

Celebrating the Life of
Najah Conde

Sunrise
February 15, 1992

Sunset
March 7, 2021



Obituary

On February 15, 1992, a beautiful baby girl named Najah Cheryl Conde was born to Shareka Owens and Billy Conde and she was the apple of their life.

Najah attended several New York public schools, Mt. Morris Pre-school, Ralph Hernandez Dual Language 218, then graduated from Holcomb L. Rucker High School in Bronx, New York. Najah also attended Fulton Montgomery. Najah began her career at Educational Alliance as a Paraprofessional Educator. She had a passion for teaching and mentoring children.

Najah had a beautiful and loving soul always concerned about others. Her beautiful smile, the sound of her laugh would shift the energy in any room she entered. Najah's vivacious and energetic personality was loved by so many people. She was a true and trustworthy friend to many and showed love to everyone she met. Najah was an extraordinarily strong and courageous woman throughout her life as she faced a few troubles but conquered them all. She believed in living her best life in her own way. She loved being with her closest friends doing what brought her joy like jumping double dutch, dancing, being at the pool, shopping and spending mom and dad's money. Najah was 6 weeks pregnant when she was admitted to Bronx Lebanon Hospital from an asthma attack. She miscarried on February 27, 2021 and departed this life to join her unborn child on March 7, 2021.

To cherish her memory, Najah is survived by her beloved parents who will carry on her name, Billy Conde and Shareka Owens; boyfriend, Travon; devoted grandmothers, Barbara Owens and Lauren Conde; great grandmothers, Josephine Cummings (Preceded in Death), Hattie "Grandma Ditta" Dallas (Preceded in Death); grandfathers, Neil Cummings (Preceded in Death), Herman Hailey (Preceded in Death), great grandfather, Elijah Williams (Preceded in Death); great great grandparents, Mollie Cummings (Preceded in Death), and Mary Owens (Preceded in Death), great grandfather, John "Boss" Dallas Sr.; her amazing aunts, Mesha "Auntie Ma" Owens, Lisa Conde, and Lear Conde; her uncles, AJ Murphy, James "Uncle Dad" Evans, and Toby Murphy (Preceded in Death); her precious god-daughter, Jayla Owens; her god-father like no other, Jose Cruz; her loving god-mothers, Felicia Hunter, Latrell Stevenson, and LaTicia Bethea; sister-cousins, Monae Conde, Ajee' Dixon, and A'myah Fortune. Najah's only sister-cousin, Butterfly Jurnee Evans; her brother-cousins, Emanuel Conde, Cory Conde, Javon Owens, Jahlil Evans, and Aden Murphy; god-sisters, Seteria Agbeti, Sabrina Agbeti, Kimoni Stevenson, and Shay Shay; god-brothers, Kyree Stevenson, Tory Washington, Nasir Turner, Victor Cruz, and Gavin Cruz. Najah's best friend, Jalissa "JuJu"; her brother from another, Qu'Ran, and a host of other aunts, uncles, and cousins.

To: my three loving aunts when you see a butterfly, think of me and know I'm ok.

To My Forever Crew: Ajee', Sabrina, Seteria, Jalissa, Cheyenne, Shamel, Eriona, Sharda, Shaquanna, Asheree, and Hazel. I love you girls and I am okay!

To my Cummings Family: Your Buzzin is okay, so continue to live and love.

Thank you all for being in my life. I am eternally grateful.

Celebration of Life
Saturday, March 20, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

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Order of Service

Immediate Family Processional

Prayer

Scripture Reading John 14 : 1-4

Solo

Poem Trevor Cummings

Reading of Obituary Cynthia Cummings

Acknowledgements

Solo DeMani Conde

Poem Levette McCray

Words of Inspiration Eulogy Clergy

Solo

Final Thoughts

Immediate Dismissal of All Guest

Private Final Good-Byes for the Immediate Family Only

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call

I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times,
a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen

it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

Acknowledgment

The family wishes to thank all of you for your prayers, messages of comfort and the many other acts of kindness shown during our hour of bereavement. May God continue to bless you in a very special way.



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