



Kelvin Abura Shearin

March 10, 1970 - June 16, 2008

Kelvin Abura Shearin entered into eternal rest Monday, June 16, 2008. an identical twin, he was born March 10, 1970, to Lillian Avent and Melvin Abura Sherin of Richmond, Virginia. Kelvin was educated in the public schools of Henrico County, Virginia, after which he furthered his education at Virginia Union University in Richmond. Under the pastorate of Reverend Jacob Taylor, Jr., Kelvin confessed his faith in Jesus Christ and was baptized May 1, 1977, at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Mechanicsville, Virginia. he served faithfully in the Sunbean Choir, Young Adult Ministry, Men's Ministry, and Church School. Kelvin answered the most important call of his life, the call to ministry, and was licensed April 6, 2008. Kelvin was a gifted, prolific, and dedicated writer through whom God delivered many inspirational messages and words of encouragement. His plans were to one day publish the massive collection of songs, poetry, plays, and novels written by him. Kelvin was employed with Embassy Suites Hotel of Richmond. Kelvin leaves to cherish his beautiful memory a loving son, Taj DeAndre` Leake; devoted parents, Lillian and Melvin Shearin; indential twin brother, Melvin F. Shearin; one nephew, Trey Melvin Shearin all of Richmond, Virginia; grandmother, Bernice P. Shearin of Garysburg, North Carolina; five uncles, Rev. Dr. Morris Shearin (Bertha) of Washington, D.C., Walter Shearin (Clara) of Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, Alva Shearin (Camilla) and Marshall Avent (Jackie) of Richmond, Virginia, Garland Avent (Maggie) of Wake Forest, North Carolina; nine aunts, Marjorie Boone of Seaboard, North Carolina, Jean Greene of

Salisbury, Maryland, Margaret King of Richmond, Virginia, Zelia Carter (Norman III) of Fort Washington, Maryland, Susie Lee, Elven Bridges and Rev. Rosa Shearin of Garysburg, North Carolina, Dr. Pocahontas Jones of Henrico, North Carolina, Linda Fitzpatrick of Washington, DC.; one great uncle, Garland Avent of Washington, D.C., two great aunts, Lillian Walston of Durham, North Carolina; and Sarah Watford Seaboard, North Carolina; godmother, Vivian Lanier of Washington, DC. and a host of other relatives and friends, special among them Erica McCormick.

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“ *Kelvin Abura Shearin*

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“ *Words can not express how I feel and the pain that ache my heart. Kelvin smile and laughter will always be with me and. You will truly be missed and forever loved. Love Aunt Linda##imported-begin##Linda Shearin Fitzpatrick##imported-end##*

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“ *Dear Melvin, and Family. I would like to give you my deepest sympathy. Kelvin is now with our heavenly father all of his worries, pains and stresses are now gone. Remember that GOD has a plan. I will keep you in my prayers. Love and many blessings.##imported-begin##Kim Woodson##imported-end##*

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“ *To the Shearin Family my prayers are with you during your lost. I will miss Kelvin's smile, and his encouraging words. He was a good friend, and someone I could depend on. I know that now he will be free to live without anymore suffering, stress, and the pains of life. No more burdens will dwell in his heart, mind nor spirit anymore. I know he is at peace. Love Tamara##imported-begin##Tamara Clarke##imported-end##*

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“ Dear Melvin and Family, Kelvin will truly be missed. I will always remember the good times we all shared growing up together; and the times we shared when we would run into each other. The encouraging words of wisdom I will never forget. One thing is for sure; we should never lose touch with friends. He is at peace. Love you and the family, Tonya Birdsong and Family##imported-begin##Tonya Birdsong##imported-end##

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“ Dear Family, My sincere condolences goes out to you. May you find comfort from Almighty God promises at John 5:28,29 and Revelation 21:3-5. Please take the time to read those promises and find a measure of comfort during this time of bereavement.##imported-begin##V Adams##imported-end##

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“ Melvin: We are praying that you can feel God's comforting arms as he carries you through the most difficult time in your life. You are loved. Sincerely, Randa and Runda Harris##imported-begin##Runda Harris##imported-end##

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“ Melvin and Lillian, My sincerest condolences on the loss of your son. You and your family are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Ruth Davis Allen##imported-end##

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“ Melvin & Lillian: My heartfelt condolences and prayers are extended to you on the passing of your son. May God bless and sustain you.##imported-begin##George Bracey, Jr.##imported-end##

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“ To the Shearin family my deepest sympathy.Kelvin played ball on my team for Glen Lea little league. Kelvin was well liked and a good sportsman. Rest in peace Kelvin. Coach Lewis##imported-begin##Martin Lewis##imported-end##

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“ Melvin and family, it saddened me deeply to learn of this. My heart, condolences, thoughts, prayers and best wishes are with you in this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Wm. David Moore, Jr (Peanut)##imported-end##

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“ To the Shearin Family, my deepest sympathy. Kelvin and I modeled together for a while and from that we gained a strong friendship. He was a great guy. Always there when I needed him the most. I know in my heart he is in a better place now. Words can't express how much I will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with you doing this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Sholonda Bibbs##imported-end##

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“ To Melvin and the Shearin family, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. I enjoyed the times we had in high school together, you were both like my big brothers and it meant a lot to me to have you in my life during that time. Years have separated us, but the memories keep us close together. Kelvin will be missed. Continue to stay strong in prayer.##imported-begin##La'Shawn (Wilson) Reid##imported-end##

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“ To the family and friends, I offer my sincere sympathy. The loss of one we love causes much sorrow and grief for us all. However, there is a remedy to this condition of death. It is the resurrection promised by "the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort who will comfort us in all our tribulation" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4). Job 14:14,15 lets us know that God has a "yearning" an earnest longing and desire to resurrect the dead. May you find comfort from these promises in God's word the Bible as we await the fulfillment of this wonderful provision.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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“ RIP Kelvin...u will be missed for real..##imported-begin##Dominique Smith##imported-end##

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“ On behalf of the Hayes Family, our deepest sympathies goes out to your family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Leslie Hayes (Brewer)##imported-end##

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“ To Kelvin's son, Mr. & Mrs. Shearin & Melvin, Learning just today about Kelvin's death has left me lost for words. I pray God's Peace & Comfort upon you. Thanks Kelvin for your hospitality during my ten day stay @ the Embassy May 07. Wanna hear something funny? I called Kelvin, Melvin even with his name tag on. (ha, ha) I know you all are use to it. Rest in Peace (TWIN)##imported-begin##Darlene##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my condolence for the loss of Kelvin. Act 24:15 lovingly declares: "There is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort and strength every time you think about the wonderful resurrection hope found in the Bible.##imported-begin##Mrs. Hill##imported-end##

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“ I offer my sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of Kelvin. Although I din"t know him personally, I can imagine how you feel, because I lost my only son at the age of 29. What has comforted me is knowing I have the hope of seeing him again in the promised ressurection. The bible says at John 5:28,29 that all those in the memorail tombs will hear Jesus"s voice and come out; those who did good things to a ressurection of life. I pray that you all will find comfort and strength in your precious memories of Kelvin, and trust in Jehovah will all your hearts, because he never fails to fullfill his word. Isaiah 55:11##imported-begin##Rita Johnson##imported-end##

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“ I keep looking at the email address you gave me over our 45 minute long overdo conversation as you packed for the Family Reunion while fussing at me about not coming this year. I keep saying to myself I should of emailed more, I should have kept in touch more. But regardless of how long it had been since we talked when we did talk to each other it was like we never missed a beep. That's what a fantabulous family member does and you truly are a fantabulous family member in ever sense of the word. You will truly be missed... Love you Kel...##imported-begin##Felicia Shearin##imported-end##

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