

The Celebration of Life of



Imani Nyasia McCray

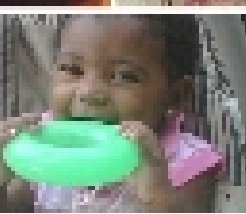
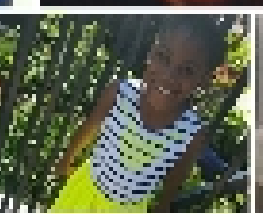
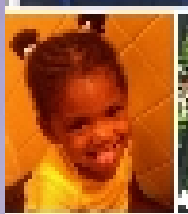
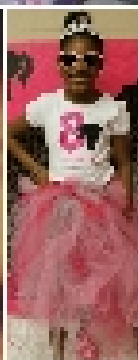
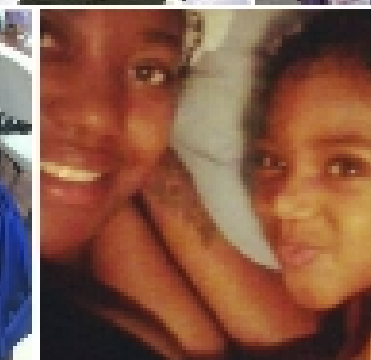
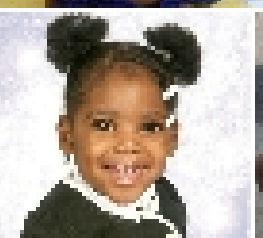
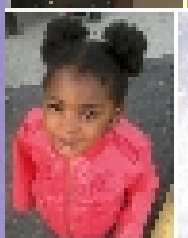
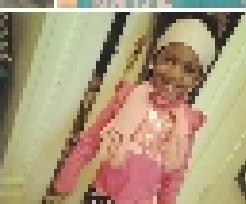
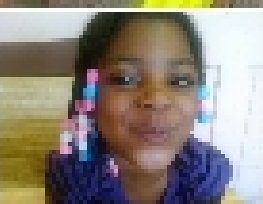
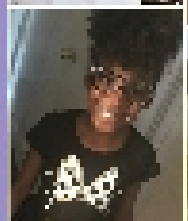
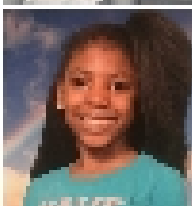
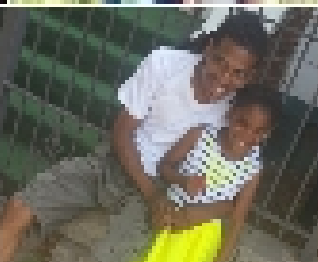
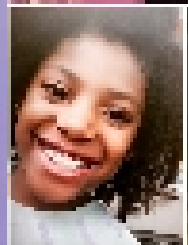
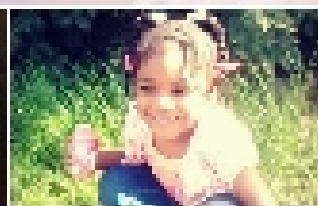
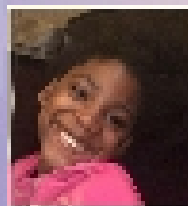
December 19, 2008 – December 10, 2017

Service:

Saturday, December 16, 2017 - 9:00 a.m.

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Obituary

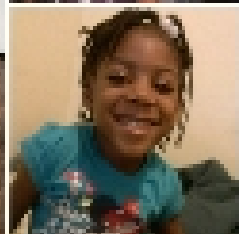
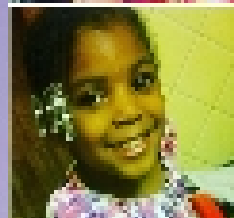
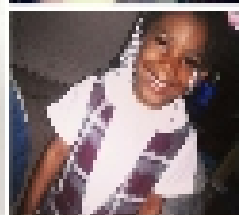
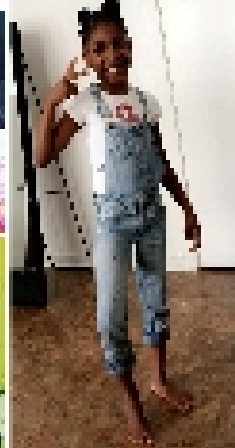
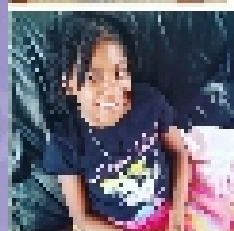
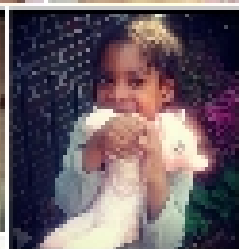
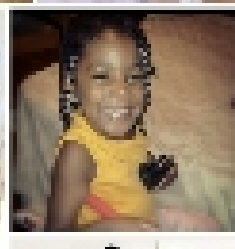
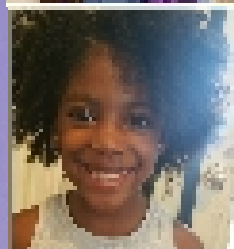
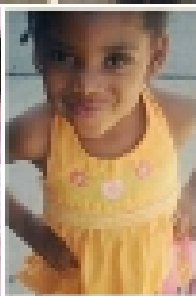
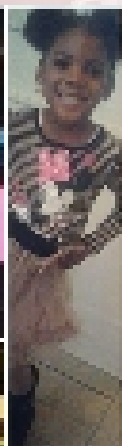
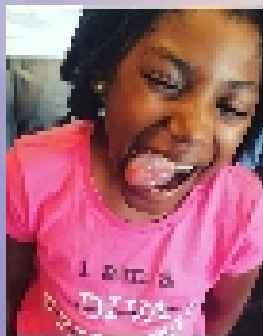
Imani Nyasia McCray was born into this world on December 19, 2008 at Beth Israel Hospital in Newark, NJ to Joseph Michael Brunson and Michelle Shanice McCray. Imani attended Torchlight Educational Academy since the age of 3 years old until her sudden departure from this earth on December 10, 2017.

Imani was such a bright, intelligent and high spirited eight year old who was full of life, joy and especially laughter which came with one of the prettiest smiles that would brighten up any one who was having a tough day. In school, as an Honor Roll Student, Imani always pushed herself to accomplish any obstacle she felt was a challenge.

Imani was and will always be a leader and was always proud of herself because she knew she had the courage to try something new. Although reading was her first love along with the colors pink and purple, she was also fond of hamburger helpers and unicorns.

Recently her new found passion was Science since she was amazed that basic things in life could result into a beautiful creation such as “slime.”

Imani leaves to cherish her memories her parents, Joseph Michael Brunson and Michelle Shanice McCray. Her grandmothers Traci Muhammad (Traci), Sukari Baldwin and Carrie Reed. Her grandfather's Joseph Brunson Jr. and Kyle Sr. (Ruth). Her siblings Khavion, Subriyya, Yusef and Jahzir. Her great grandparents Iya Bisa Washington and Hazel Brunson. Her uncles Dale, Kyle Jr., Jahaan (Sophia), and Quan and her aunts Keyannah, Dionne, Erinn, Jocelyn, Derlie, Latoya, Shana and Johntae and a host of great aunts, great uncles, cousins and friends and a special person in her life Israel Allen.



Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Opening Prayer.....Matthew Jackson Muhammad

Poem.....Rabiyah Rickard

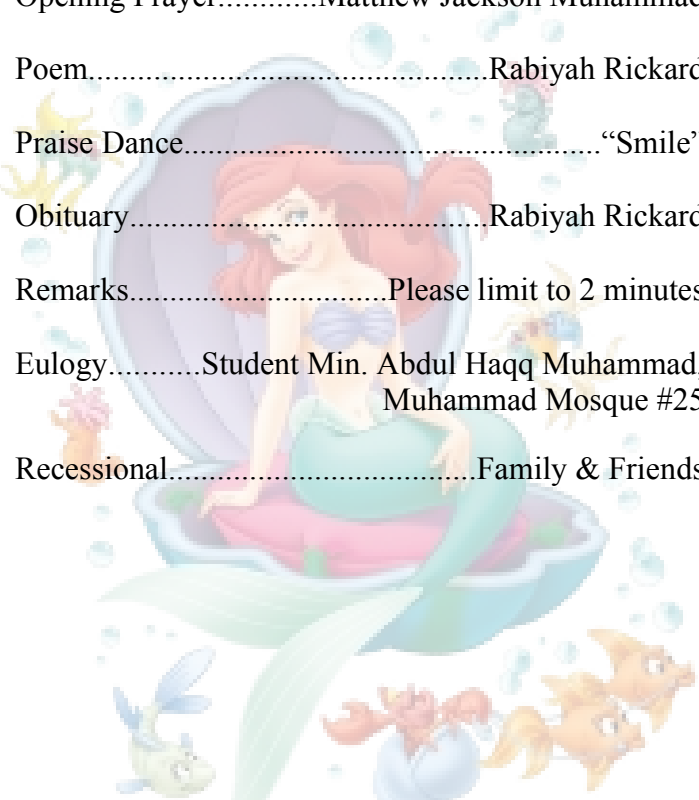
Praise Dance.....“Smile”

Obituary.....Rabiyah Rickard

Remarks.....Please limit to 2 minutes

Eulogy.....Student Min. Abdul Haqq Muhammad,
Muhammad Mosque #25

Recessional.....Family & Friends



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Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

Repast
Westside Community Center
Newark, NJ

Pall Bearers
Kyle McCray Jr. Jahaan Allen
Antwain Rickard David Rickard Muhammad

*“Verily, we are Allah’s
and verily to Him we shall return.”
Holy Quran 2:156*

A poem for Imani from her Family and Friends
Thank you Allah for our little girl,
the one with big eyes and soft brown curls.
She was special, as you already know,
which is why we didn’t want to let her go.
Imani touched the hearts of everyone she knew,
so letting you go is hard to do.
Your beautiful smile would brighten up the darkest room,
so sad you left us so soon.
Imani loved to sing all kinds of songs,
and really never did no wrong,
If we had the chance we would hold you tight
and tell you that your missed day and night.
Your favorite colors were purple and pink
and creating things that make us think.
You filled our lives with joy and pleasure,
you were to us a precious treasure.
Your short life on earth is now completed
and we’ll take this lesson as its needed.



Thank You

The family of **Imani McCray** would like to thank everyone for the visits, cards, calls and words of bereavement during this time of sorrow.

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