



Antonio Bell,

August 3, 1997 - June 8, 2012

BELL, Master Antonio L., Jr. "Lil Tony" - Age 14, passed away Friday, June 8, 2012. Family hour 12Noon Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church, 1851 W. Carpenter Rd., with funeral service commencing at 1 p.m. Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 12Noon Tuesday. Master Bell will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1-8 p.m. Monday. Master Antonio LaMott Bell, Jr. "Lil Tony" was born August 3, 1997 in Flint, Michigan, the son of Cheryl Lynn Richard and Antonio LaMott Bell, Sr. He was an out-going young man. Antonio Jr. enjoyed playing basketball, his dogs, video games, especially "2K12." He loved cracking jokes on his family, playing with his nephews, listening to music and talking on his cell phone. "Lil Tony" attended House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church and just completed the 8th grade at McKinley Middle School. He planned to attend Northwestern High School. "Lil Tony" had a special love for his "Momma", sisters and was A.K.A. their "Baby Bodyguard." His goals were to work with his grandfather and finish his Summer League playing basketball for A.A.U. with G-Sport. Master Antonio LaMott Bell, Jr. leaves to cherish his memory: parents, Cheryl Lynn Richard-Dobson and Antonio LaMott Bell, Sr.; step-father, Albert Dobson, Jr.; grandparents, Marilyn Richard, J. B. Sykes (Sheri) Sykes, Doretha Stone and Richie (Machelle) King; great-grandparents, George (Martha) Sykes; 7 sisters,

LonEsha Rushin, ArTirina Richard, Cherylon Dobson, Antwonique Bell, Ebonia Frater, Mia Bell and Maya Bell; 4 brothers, Marquez Richard, Albert Dobson III, Maurice Dobson and Isaiah Bell; a host of nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles. Master Antonio Bell, Jr. was preceded in death by his brother, Lonnie C. Rushin, Jr. and a host of other relatives.

Tribute Wall



“ Antonio Bell,

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ Thoughts and prayers to the family of Antonio. May his light always shine upon you...

Ms. J. Alexander - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



wassup tony man dis priness on here leaving a comment bout the lat time I seen you we was at skool in art class u was bout to fight ma friend syrus man I miss u gone to soon much love see u when I get up there peace R.I.P TO MR.TONY BELL JR

PRINESS - January 04, 2014 at 11:20 PM



“ MOVE AWAY to another state.... This is the reason I left Chicago! WE as parents must take action.. Sure, you can't change the people around you, BUT YOU CAN change the people that you are around. Take action now, start planning now, and MOVE away from that madness as soon as possible. It is easy to move away, it is HARD to bury a child- my heart is broken for you. Atlanta, GA

A mother of a son - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Antoino was a nice and strong person to be around.Me and Antonio always worked together in school and Antonio always call me Lil Brother i always helped in times of need.Stay strong Bell family R.I.P Antonio Bell also my Big Brother.

Joseph Williams Jr. - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Words can't truly express how I feel Tony Tony Tony I'm gonna miss u make sure u save big SIS a spot n heaven..... R.I.P Lil Tony

Lakeitha - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ To the family of Antonio Bell Jr, I send my deepest sympathy. The bible call these last days "critical times hard to deal with". (2 Timothy 3:1) And our young men seem to be having the hardest times. Please understand that Jehovah God see it and will soon act. First, He will have his son, Jesus remove the wickedness, (Psalms 37:9-11) and restore life to our dear loved ones sleeping in death. (John 5:28,29) Then Antonio will be able to finish the life he had just began.

Joyce - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ I imagine there is no pain more far-reaching and deeper than losing a child. My heart and prayers go out to you and your family at this most difficult time. Love you all...

CAMILLE MCGUIRE - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Cousin Cheryl and family, I know times like this will make the strongest person question their faith, but fear not because GOD will not put more on your shoulders than you can handle. We will get through this as a family and know that anything you need, whether it be a conversation or someone to lean on, I will always be here and most importantly, GOD will always be there for you. We LOVE you and Lil' Tony will not be forgotten!

Larry McBride & Kenya Bell - June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM