

# *Acknowledgement*

The Family of Jerrece Debra Caesar wishes to express sincere gratitude to all who have uplifted us through prayer, words of encouragement, acts of kindness, and loving support. We give thanks to God, Pastor Close and The New Union Baptist Church, Pastor Robertson, and to the Hari P. Close Funeral Service for their compassionate care.

Floral Bearers  
Cousins & Friends

Repast  
Immediately following Service  
GLA Event Hall (Kenwood Shopping Center)  
6247 Kenwood Avenue  
Rosedale, Maryland 21237

Professional Services Entrusted to  
Hari P. Close Funeral Services, P.A.  
5126 Belair Road  
Baltimore, Maryland 21206

# *Pallbearers*

Javon Caesar | Jadon Caesar-Scott | Jayvion Roscoe | Jeremy Caesar Sr.  
Jordan Caesar-Scott | Timothy Bell | Kravont Hardy

IN LOVING

*Memory*



# *Arrangements*

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 2026  
**The New Union Baptist Church**  
508 N. Monroe St. Baltimore, MD

*Jerrece*

DEBRA CAESAR

JANUARY 23, 1981 ~ DECEMBER 13, 2025

# THE LIFE *Celebrating* & LEGACY

Jerrece Debra Caesar, lovingly known as Reesie, unexpectedly transitioned from this life on December 13, 2025. She was born on January 23, 1981 in Baltimore, MD to Jerry and Valjean Caesar. Jerrece had six siblings who she shared an unbreakable bond with and was the voice of reason in their tribe. She graduated from Frederick Douglass High School of Baltimore, MD in 1999. Jerrece went on to become a culinary artist with an entrepreneurial mind. Jerrece married Corey Roscoe on July 14th, 2006 in Baltimore, MD at Canaan Baptist Church. Their union produced three beautiful children. She was introduced to Christ as a child at New St. Mark Baptist Church by Rev. Alan Jones; she developed her passion for singing in their choir as a young child. Jerrece was a devoted daughter of God who kept Christ as the light of her life. She was baptized at Canaan Baptist Church under the leadership of Dr. Rev. Russell E. Groves. She was known for her fearlessness, her humor, her love of food, her passion for music and her singing. Jerrece was born a warrior, having to survive so many things; her spirit was larger than her body, and that spirit is what kept her here longer than what was prescribed. The things that tried to defeat her made her immortal, and anyone who heard her laugh never knew the wars she fought to maintain it. Reesie always had a smile and a joke for every occasion; she had the most beautiful alto and she was a fierce defender of those she loved. She believed in family with her whole heart; she always knew when to call her people when they needed her hand to pull them out of whatever darkness they were in. She loved to dance and was a major foodie! She loved to try new things, especially from your plate. During her time at Douglass, Reesie ran track, sang in the choir, and was a majorette in the band; high kicking across the field. She was also in every choir at Canaan Baptist Church except for the Senior Choir and Male Chorus. She was an usher and created the teen choir at Canaan, Voices of Praise. She led and encouraged her church peers to not hide behind teenage indifference and be fearless in their praise.

Reesie was a culinary artist; she had a deep passion for hospitality and food service. She worked as a caterer, had her own catering business, and worked in food service at the Bryn Mawr School of Baltimore City. She sang with Gary Hunt and the Family and was also a member of the acclaimed recording choir, Nadja Scott and Divine Anointing. Her love and talent for singing was a constant refrain in her life.

Jerrece was also a devoted mother to her four children; there was nothing she wouldn't do to ensure the security and success of her babies. She also loved spoiling and being a grandmother to her two grandsons. Reesie will be deeply missed by so many; her love, phone calls, funny stories, listening ear, advice, and encouragement can't be replaced. Nor can her baked macaroni, ribs, rasta pasta, potato salad, or shrimp scampi. Those she leaves behind will create new recipes from her memory and all the joy she has bequeathed them. Jerrece will be joining her parents, Jerry and Valjean Caesar; her brother, Jerry "Schoochie" Caesar Jr.; her great-grandmother, Ruby Rogers; her grandmothers, Elizabeth Caesar and Thomasine Mitchell; and her grandfathers, Lee Roy Caesar and Lawrence Conigland, in heaven. Carrying on her legacy are her husband, Corey; her four children, Javon (Gail), Jayvion, Jecoria, and Jecori; her grandchildren, King and Javon Jr.; her siblings, Damita (Michael), Timothy, Jeaneen, Jeremy, and Richard; her niece, Timeija; her nephews, Jordan T., Jordan L., Jadon, Jarrett, Javontae, Jaevinn, Trekis, Jaylon, and Jeremy Jr.; her aunts, Barbara and Iris Caesar, Leshante Caesar Savoy; her uncles, Herman Jackson, Lee (Lenora), and Julius Caesar; her godfather, Hari Close II; godchildren, Jasmine McMillon and Jada McLean; her eternal sisters until her last breath, Lekeever Brown and Shermica Eldridge, and a host of cousins, relatives, friends, and community members.

# FAMILY

## *Tributes*

*If roses grow in Heaven Lord, please pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in Mother's arms and tell her they're from me.  
Tell her that I love and miss her, and when she turns to  
smile, place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for awhile.  
Remembering her is easy, I do it everyday, but there's an  
ache within my heart that will never go away.*

*- Jayvion, Jecoria and Jecori*

*Mommy you left me so suddenly, what am I to do without you  
physically here? Your words of encouragement, your smile,  
your laugh I will hold dear to my heart. I Love You Ma Moo.  
Sleep Peacefully My Queen*

*- Javon*

*We celebrate you, Jerrece-your laughter, your light, Your  
faith that stood steady through dark and through bright. God  
gave us your life as a beautiful gift, Our sister, our joy, our  
heart forever lifted. Now heaven rejoices, your race has  
been won, You rest in God's peace through His risen Son.  
Until we are gathered where partings are through, We thank  
Gid with glad hearts for the blessing of you.*

*Love,  
Your Sibbs*





# Through Memories

THE ONES WE LOVE LIVE IN OUR HEARTS FOREVER



Matthew 5:4, "Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted".



Psalms 34:18 'The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit'.



Isaiah 41:10 'So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand'.



## ORDER *OF* SERVICE

Celebration of A Life Well Lived  
Pastor Hari P. Close, II - Officiating  
Pastor Kobi D. Robertson, Eulogist

Processional

Opening Hymn  
Hold to God's Unchanging Hand

Old & New Testament Scripture Readings  
Elder LaVerne Perlie

Prayer  
Sis. Aniecea Thomas

Solo  
Sis. Nyree Davis "Safe In His Arms"

Remarks  
Nadja Scott | Jeanette Mitchell  
Pastor Jimmy Thomas | Jerrece's Sister Circle

Selection  
Nadja Scott & Divine Anointing

Poem  
Sis. Maya L. James

Acknowledgments & Obituary Reading  
Sis. Maya L. James

Family Tributes

Sermonic Selection  
Nadja Scott & Divine Anointing

Eulogy  
Pastor Kobi D. Robertson  
St. Paul Institutional Baptist Church

The Committal  
Pastor Hari P. Close II

Benediction  
Pastor Kobi D. Robertson

Recessional  
Nadja Scott & Divine Anointing

