



Davontye Marques Browder

August 19, 1987 - November 10, 2024

DaVontye Marques Browder, age 37 of Mattoon, IL passed away on Sunday, November 10, 2024, at his residence in Mattoon, IL.

A funeral service in his honor will be held at 12:00 PM, Saturday, November 23, 2024, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938. Reverend Marlon Williams and Reverend Tyron Browder will officiate. A committal service will immediately follow at Dodge Grove Cemetery in Mattoon, IL. The visitation will be held the same day from 10:00 AM until the time of service at the funeral home.

DaVontye was born on August 19, 1987, in Mattoon, IL to Vincent M. Butler Jr. and Renita D. Browder. He is survived by his father of Terre Haute, IN; his mother of Mattoon, IL; three daughters: Kaliyah L. and Kalisah M. Browder of Greenup, IL, and Kamiah D. Browder of Mattoon, IL; four brothers: LeAndre D. Browder of Mattoon, IL, Giorgio V. Colis of Lafayette, LA, Vincent Butler III of Los Angeles, CA, Trammel J. Browder of Effingham, IL; three sisters: Arshia R. Butler of Indianapolis, IN, Nacia Cason of Decatur, IL, LaTasha R. Butler of Indianapolis, IN; maternal grandfather, James E. Williams and step grandmother, Clarice of Bessemer, AL, maternal grandmother, Mary L. Browder of Kankakee, IL; and numerous, aunts, uncles, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Vincent M. Butler Sr, and Mary Butler.

DaVontye was a member of the Second Missionary Baptist Church in Mattoon, IL. In 2006 he graduated from Mattoon High School. He was

employed as a forklift driver at CHI Overhead Doors in Arthur, IL.

As a toddler, DaVontye's grandmother, Nellie, began teaching him how to cook and over the years, he polished those skills. He learned to mimic some of her favorite recipes along with her greens. He enjoyed cooking, barbecuing, fishing, and everything sports. He was an avid fan of the Chicago Bears and the Chicago Cubs. He loved his daughters and his family. He looked forward to family gatherings and cherished every moment.

Our hearts grieve over the tragic event that ended two lives.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with the family.

Cemetery Details

Dodge Grove Cemetery

917 North 22nd Street
Mattoon, IL 61938

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 23. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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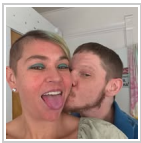
Tribute Wall



“ Susan Watts lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Susan Watts - November 23, 2024 at 01:39 PM



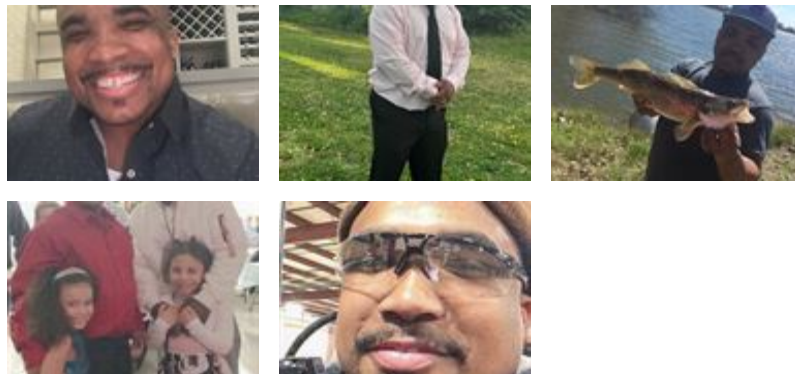
“ Shelby Manus lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Shelby Manus - November 23, 2024 at 08:51 AM



“ 101 files added to the album LifeTributes



Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home - November 20, 2024 at 07:50 PM

SF

“ Sykes Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.



Sykes Family - November 20, 2024 at 06:04 PM

SF

“ Sykes Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Davontye Marques Browder.

Sykes Family - November 20, 2024 at 06:04 PM

CC

“ Chanie Mae Children purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.



Chanie Mae Children - November 20, 2024 at 05:23 PM

WH

“ Wendell Hawn sent a virtual gift in memory of Davontye Marques Browder

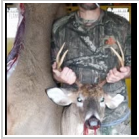


Wendell Hawn - November 19, 2024 at 09:55 PM

WH

I just wanted to see what brother I'll be with you sooner than you think I'll be with you soon brother and we can enjoy a good time again all right I love you bro I going to miss you a lot before anything happens to me though I'm getting your name tattooed on my back bro I got a tattoo of cemetery on my back with my family's based on it and you're going to be one of the morning bro I'm putting you on a gravestone but I'm putting it on in my back soon as I get paid I'm going to get your tattoo on my back to your name on it I love you little brother it's just hard on me right now I can't believe you're gone telling me bro it's hurting me bad but I'll be with you soon enough and what people think love you little brother so I see you again

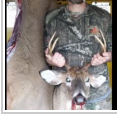
Wendell Hawn - November 19, 2024 at 09:58 PM



“ Wendell Hawn Jr. lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Wendell Hawn Jr. - November 19, 2024 at 04:35 PM



Hello brother I can't believe it bro when I seen you on Facebook really I could I couldn't believe it I didn't want to believe it I didn't want to believe it at all getting done on me right away didn't hit me you had me stuck looking at you guys these pictures and I couldn't believe it I didn't want to you know you're my little brother know when you're gone I have never cried rolling here and it hurts first you don't know how many times I've thought about doing it I was going to do it nothing to do this monkey kill myself bro you did it but when it hurts bro and it's killing me the same without you my brother I love you I can't remember it is totally really killing me bro it is really killing me bro that you're gone I wish I knew why I wish I knew how you were feeling but I don't but I know what you're going through cuz I went through with you still in depressed after all this I'm still depressed I'm never going to be saving you but I love you bro fly high brother I will miss you a lot bro it's not for me the same without you it's not going to be the same anymore but I love you bro I'll be with you soon enough promise you my baby brother and Mama leondre and tramel you like my mom LeAndre chameleon know you guys are my brothers my little brothers I'm so sorry sorry for you guys just lost you all know we're like brothers man I love you guys to death I never thought I would lose a brother I feel like in my heart I lost two brothers cuz leondre you talk to me all the time now it's like we grew apart but I've always love you as my little brother I'm sorry bro rest in peace devonte I'm sorry if you guys lost I love you guys I'll keep you in my prayers

Wendell Hawn Jr. - November 19, 2024 at 04:42 PM

CB

“ *Chynette Bullock purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.*



Chynette Bullock - November 19, 2024 at 09:32 AM

MG

“ *Praying for rhe family.*



Mary Gaddy - November 19, 2024 at 08:01 AM

TF

“ *The Mount Olive MB Church Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.*



The Mount Olive MB Church Family - November 18, 2024 at 04:55 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.*



November 18, 2024 at 12:56 PM

LS

“ *Be at peace DaVontye... I'll always remember your beautiful smile; you were always laughing and cracking jokes with Jason...you were like two peas in a pod...*



Laura Stone - November 16, 2024 at 07:25 PM

JL

“ Jessye Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Jessye Lawrence - November 16, 2024 at 10:12 AM

JT

“ Jason turner planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Davontye Marques Browder.

Jason turner - November 15, 2024 at 10:46 PM

JT

“ Jason turner purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.



Jason turner - November 15, 2024 at 10:46 PM

JT

“ I miss you brother I miss our talks every night it was simple thing asking each other what we was making for dinner I tell you just plain Jane you would say imma eat these noodles



jason turner - November 15, 2024 at 10:36 PM

NE

“ Rest easy cousin 🙏



Nila Edwards - November 15, 2024 at 03:53 PM

EL

“ My sincere condolences 🌸 🙏



Ethel Lee - November 15, 2024 at 03:47 PM

SL

“ Stephanie Love lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Stephanie Love - November 15, 2024 at 01:13 PM



“ My condolences and prayers to the family



Mary Gant - November 15, 2024 at 01:13 PM

PJ

“ Patricia Jamison lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Patricia Jamison - November 15, 2024 at 10:25 AM

CW

“ Cheryl Wilson lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Cheryl Wilson - November 15, 2024 at 09:30 AM

KC

“ Kathi Sewell Cobble lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



kathi sewell cobble - November 15, 2024 at 09:14 AM

TP

“ Terry Prude lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Terry Prude - November 15, 2024 at 08:45 AM

JA

“ *The smallest person with the biggest personality 😭❤️ You did your big one to our family with this one 😭 May the Lord Rest Your Soul*



jamara - November 14, 2024 at 08:50 PM

TB

“ *I'm at loss for words. I'm mad. I'm sad. I'm confused. But regardless, you'll be missed. I'll miss your smile, your laugh, your jokes, you made me smile on a bad day. You're one of my longest friends, fly highhhh D. 🕊️🙏❤️👍*



Taylor Butler - November 14, 2024 at 07:14 PM

CD

“ *Send my condolences and prayers to everyone. Praying for you guys love y'all so much*



Celia Dawson - November 14, 2024 at 06:36 PM

LM

“ *Lynn Mczkenzie lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder*



lynn Mczkenzie - November 14, 2024 at 03:59 PM

SE

“ Stacy Eich lit a candle in memory of Davontye Marques Browder



Stacy Eich - November 14, 2024 at 03:28 PM

CH

“ Oh my I'm lost for words d
Seeing this just has my heart ripped
I remember all them times back in the day fifteen twenty years ago
villa nova fuglies etc
We always laughed around each other
U always had a smile on ur face 😊 um you will be missed

Champagne - November 14, 2024 at 02:17 PM

CW

Our family loss you early on earth Bubbie but God was ready for you to go home. Our hearts are broken and it's like a dream we will never be able to explain. Only God knew the truth. You were here 37 years of life just about half of life. You accomplished things and I could see you had a promising life ahead. Very talking many ways. Your love, your strong hugs 😊 will be missed. And that contagious smile and personality. Life tried to snatcher but God got you. Peace, Love, and Eternal life you gain. Until we meet again Gson 💙🕊️💔🕊️ We all love and will remember you forever. Take your rest in power ygman. Gdaddy James, Gma Clarice, Uncle Tristan(Laquita)Cousin Tavaris(Jamonica). & the family.

Clarice Williams - November 14, 2024 at 03:59 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Davontye Marques Browder.* ”



November 14, 2024 at 01:50 PM