



Karongie Louis Bell

June 6, 1997 - August 28, 2020

Karongie was born on June 6, 1997 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee, Illinois to Talisa Merritt and Patrick Bell. Karongie moved to Minneapolis, Minnesota with his mother and siblings where he gained more family and friends who loved him and where he finished grade school and high school education.

Karongie was accepted to Christ at an early age at New Mount Sinai House of Faith. Karongie leaves this earth in memory of all his family. His mother, Talisa Merritt and step father, Jerry Merritt, his father, Patrick Bell. His siblings: Searra, Demetrious, Samierra, Dana, Lil Jerry, Chiquita Williams (Robert), Patrick Jr., and his other half, his twin sister Kangie.

He leaves in memory, his grandmother, Sherry, TeeTee Shorty (ROB), Uncle Donnie, and a host of other uncles, aunts and cousins from Illinois, California, Minnesota, and Detroit. During his time here he established long lasting friendships with Tray Ball, Shanea, Syntrea and Myron.

Karongie loved life...He left this world on August 28th in Oakland California. He moved there in 2018 to be closer to his grandmother, aunts, uncles and cousins. Another place he call home. Karongie received his Apprentice Certificate and planned to obtain his college degree in business. Although his plans for new beginnings and opportunities. God saw it a different way.

Yes...he is gone in the flesh, gone from this world...Karongie will forever be on our minds and in our hearts, but..His greatness was just too powerful for this world and God gave him a new home.

Events

SEP **Viewing** 01:00PM - 06:00PM

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Harris Funeral Home Legacy Center
1331 San Pablo Ave., Berkeley, CA, US, 94702

SEP **Service** 10:00AM

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Billman-Hunt Funeral Chapel Inc.
2701 Central Avenue N.E., Minneapolis, MN, US

Comments



“ I’m shocked at the news of your passing. You were a respectful, very manner-able, full of life and smart young man with so much life to give to this world! God Bless the family and may God provide healing to all of those Karonge touched! RIP



Kimberly Ward-Cox - September 19 at 11:18 AM



“ Karongie, my nephew, my other son!! Words cannot express how much I’m going to miss your smile or you just being goofy.. I love and miss you nephew.. Your memories will never be forgotten.. Your TT Shorty

Kisha Lazard - September 17 at 04:10 PM



“ Karongie, my twin, our brother, our loved one. I remember how much you was so touchy and funny, always dancing, joking, and so much of life. I know your living through me. God has you now and we will NEVER forget or to stop loving you baby
He has definitely gained an true angel .

Kangie Bell - September 14 at 11:56 AM



“ Talisa Merritt lit a candle in memory of Karongie Louis Bell



Talisa Merritt - September 12 at 01:43 AM



“ 18 files added to the album LifeTributes



Harris Funeral Home - September 08 at 01:34 PM



“ Karongie Bell my Lil brother he was something so special to me. I loved him with everything in me his was more of my lil big brother he was the one who told me do yo best sis and everything I did or do ! He always called me chocolate my childhood nickname no one uses any more but him and my Mother. He was unique and everything did he succeeded in ! He was our handsome man he was our baby the light to our family. He was funny always loved to dance and loved his family . Karongie was my rib my hip he and his twin Kangie Bell was specially created for me and that was everything I can ask for I love you brother with all in me till the world blows until we meet again brother !

Samierra - September 08 at 02:51 PM



“ Talisa Merritt lit a candle in memory of Karongie Louis Bell



Talisa Merritt - September 08 at 11:47 AM



“ Im gonna miss my handsome beautiful grandson im gonna miss you your memorie of you will always be in my heart love you always i know one day you will come into my dreams. Smile love grandma

Talisa Merritt - September 08 at 12:39 AM



“ Karongie was my son. His smile was as bright as a shining light. I will miss him running in the house and his loud laughter! His lame jokes that he laughed soo hard at! Most of all his gentle kisses on my forehead he always gave to his momma. I love you my baby...my son.

Talisa Merritt - September 07 at 11:59 PM



“ I remember the talks we had. Some were serious some were not. The last one was probably the most important one. You told me something so real. I can hear your voice. The look in your eyes. I will miss the late night sweet snacks too! You tip toeing trying not to laugh. You saying "you gettin old ma," then telling me in the same sentence but still your beautiful momma. Im feeling a little cheated.. But it's time for you to fly. I will love you always.

Talisa Merritt - September 08 at 12:13 AM