

Celebration of Life Of



Padaya Malaysia Moya

Sunrise
April 24, 1991

Sunset
September 4, 2020

Service

Saturday, September 12, 2020 • 10:00am

Emmanuel Church of Christ DOC
198 Summer Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07104

Reverend Kevin Sutton, Pastor
Eulogist: Rev. Allen Simmons Jr.



Obituary

Sadaya Malaysia Moya was born April 24, 1991, to Stephen Lamont Moya and Tonnelle Patrice Saunders at 6:00PM, in Columbus Hospital Newark NJ. At an early age, Daya was baptized at the Emmanuel Church of Christ DOC Newark NJ.

Daya attended the Newark School System. She was in the graduating Class of 2009 from Newark Vocational Technical High School Newark NJ. She further her education by attending college in Central Pennsylvania and Essex County College in Newark NJ. This is where she found her love for the medical field, receiving a certification as a Medical Assistant/EKG/Phlebotomist and Ultrasound Technician. Unstoppable was what she was! With her certifications in hand, she landed a job at the East Orange Health Department East Orange NJ. She worked alongside her Auntie Sharon Bland, who mentored her in her job. And as with anything Daya did in her life; she excelled on her job. Being a stellar employee, she continued to work until she became pregnant with her beautiful twin boys: Zahir and Zakhi Stevenson.

Her boys were her life. She could always be found cuddled with her boys on the couch watching a good horror movie; or taking them to the park or Chucky Cheese which were the twins favorite pass time. It brought her joy to spent time with her family and friends; however, you could always find Daya hanging out with her sister/ cousin Quaneisha. They were always on the go with Daya riding shotgun and iPhone in hand making videos of her and the boys. We may have been lucky to get in a picture every now and then. She never missed a day without calling her grandma (Mommy is what she called her). They would laugh, talk, and gossip for hours about everything. Daya was a daddy's girl at heart. She had to always reach out to him to give him updates on the twins and get fatherly advice that only father can give his daughter.

She may have been a daddy's girl, but her mother was never far away; not just a phone call, she lived right next door to her mother. She would call on her mother for help with the twins and always had a secret to tell. Her favorite words were, "Mom! Come over, I have a secret to tell you; but you cannot tell nobody. Promise Me! LOL." She was always having her mother call her Aunt Joann, to make her this or that. You could hear her on the phone, "Aunt Joann when you Coming...When you gonna be here?"

In the end Daya was at peace. She had her family around her. She said her good-byes on Thursday. On Saturday September 4, 2020, at 2:21am with her father at her side, in Overlook Hospital Summit NJ; After her courageous battle with Cancer, The Lord called Sadaya home to rest.

She was pre-deceased by her Grandmother Shelia Saunders, Newark NJ, Grandfather Tyrone Saunders Phoenix Arizona; Grandfather Iscon Moya Sr. Newark NJ; Great Grandparent Walter and Doris Bright Newark NJ; Aunt Cynthia Moya Newark NJ.

She leaves to cherish her memories her twins Zahir Sultan Stevenson Jr. and Zakhi Lamont Stevenson Newark NJ; Father Stephen L. Moya and Step-Mother Lisa Moya Albany New York; Mother Tonnelle P. Saunders and Step-Father Stanley Pinard; Brother Hakeem K. Saunders Newark NJ; Sister Imani D. Gray Long Branch NJ; Step-Sister Kyla Pinard; Grandmother Emma Moya Newark NJ; Four Aunts: Joann Somerville Newark NJ, Sharon Bland Newark NJ, Juliette Lawson (William) Kingston NC, Barbara Clemons (Fahmeem) Newark NJ. Three Uncles: Iscon Moya Jr. Newark NJ; Ricky Moya Newark NJ; Michael Watkins Irvington NJ; Two Nieces: Sanaa Saunders Newark NJ; Kallie Saunders Wilmington NC; Two Nephews: Shakeem Saunders Newark NJ; Hakeem K. Saunders Newark NJ; A host of cousins, other family members, her Church Family and Friends.

Order of Service

Officiating: Reverend Kevin Sutton

Prelude..... Musicians

Procession..... Clergy and Family

Hymn of Comfort..... “Angels Watching Over Me”

Old Testament..... Clergy

New Testament..... Clergy

Prayer of Comfort..... Clergy

Selection..... Musician

Remarks..... 2 Minutes only Please

Acknowledgement/ Cards/ Resolution..... Church Clerk

Selection..... Musician

Eulogy..... Rev. Allen Simmons Jr.

Recessional..... Clergy, Family & Friends

Interment

*Graceland Memorial Park
1900 Galloping Hill Rd.
Kenilworth, New Jersey 07033*

Honorary Pallbearers

**Steven L. Moye
Stanley Pinard**

Active Pallbearers

**Iscon Moye Jr.
Eric Tyson
Marquis Moye
Shaheed Boyd**



Acknowledgements

The family of the late **Sadaya Malaysia Moye**:
Would like to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for
all acts of kindness shown during our time of bereavement.
Thanks extended for all calls, visits, flowers and prayers.

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