Order of Service

Reverend Terrance Denefield, Presiding

Processional

Selection ..... Gospel

Scripture ..... Reverend Terrance Denefield

Prayer ..... Willie Jones

Solo ..... Felicia Smith

Reflections ..... (*Two Minutes Please*)

Selection ..... Gospel

Words of Comfort ..... Reverend Terrance Denefield

Recessional

Interment

Restlawn Cemeteries South
3301 Moncrief Road West
Jacksonville, Florida 32209

Pallbearers

Rashad Stephens
Bimley West III
Keenan Alderman
Corey Johnson
Jahquan Wright
Adriel Sykes

Flower Attendants

Family Members and Friends

"Fly High"

Tearful eyes within those who love you, sleepless nights of those who mourn you, Oh, how Amazed we are of the spirit, your spirit which still lives in us. The Vast of memories, laughs, and love, the souls you have touched fly high my brother to the Almighty, who has called you home. You will forever live within me, so I'll never be alone. In Remembrance of your smile, your style, you were so sweet, fly high my brother, fly high. Until again we Shall meet.

~Poem by Ashley Stephens~

Acknowledgement

Our sincere thanks to our many family members and friends for every act of kindness, support, sympathy, and most of all your prayers during our time of bereavement. We are extremely grateful for you, your thoughtfulness have meant so much to us. May God truly bless each of you.

~ The Family ~

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A Celebration of Life for

Tavarus Shavon Stephens

Sunrise
May 30, 1996

Sunset
March 14, 2021

Service
11:00 AM, Saturday, March 27, 2021

Paxon Revival Center Church
5461 Commonwealth Avenue
Jacksonville, Florida 32254

Reverend Terrance Denefield, Officiating

Cherished Memories

Life Reflections

On May 30,1996, Tavarus Shavon Stephens was born in Jacksonville, Florida to the parents of Patricia Stephens and Bimley West. He attended Hillsborough Community College in Tampa, Florida and graduated from Andrew Jackson Senior High School, Class of 2014.

Tavarus was smart, fun, loving and such an amazing father. His favorite sports were football and baseball. He played baseball for Andrew Jackson his senior year (2013-2014 Pitcher). Tavarus was named "Andrew Jackson Baseball Player of the year." Number #21.

He was full of life and would light up any room with laughter. His spirit was joyful, compassionate, and humble. He was a God-fearing man and put God before anything. Tavarus was an over achiever and all he ever wanted was to make sure his family was taken care of. In 2018, he was certified for his D & G License. He went to further his career to be a Merchant Seaman. Although his life was cut short his memories will forever live in our hearts.

Tavarus leaves to cherish his memory, mother, Patricia Stephens and father, Bimley West; his one and only son, Tavarus Stephens Jr.; fiancé, Jahleah Wright; siblings, Rashad Stephens, Ashley Stephens, Bimley West III, Takerria West, Antwan West, Khalil West (deceased), Bimely West, D'Artra West, and Jokobe West; grandmother, Cassandra Brown; aunt, Ida West; uncles, Zimley West and William Brown; loved one Patricia Porter and a host of aunts, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Family