



Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson

May 30, 1999 - April 25, 2020

Keira Reese-Johnson departed this life on Saturday, April 25, 2020. She was born on May 30, 1999 to Shankeithy Pegram and Melvin Reese and stepfather Frank Pegram. Keira was affectionately known as “Keedy Jay.”

Keira attended Richmond City and Chesterfield County schools, where she graduated from L. C. Bird and went to Johnson C. Smith and transferred to Old Dominion University. She was studying Psychology as her major and Human Services as her minor.

Keira had a loving heart and was always willing to help others. She loved her brothers, nieces, nephews and little cousins; and was willing to go the extra mile for them no matter what. She adored her Mother and loved her Dad and Stepdad dearly. Keira loved her Pastor and First Lady and her church. Most of all, she loved praise dancing, singing, writing poems and drawing. She started her business, “Kei’s Kandle Kouture.”

Keira was preceded in death by her brother, Zekei Johnosn and uncle, Garey Halbert. She leaves to cherish her memory, her loving and caring mother Shankeithy Pegram; father Melvin Reese; stepdad Frank Pegram; brothers Frank Pegram and Melvin Reese, Jr.; sisters Jakiera Davis, Jaya Reese, and Octavia Reese; grandmothers Venise Halbert and Gloria Reese; grandfathers Andrew Pleasant and Melvin Reese; great-grandmothers Mary Johnson and

Maebel Pleasant; godmother Quinieck Newsom; aunts Bernette Halbert, Brittany Halbert, Lafonde Reese-Cary, Naketta Reese, Sherita King, Patrice Reese, Stephame Syenore; uncle Latrell Davis; a very special friend Tarnika Edmonds; and a host of great aunts and uncles, cousins and other relatives and friends, brothers and sisters, nieces and nephew.

Previous Events

Walk through Visitation

MAY 6. 2:30 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Walk through Visitation

MAY 7. 2:30 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

MAY 8. 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson, Please Click the Link below.*



March Funeral Homes - May 06, 2020 at 01:50 PM



“ *Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Kiera M Reese-Johnson*



Rosa D Pegram - May 14, 2020 at 07:07 PM



“ *Roane, Family lit a candle in memory of Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson*



Roane, Family - May 08, 2020 at 06:34 PM



“ Jackie Stewart lit a candle in memory of Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson



Jackie Stewart - May 08, 2020 at 04:27 PM



I remember you. As a sweet, funny little girl full of joy. When I seen at your aunt birthday party I seen you blossom into a beautiful young lady who was going places in life.. I will never forget you and I am so proud of you. You are now an angel watching over all of your family that will keep your spirit alive. Rest Princess In heaven.

Jackie Stewart - May 08, 2020 at 04:33 PM



“ Our deepest and sincere condolences to the Reese-Johnson family. From the Jackson family Kiera and Genesis were freshman roommates at JCSU. May she Rest In Peace and the Lord cover your family with his grace. God bless you all!



LaTasha Jackson - May 08, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ My condonace to the Johnson family from Lena love you all

Lena Murphy - May 08, 2020 at 02:19 PM



“ To my beautiful niece Keira your smile is so amazing.I will truly miss you. God knew better. Rest easy Aunt Avis💜💙💜💙💜💙💜💙💜💙

Avis Winston - May 08, 2020 at 10:59 AM

GS

“ Keira was a beautiful young lady with a beautiful smile and a great personality. I can't remember a time when I saw her that she didn't have a smile on her face. I am so very sorry that she is no longer with us. She is desperately missed and always will be. My sincerest sympathies to Kee and Pooh and our entire family.



Gail Singleton - May 08, 2020 at 07:11 AM

NA

“ You will forever be in our hearts ❤️❤️❤️❤️



Nakida - May 07, 2020 at 09:49 PM

NE

“ I'll love you always. Life isn't the same without seeing you acting silly or hearing you laugh. We've only known each other a short time but in this time, you became my best friend. I will cherish every memory I have of our many adventures and talks about any and everything!



Naadia England - May 07, 2020 at 03:59 PM

AC

“ *Such a bright light in my life gone way too soon! I'll miss dancing with you and hearing you scream my name when you see me. I love you so much!* ”




Alexis Coleman - May 07, 2020 at 02:29 PM

WW

“ *I'm sending my heartfelt sympathy to Kee & Melvin. May God comfort your hearts and give you the strength to live on. I love you. That beautiful smile will live on forever.* ”



Wanda Woody - May 07, 2020 at 08:03 AM

 Keiara Washington

“ *Keiara Washington lit a candle in memory of Keira Melesha Reese-Johnson* ”



Keiara Washington - May 06, 2020 at 03:11 PM

 Kenn Nichole

“ *Keira, you are my closest friend. I'll miss talking to you everyday. I'll miss laughing til we're crying. I'll miss ministering in dance with you. I miss you ! It's forever what we promised to each other and I'll do my very best. Watch over me and live through me ! Love you Johnson family* ”
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Kenn Nichole - May 06, 2020 at 03:10 PM

TI

“ Keira had the prettiest smile n her light touched alot of people. I just pray for yall daily only God knows what your going through....love yall



Tie - May 06, 2020 at 01:49 PM

BL

“ Keira was in my English class as Lloyd C. Bird High School. Her beautiful smile, generous heart, and gentle manner were contagious. She was hard working, and had big, wonderful future plans. I know that God's got Keira now, and that her smile is lighting up Heaven! My thoughts and prayers are with her family. With love, Beth Lucas

Beth Lucas - May 06, 2020 at 11:27 AM

KM

“ My condolences to the family.

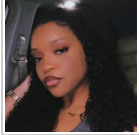


Kesha Monroe - May 05, 2020 at 03:15 PM

AP

“ Keira was a loving gentle hearted person, she knows how to make anyone smile she was funny and she had a very beautiful soul , I'm grateful that I met her and shared memories with her in class at LC Bird rest up beautiful..
-Alona Paige

Alona Paige - May 05, 2020 at 02:23 PM



“ I'd like to send my condolences to the family of Keira. During my short time knowing Keira as a suitemate at ODU this year, her personality & caring spirit could brighten anyone's day. I'll continue to pray for you all during this difficult time.

Briana Drew

Briana Drew - May 04, 2020 at 07:19 PM

MC

“ To the family & friends of Keira Johnson.,

We at Mount Calvary Cemetery wish to express our deepest sympathies for the loss of your loved one and we pray that God will help to ease your pain in the days to come. We are proud and honored to be chosen as the final resting place for Keira. This is a responsibility that we do not take lightly and I pledge the highest level of perpetual care to honor her memory. Please do not hesitate to call us with any concerns or if there is anything we can do to make these difficult experiences any easier.

*Jim Glass
General Mgr.
Mount Calvary Cemetery
804-355-5271*

Mount Calvary Cemetery - May 04, 2020 at 12:56 PM

CP

“ Someday soon, we all will be together again. If the fates allow until then, with God's help and our prayers you will make it through.
*Attorney Donald J. Gee and Gee Law Firm, P.C.
Richmond, Virginia*

Cavell Phillips - May 04, 2020 at 10:23 AM

AP

“ *Reese-Johnson & Pleasant Family,
Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days
ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your heart. Love, My
deepest sympathies.
Arlene (cousin of the Pleasant family)*

Arlene Purcell - May 01, 2020 at 07:24 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and
heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go
out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and
understand that you have received many expressions of love and
we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you
cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and
comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - May 01, 2020 at 03:28 PM