

REMEMBERING A LIFE WELL

*Lived*

"QUEEN"

*Briana*

**BARNETT**

1993-2025



*Life Celebration*

Saturday October 11, 2025

Visitation 9:00am

Homegoing 11:00am

ST. REST MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1014 Gregg St. Houston, TX. 77020

# *Briana* BARNETT

1993-2025



*Briana Zhane' Barnett was born on November 7, 1993, to Brian Barnett and Gloria Jackson. She grew up in the Kashmere Gardens community and attended J.C. McDade Elementary School, Francis Scott Key Middle School and graduated as a member of the National Honor Society from Barbara Jordan High School for Careers in June 2012.*

*Briana continued her education at Houston Community College, graduating in August 2016 with an Associate in Arts degree. She later decided to pursue a CDL license and graduated in June 2020, earning an Advanced Rigger Certification in November 2023, along with a Safe Road Certification in 2022. Briana worked for the U.S. Postal Service and earned certifications to work in plants across Texas. She chose to serve God at a young age at St. Rest Missionary Baptist Church, where she was an active member of the praise team and usher board.*

*With a deep understanding of empowerment, Briana became part of Divine Creations under the leadership of Dr. Vernia Caddie. She took on the challenge and was crowned the First Queen of this empowering organization for young ladies. Because of her dedication and community spirit, Briana was an active participant in the Phoenix Outreach under the leadership of former City Council Member Jarvis Johnson and former Member of the Texas House of Representatives, 139th District.*

*"Faith without works is dead."*

*Briana leaves to cherish her loving memory her mother, Gloria Jackson; daughter, Arianna Jones; Son Brian Ford, sister: Minister Tamara Jackson, Brother: Javarion Barnett, Nephew: Javion Barnett, Special Friend Tommy Newman, Richard (Shawn) Willis, Aunt Cynthia Standfield*

*She will also be remembered lovingly by DaVeon Washington, Yashica Washington, Shenita Washington, Tre'Liyah Welch (Jonathan), Cassandra Williams, Reginald Washington, LaShawnda, Michael Washington, Evelyn Washington (Aunt Honey), Danya Henderson, Perry Francis, Willie Washington Jr., Neishia Francis, Devan Mack, Ajee Wallace, Kayla Knowles, Keebera Clemons, Vernon Cadwell, Compassion Anderson, Pastor Frances Wesson, Brenda Brown of Stockton, CA, as well as many more cousins and friends who were blessed to know and love her.*

# *Tribute of Love*



*It seems just like yesterday when you were born and I gave you back to God. I never thought you would leave me so suddenly.*

*I believed in you and encouraged you in all your endeavors. You came up with your dreams to the end. I always told you to fly. You accomplished everything you set out to do.*

*I loved you so much and wanted you to succeed in life. You stayed with me all of your life but you were ready. You spread your wings and went without me, but I prepared myself for that moment.*

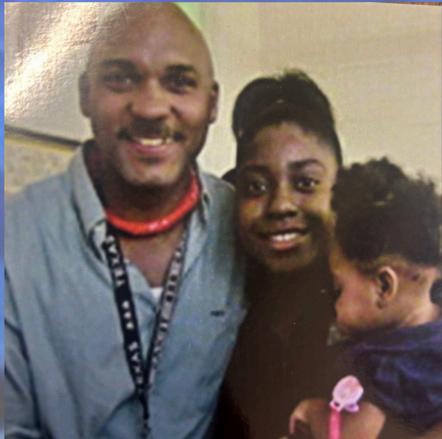
*My love for you is forever and the fun times we had together, riding and going shopping. You were my baby and I will forever miss you. It has broken my heart to lose you and a piece of me went with you. What would I do? I told you I didn't know but now I pray for strength to raise the children. You will always be in my heart.*

*Your Mother*





# Memories



# *A Letter to My Family and Friends*

*Even though I'm not there with you physically, I'll always be with you spiritually. I know it seems like I left you too soon, but my heart was tired. Please know that I'm at peace and watching over all of you.*

*To my mom — girl, thank you for just being you, Glo! I know it might seem like a lot right now, but God will continue to give you the strength to raise Brian and Ariana. You've always been strong, and I know you'll keep pushing through with faith and love.*

*To my friends — y'all better help my mama out with my kids! Devan, Ajee, Neshia, Vernon, Compassion, Michael, Kayla — all y'all, make sure you've got her back.*

*To my brother and sister, oh how i wish the time we had could be rewind, I'll forever cherish yall and know that I'm forever in your hearts, I'm never far away!*

*Until we meet again,  
With love always,*

*Briana*



# Tributes of Love



To Briana My Queen and Mother

I'm stuck in despair and I can't forget all the little moments. The places and the pictures we took, and even the times we spoke to each other in the bed. Also, watching movies and our favorite shows — it's hard to believe, but I'll always try for you. I know you're in a peaceful heaven, watching over me and guiding me through this journey here on Earth. I'm really thankful for everything you've done for me. Even when I was being ungrateful, I wasn't really meaning it. I was tending to show gratitude in a different way. You made me who i am, greater, stronger, and independent. I won't ever replace you. You're beautiful. My heart forever goes to you, and hopefully you'll visit me in my dreams. I love you beyond words.

From: Ariana, your princess and daughter

Though the world may say you're gone,  
In my heart, you still live on.  
Your smile, your laughter, kind and true,  
Are memories I always hold onto.  
The lessons taught, the love you gave,  
A precious gift from life's own wave.  
I think of you with love and grace,  
And see your spirit in this place.  
A part of you, in me, will stay,  
Guiding me on my life's pathway.  
Until we meet again one day,  
My love for you will never sway.  
You are a treasure, more than gold,  
A story eternally told.  
And though I cannot hold you near,  
Your love surrounds me, always here.  
-your son Brian

Queen, I love you so much!!!

My baby sister you always was the good kid, you hardly ever got in trouble, smart , vibrant & adventurous. You inspired so many people including me. I LOVE YOU so much.

My baby sister turned into my best FRIEND, no more secrets, no more jokes. I will definitely miss you. Gone to soon but I am grateful God allowed me to be your big sister. You left me 2 gifts and I am truly honored for the chance to experience Auntie !! Forever

Your Big Sis Tam

# Order of Service



Family Processional .....

Crowning Ceremony of the Queen....Pastor C'Tyre

Old Testament..... Minister

New Testament.....Minister

Prayer..... Bishop C. D. Bolden

Selection..... Sister. Vanessa. Sample

Expression:.....2 mins please

Resolution.....St Rest Missionary Baptist Church

Selection..... Pastor C'Tyre

Eulogy .....Rev S. E. Harris

# *Acknowledgements*

The Family would like to take this opportunity to extend our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to the host of friends for all of the kind and thoughtful deeds rendered during our time of bereavement. Whatever part you played, it was not unnoticed. Your kind and generous expressions of love, the many phone calls, visits and most of all, your prayers have been our strength and comfort during this time. May God bless and keep each and every one of you.

## *Pallbearers*

Ajee Wallace, Donnieshia Francis, Devan Mack, Vernon Valdwell, Michael Washington, Reginald Washington  
Kayla Knowles, Keeura Clemons

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

Barbara Jordan High School  
Class of 2012

## *Internment*

Private

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