



Tornelle P. Williams

March 20, 1981 - April 7, 2013

“Be ye therefore ready also; For the son of man cometh at an hour when you think not.”

– Luke 12:40

TORNELLE PRENTICE WILLIAMS was born on March 20, 1981 in Baltimore City, Maryland. He was the second of two children born to Thomas and the late Regina Williams. He departed this life suddenly on Sunday, April 7, 2013.

Tornelle’s relationship with Christ was the stabilizing force in his life. He was baptized in Christ at an early age at the New Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorate of Reverend Robert Haynes. Like his father, Tornelle enjoyed raising a joyful noise for the Lord. At New Pleasant Grove, he sang on various choirs and played the drums and the saxophone.

Tornelle was educated in the Baltimore County Public School System. He graduated from Woodlawn High School in 1999, where he was heavily involved with the school band. Over the years Tornelle worked for a number of security firms in the Baltimore area, including Securitas and Wackenhutt. These firms assigned Tornelle to work at several sites in the local area.

At the time of his passing, Tornelle was enrolled at the Lincoln College of Technology in Columbia, Maryland, where he was studying to become an

automobile mechanic. He was avid and excited about his classes. His grades were at the honors level. Tornelle and his older brother, Thomas Jr. were both enrolled at Lincoln and were engaged in a sibling competition of love to see who would graduate with the highest grade point average.

Tornelle was preceded in death by his beloved mother, Regina. Tornelle and Regina were more than bosom buddies. Over the last years of her life as her health steadily declined, Tornelle became one of his mother's primary care givers. He spent long and precious hours with her prior to her death. Her parting was a very traumatic event for him.

Tornelle was a devoted Baltimore Ravens fan. By the continuous smile on his face earlier this year, it looked like he had won the Super Bowl. Like his mother Regina, Tornelle enjoyed reading. He also was a video game fanatic and enjoyed watching old karate movies. Tornelle also loved playing double deck pinochle. He and his brother would often challenge their parents, but most of the time the younger duo was not victorious.

He leaves to cherish his memory: a devoted father, Thomas; brother, Thomas Jr. (Tawanda Veal); nephew, Aaron; niece, Samohte'; a very dear friend, Melanie Malone; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Hill

5829 Ritchie Highway
Brooklyn, MD 21230

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 15. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Wake

APR 16. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Pleasant Zion Baptist Church
4317 Northpoint Blvd
Baltimore, MD

Service

APR 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Tornelle P. Williams*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May the God of all comfort be with your family. We can find comfort during these times by focusing on the God's promises for the future. Isaiah 33:24 says there will be a time when "no resident will say I am sick." Also Revelation 21:4 says "death will be no more."*

Allen - April 20, 2013 at 06:27 AM



“ *My heart goes out to the family of Tornelle. When I heard the news, I was soo shocked and hurt. He was one of the only real friends that I had at Lincoln Tech. He was very sweet and nice, and was always giving advice when needed. I miss him soo much, but I know he is in a better place.*



Mairi Elan - April 17, 2013 at 04:26 PM

AC

“ I am sorry for your loss and know that you'll forever miss Tornelle. He has gone home to wait for us to join him one day. During the time that I knew Tornelle, I found him to be a kind and caring soul. I will miss talking with him about football. He was taken from us too soon.



Arlen Crabb
Lincoln College of Technology

Arlen Crabb - April 15, 2013 at 03:57 PM

MS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 4yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.”— ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - April 15, 2013 at 10:09 AM

DJ

“ Denice JONES lit a candle in memory of Tornelle P. Williams



Denice JONES - April 12, 2013 at 08:35 AM

MF

“ *Ms. Stacy Freeman lit a candle in memory of
Tornelle P. Williams*



Ms. Stacy Freeman - April 10, 2013 at 08:57 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 - April 10, 2013 at 02:53 PM