A Celebration of Life for

Sadiatu Mariatu Mahazu
January 9, 1989 – February 3, 2022

Monday, February 28, 2022 - 10AM

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Obituary

Sadiatu Mariatu Mahazu, also known as "Sadia" was born in Harlem, New York on January 9, 1989 to her proud parents, Ibrahim Mahazu and Fatmata Kamara. Sadiatu attended UFBCO Day Care Center Head Start, followed by P.S. 28 Elementary School, I.S. 275 Junior High School, and Bread and Roses High School.

One of Sadiatu's greatest achievements in life was the birth of her two beautiful children, Troy Belnavis, Jr. (age 12) and Trinity Belnavis (age 10). Sadia was a devoted, loving and supportive mother, daughter and sister. Sadiatu had many passions including cooking, dancing and hairdressing. She was amazingly smart and funny. Her beautiful smile and aura lit up the entire room; she had jokes for days. If she ever did your hair and you walked in looking like Don King, she tried her best to have you walking out looking like Beyonce. If you came to her home hungry, you left full. If you didn't have a place to stay, she tried her best to help, she'd even give you the shirt off her back. Sadia was also boisterous and didn't accept disrespect from anyone, but overall her good outweighed her bad.

Sadiatu uprooted her two children and relocated to Minnesota in August 2016 to build a better foundation. There she reunited with her Mahazu family which included her father, sister, brother, and other numerous family and friends. Sadia was focused and knew what she wanted to accomplish to fulfill her goals. She worked in healthcare for the elderly and disabled patients. She earned multiple accolades and certificates in the healthcare field. Some of her jobs were at Landmark of Fridley, Epiphany Assisted Living, and St. Teresa Assisted Living.

On Thursday, February 3, 2022, Sadiatu gained her wings. She leaves to mourn her loss and cherish her memories: her father, Ibrahim Mahazu; her mother, Fatmata Kamara; her siblings, Ibrahim Mahazu, Jr., Raisa Mahazu, and Alhaji Kamara; her children, Troy Belnavis, Jr. and Trinity Belnavis; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

POEM
By Raisa Mahazu

Today is the day you will be laid to rest, but you know what they say, God only takes the best. Everything happens for a reason, even if we may not agree. Just promise to look after us, your father, mother, sister, brothers and definitely your children, Troy and Trinity. Save a spot up there for us. The thought of you never being here on earth brings tears to our eyes, but even more so, because this was such a surprise. We should never question what God has planned. Some things aren't meant for us to understand. Until we meet again.

Order of Service

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INTERMENT:
Forest Green Park Cemetery
Morganville, New Jersey

Someone so dearly loved
So popular with her friends
We should not cry forever,
For this is not the end.

Her memory lives amongst us,
Times we both laughed and cried,
We cannot bare to lose her,
But one day, we all must die

We hear her voice within me,
And her funny little laugh
So many things remind us;
Of times that are now gone past.

We knew of no-one who hated her,
She was the apple of every eye
Any conflicts, we all once had
Are now by the by.

Acknowledgement

The family of Sadiatu Mahazu would like to thank everyone for their love and support. During this time of grief we truly appreciate the kind expression of words and sympathy. Thanks to all who contributed. To the many friends and families, you will always be in our hearts.