses may help fill the grave with dirt with two hands at least three times.

"Out of It we created you, And into it we deposit you. And from it we shall take you out once again."

Surah 5: The Repast: *GOD will not take you to task for oaths which you may have uttered without thought, but He will take you to task for oaths which you have sworn in earnest. Thus, the breaking of an oath must be atoned for by feeding ten needy persons with more or less the same food as you are wont to give to your own families, or by clothing them, or by freeing a human being from bondage.*

In Appreciation

The Family would like to thank each of you for your expressions of love and sympathy during our time of bereavement.

Interment

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