



Antonio Watkins

October 15, 1986 - February 16, 2023

Antonio Rom'mele Watkins was born October 15, 1986, In Blue Island, Illinois to Sophia Jones. He was a true joy to his mother. He was born into the Coptic Faith but later chose to explore his Baptist Faith. He returned to the Coptic Faith in 2003 where he joined Christ True Vine Coptic Church under the leadership of Prophet Samuel. He was taught by his teacher Imperial Queen Pleiades (Otha R. Watkins). He was baptized into the Coptic Faith at the age of 17 by the Prophet Samuel. Later he was elevated to a different degree and received his spiritual name. He was Royal Armor Bearer Samson. He graduated from Kankakee Junior High and entered into his Freshman year at Central High School (Clifton, IL) where he received his High School Diploma. Tony later attended DeVry University where he obtained an associate degree in computer science. Antonio maintained employment through numerous warehouses as a forklift operator and Logistics. He enjoyed building computers from scratch, listening to music, singing, dancing, going to church, and spending time with family and friends.

He was preceded in death by sister, Whitney S. Watkins, and brother Jerrell W. Watkins, two grandfathers, two grandmothers and an uncle.

Antonio leaves loving and comforting memories with: His devoted parents, four sisters ,Carerra N. Watkins-Adams (Terence Adams), Krystal Naylor, Jamesa Watkins and JaMiyah Watkins; seven brothers, Shaddare J. Watkins,

Jammar D. Watkins, Khaniyah T. Watkins, Torrian F. Watkins, Eric Naylor Jr., Derrick Naylor and Jarred Naylor; two nephews, Future and Marley; two nieces, Sophia and Terryn, three uncles; six aunts and a host of loving cousins, and three besties, Antoinette Wright, Antonio (Tony T) Thomas, and Dena Henley. and one God-sister, Tesha Wilson.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 10. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall


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“ *Your Family in Michigan The Tigues purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Antonio Watkins.*



Your Family in Michigan The Tigues - March 09, 2023 at 01:15 PM

PA

“ *Let your light with that cheesy smile and hard laughter shine bright. Find your brother's hand and hold on tight. For there is a light at the end of this tunnel. Missing you already. You Gentle Giant (Auntie Pamala)* 



PAN - March 07, 2023 at 05:21 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Antonio Watkins.*



March 07, 2023 at 11:49 AM

JF

“ *JOANN FORD-BOX lit a candle in memory of Antonio Watkins*



JOANN FORD-BOX - March 04, 2023 at 12:40 PM

LS

“ *Lorraine Strickland lit a candle in memory of Antonio Watkins*



Lorraine Strickland - March 04, 2023 at 08:53 AM