

In Loving Memory of



Shombé Davidson

Sunrise
July 21, 1977

Sunset
January 24, 2021

Monday, February 1, 2021

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Precious Memories



INTERMENT:
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We mourn today losing someone so young
who spent his last years in this fight
but maybe we should be thankful at least
for his rest and the end of his plight

From a baby so small he could fit in a hand
he grew to a giant, but gentle
his temper was fast but his easy laugh
would never show the pain that he went through

His family and friends were all of his days
and even sickness didn't stop that
because that's where we leave our real mark on the world
and from even a child Shombe got that

If there's one thing this year of pain and loss
has given us as a lesson
is that we don't necessarily get time
love is the only real blessing

and if we measure our lives in love
and not just hours and minutes
Shombe definitely didn't live a long life
but he lived all that life can have in it

- Aliah Greene 2021

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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Reflections

On July 21, 1977 at Harlem Hospital, **Shombé Rashard Davidson** was born almost 3 months early to Valerie Davidson and Alexander Worrell. Shombé was known as “Bay” by his many friends and family. He grew up in Harlem, New York in the St. Nicholas Housing projects and in 1990 Lexington Avenue with his late mother, Valerie Davidson, his late brother, Edward Allen Davidson, and his sister, Kaisha R. Davidson-Green. Shombé attended P.S. 92, P.S. 7, and Tito Puente Junior High School. Even though he was only 2 pounds 12 ounces when he was born, he grew to be well over 6 feet tall which helped him with work in a number of fields, including security, construction and maintenance.

In 2006, Shombé met and fell in love with Vashti Davidson and they got married in 2009. From two previous long-term relationships, Shombé was blessed with his daughters, Armani Davidson and Kylie Davidson, and his step-daughter, Shay Jones all of whom he loved dearly.

Shombé took joy from the simple things in life. He loved to attend family events such as cookouts and parties where he would love to eat and joke around. Shombé also loved his TV shows, like Black Ink Crew, his snacks from the bodega, and most importantly his music, especially old school hip hop. His favorite musical artist was Jay-Z, so much so that he took one of his nicknames, “Bay Hova”, from him. His favorite thing to do all his life was being outside with his friends, no matter the weather. Even COVID couldn't keep him indoors. You could find him right in front of 1990 every day eating a chopped cheese with white cheddar popcorn and an Arizona iced tea. You can say that he was the neighborhood mayor and because of that, he knew everybody and everybody knew him. . . . And to know Shombé was to love him.

Most of all, family was important to Shombé. He loved his girls, including nieces, Shakirah Davidson and Serenity Green, and they all had his heart. And for his cousins, even though he wasn't the youngest, Shombé was forever the baby of the bunch and got spoiled rotten by everybody.

On January 24, 2021, after a brave fight, Shombé entered into eternal rest at Mount Sinai Hospital. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Eddie B. and Clara Davidson; his mother, Valerie Davidson; his older brother, Edward Allen Davidson; his maternal aunts so close they were like second mothers, Prestine Dixon, Hattie Lucille Aponte, Edna Rae Bailey, and Rashidah Ascencio; a paternal aunt, Denise Worrell Garrett; and uncles, Hector Ascencio and Michael Bailey. They are all deeply missed.

Shombé leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife, Vashti Davidson; his daughters, Armani Davidson, Kylie Davidson, and Shay Jones; step-children, Daniel and Dan-Nesha Johnson and Danaja Bowles; his father, Alexander Worrell; his sisters, Kaisha R. Davidson-Green, Selaina Abraham, and Patricia Ann Williams; his brothers, Carlyle Worrell and Alexander Worrell III; sisters-in-law, Monique Parrish, Tracey Young, and Selicia Adams; brothers-in-law, Patrick Green and Thaddeus Lewis; nieces, Shakirah Davidson, Serenity Green, Ravyn and Rayne King; a nephew, Trevion Williams; beloved maternal aunts, Trannie Mae Samuels and Lailah Greene; paternal aunt, Regina Worrell; uncles, Wilbert Samuels, Raymond Aponte, Hassan Abdur'Rahman and Mas'ud Greene; Godbrother, Gerald Matthews; emotional support pets, Sosa and Tabby; a host of cousins who were more like brothers and sisters; and many special friends who were like family. They will all miss him dearly.