

*In Loving Memory of*

*Abdullah Jihad Arafat*  
**(KIELE TERRANCE GEORGE)**

**SUNRISE: January 22, 1966 - SUNSET: March 16, 2024**

**Wednesday, March 20, 2024 - 10am**

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**Imam Yusef Hasan, Officiating**

# Obituary

**Abdullah Jihad Arafat**, known as Duke to his family, and Clyde and or Haas to his friends, transitioned on March 16, 2024, in Manhattan, New York, at the age of 58. He was born on January 22, 1966, in Harlem, New York, to the late Ms. Priscilla A. Hunter and Mr. Austin E. George.

Abdullah was a kind-hearted individual who always put others first. He was a provider, protector, and a beloved big brother to many. He cherished his family, and spending time with his friends. Known for his sense of humor and love of laughter, Abdullah was a beacon of positivity in his community in Harlem offering words of encouragement and support to all.

In his career as a Recovery Coach, Abdullah found pride in helping others discover their inner strength and become the best versions of themselves. He was dedicated to making a positive impact on those around him.

Abdullah's love for music was evident in his passion for identifying songs and artists. He had a remarkable talent for recognizing any song when played to him.

Abdullah is survived by: his first love and best friend, Charyandra Daniels; their two children, Chakoiya George and Kiele George, Jr.; and "Threw me under the bus" Jurnee Richardson (his and her joke); his brothers and sisters, Nequette, Anthony\*, Efren\*, Thayer, Jevaun, Kelliese, Lynijah, Rochard, and Astin; nieces and nephews, Dav-id Simmons, Hunter Payne, Kennedy O'Reilly, and Dennisha Lonon aka Mocha\*; a host of nieces and nephews, sisters-in-law, and brothers-in-law; and aunts, Karen and Brenda.

Abdullah converted to Islamic faith in 1998 and worshiped at the Mosque of Islamic Brotherhood.

*Abdullah will be missed, but he has left an indelible imprint in the hearts of all those who were fortunate enough to have known him.*

# *Janazah Prayer Service*

Reading of Obituary

Message of Janazah

Prayer Service

Final Respects

## *Interment*

Mt. Holiness Memorial Park  
Butler, New Jersey

## **A DESERVED REST**

**Daddy you rest now, your job here is done.  
Although we may not want to,  
We accept that you've passed on the baton.  
Your physical can't be seen, but that of your nurturing  
wisdom will guide us through our daily routines.  
Yes, we may slip and bump into walls, but we know all  
that you've instilled in us will cushion any and all falls.  
You've loved us from the day we were born.  
It's that love that we call upon now to make us strong.  
So you see Daddy, you really can rest now, for all that  
you were we've now become.**

**Always, Your Loving Daughters and Sons**

# MY TWIN AND ME

As long as I can remember people have been calling me BK aka Baby Kiele. I couldn't go nowhere without hearing "you look just like your daddy", "you walk just like your father", or "on my god, he smile just like Clyde". As a kid, I was always frustrated with it and knew I could never run from it. I'm really your twin. This fact only becomes more evident as you came home and lived with us. My favorite conversations with you were the ones when you told me about your past, the people, events, and feelings that made you you. The most impactful conversations left me feeling like I was just talking to my future self knowing I'm blessed, loved, and highly capable. Dad no matter what roads I travel, no matter what goals I achieve, the reflection that the world will see is you and me.



## 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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