

In Loving Memory of
Maliyah Larayah Shields
September 5, 2003 ~ March 20, 2021

Wake Services

*Fort Thompson Community Center
Fort Thompson, SD
Tuesday, March 23, 2021
Wednesday, March 24, 2021
7:00 p.m.*

Funeral Service

*Fort Thompson Community Center
Fort Thompson, SD
Thursday, March 25, 2021
1:00 p.m.*

Officiating

Rod Vaughn

Casketbearers

*Danny Ray Sazue
Alexander "Dre" Miller
Jeremiah Shields
Ethan Ross*

*Kyle "Herb" Felicia
Nigel Miller
Evon Drappeaux
Julian Eagle*

Honorary Bearers

*Tianna Witt
Dena Hawk
Taleigha Comes Flying
Shileah Witt
Ashleigh Walking Bull*

*Justice Walking Bull
Tresse Dion
Samantha His Law
Rozee & Audree Drapeau
Jayleah Hopkins*

All of Maliyah's Brothers

All of Her Other Friends & Relatives Too Many to Mention

Interment

*Conkicaska Presbyterian Cemetery
Fort Thompson, SD*

Arrangements By: *Hickey Funeral Home, Chamberlain, SD*

A million times I've needed you, a million
times I've cried... If love alone could have
saved you, you never would have died. In
life we loved you dearly, in death we love
you still. In my heart you hold a place, no
one else can ever fill. It broke my heart to
lose you but you didn't go alone. Part of
me went with you the day that God took
you home.



Maliyah Larayah Shields was born on September 5, 2003 to Robert Miller Jr. and Madeline Shields in Mitchell, SD. From the day she was born Maliyah's sweet personality and smile melted your heart. She had a sweet, kind, and gentle Spirit that made her a beautiful person. Her sweet soft spoken voice was her best trait that completed her.

She began her education at Chamberlain Elementary, Crow Creek Middle School and Crow Creek High School. She was a grade A student in Chamberlain and Crow Creek receiving many awards academically. She played volleyball and basketball during middle school and received awards for honor dorm and honor dorm of

the week. She was manager of the high school football team. Many of her teachers praised her for being an outstanding student.

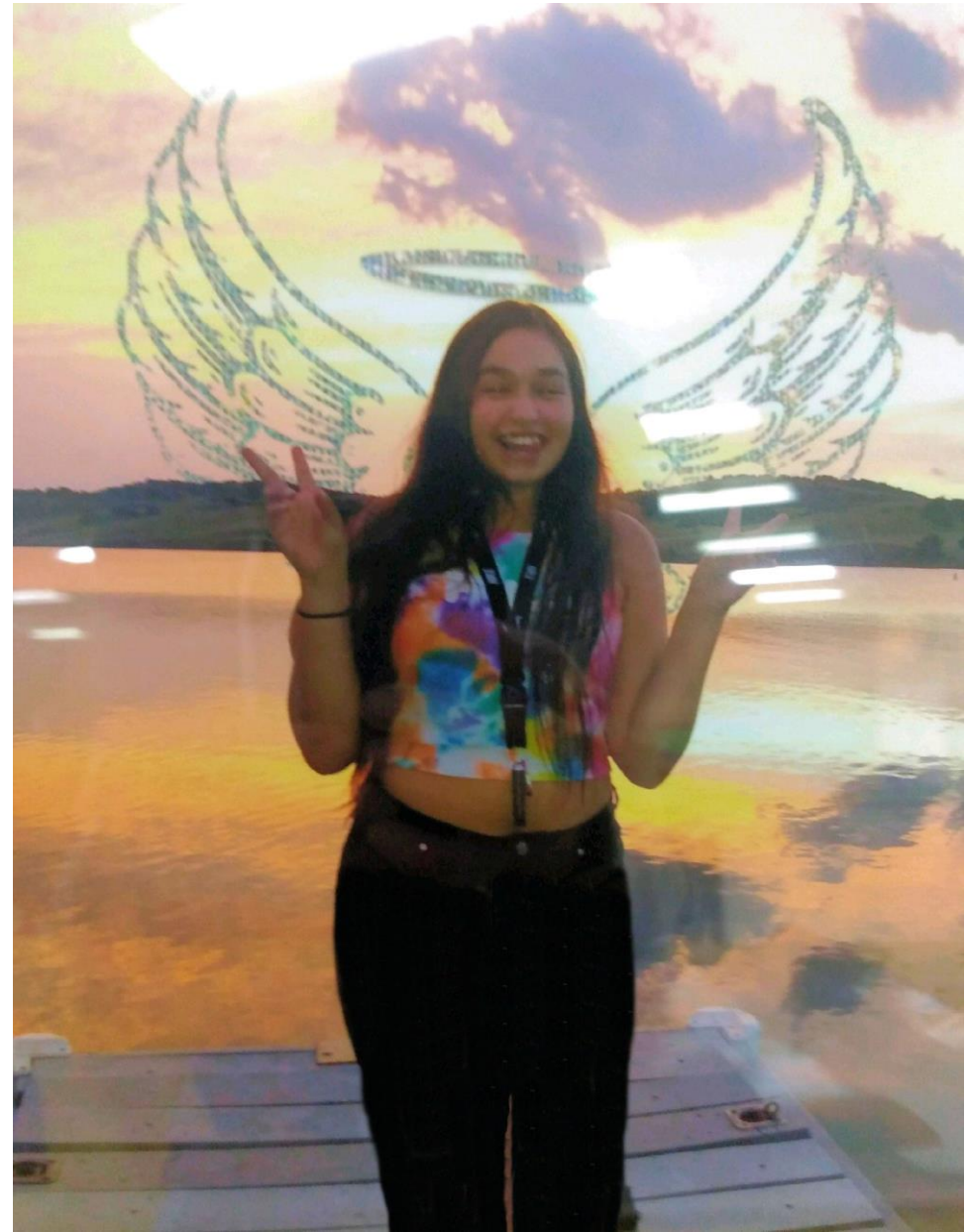
She loved all children, her nieces Olivia Joann, Kambrynn Grace, and Mila Renee; nephew Bentley James held a special place in her heart. This past year to present she had the job of babysitting Bents and Mila.

Maliyah broke a lot of hearts when she left. She will be greatly missed by all but we will have her forever in our hearts with all the precious memories she gave.

Maliyah left us on Saturday March 20, 2021 with broken hearts. Jesus took his Angel home. No words can be said that can take away the pain of losing her. She leaves behind her mother and father Maddie and Robert; brothers Alex "Lex" Dre and Aiden Dean; sisters Felicity Lynn and Marissa Claire; special sisters Harlee Cassie Jo, Bianca, and Shawnna Ray; special brother Jacob Shields Sazue; maternal grandparents Marilyn Felicia and Allen Shields, Alsephine Joseph, Lynn McGhee, Sharon Bagola, Puggy Hawk, Bill Hawk Sr., and Wally Felicia Jr.; aunts Anne Shields and Lynnette Shields; uncle Glenn Shields; paternal grandparents Diana Miller High Bear, Rich Miller and Debbie Miller; aunt Rita Miller; uncle Tony Miller; and great grandparents Helen Feurst, Larry McGhee and Frank "Buzzy" McGhee.

Preceding her in death were her maternal grandparents Jim and Madeline Felicia; uncles Calvin "CJ" Shields, Gerrod Scott, Darren James McGhee, Albert Hawk, Trent Wade Felicia, Rodney, Roger and Aaron Joseph; paternal grandparents Teresa Comes Flying and Bob Miller Sr.; and great grandparents Belva Withorn, Lloyd Ross, Maggie Withorn.

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