



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Shauntez D. Ball is forever grateful for all the kindness and sympathy shown during our time of sorrow. May God continue to bless each of you. Special thanks to Shaffer-Collins Funeral Home & Smith Chapel Missionary Baptist Church.

~ The Family ~

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

- Douglas Ball*
- Cynjarvis Johnson*
- Kaleb King*
- Jabroskea Johnson*
- Shengy Ball*
- Orlando Jordan*

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

- Tyundre White*
- Keon Jefferson*
- Cameron Nelson*
- Budd Kelly*
- Antonio Mitchell*
- Patrick Haralson*

FLOWER BEARERS

Family & Friends

INTERMENT

*Smith Chapel Cemetery
323 Livingston Vernon Road
Flora, MS 39071*

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IN LOVING MEMORY OF



Shauntez Deonta
BALL

SUNRISE
June 22, 1993

SUNSET
December 16, 2025

"Gone too soon but forever loved."

Saturday, December 27, 2025 | 11:00 a.m.
SMITH CHAPEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
323 Livingston Vernon Road - Flora, MS 39071
Rev. Randy D. Spencer, Officiating Pastor

A LIFE REMEMBERED

Shauntez Deonta Ball

"Jesus said, "Don't be troubled. Trust in God, and trust in me." | John 14:1 ERV

Shauntez Deontae Ball, 32, of Flora, Mississippi, passed away on December 16, 2025, in Flora, he was preceded in death by his grandmother Annie Pearl McElroy, grandfathers Charles T McElroy, John Wesley Thompson and Roy Lee Ransom all of Flora, Mississippi.

He was born on June 22, 1993, to Sherron Simpson and Shengy Johnson in Jackson, Mississippi. Shauntez was the best son, grandson, brother, uncle and friend. He graduated from Madison Central High School in 2012 and received a football scholarship to Pearl River Community College where he played cornerback and he would always say no one was better than him; we all heard that! He brought joy and laughter wherever he went; if we were ever facing a difficult situation, he would always remind us that "it'll work out". He chose to see the good in every circumstance.

Shauntez is survived by his mother, Sherron Simpson (Douglas); his father, Shengy Johnson (Rhonda); his grandmothers: Pearlie Ransom and Patricia Thompson; sisters: Lashundra (Charles), Derrica and Anna; his brothers: Shengy and Douglas; his nieces: Adrienne, Kelsey and Kyndall Jai; his nephews: Calvion, Kaleb, Christian and Kaiden; his aunts: Shangy Sanders, Deidra Reed, Precia Johnson, Lutisha Johnson-Files, Evangelist Glenda Faye Ball, Angela Nunnery and Vera Williams; uncles: Reverend L.V. Ball Sr, L.C. Simpson and Kenneth Nunnery; great-aunts: Shirley Hudson (Joseph), Rochelle Ball, Jeanette Singleton Fuqua, Earnestine Ross, Lynn Valentine, Patricia Ann Singleton, Marie Singleton, and Mary Battle; and a host of loving cousins, other relatives and friends.

WHEN TOMORROW STARTS WITHOUT ME

When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me,
I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today,
While thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.
I know how much you love me, as much as I love you,
and each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too.
So, when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart,
For every time you think of me, I'm right here, in your heart.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Lashundra Jackson, Mistress of Ceremony

ProcessionalClergy and Family

Scripture Reading

Old TestamentDr. Jonathan T. Phillips

New TestamentReverend Pernell Gibbs

Prayer of ComfortReverend Roosevelt Barrett

Musical Selection..... Smith Chapel Sanctuary Choir

EXPRESSIONS

Gunnery Sergeant Jazzous Anderson (Best Friend)

Mrs. Lynn Dieter Caldwell (Former Teacher)

Former Track and Football Teammates

from Madison Central & Pearl River Community College

AcknowledgementsLaShundra Jackson

Obituary..... Read Silently Soft Music

Solo....."I Shall Wear A Crown"Vertreace Sanders

Eulogy.....Pastor Randy D. Spencer

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Recessional Clergy, Family & Friends

The LORD is my Shepherd;
I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters,

He restoreth my soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death.

I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me;
Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies

Thou anointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over

Surely goodness & mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house

of the LORD forever.

- Psalm 23

TRIBUTES OF LOVE

Our Beloved Son

You will forever be our pride and joy.

From the moment you entered this world, you brought light, laughter, and love into our lives. Though our hearts ache in your absence, we are grateful for every moment we were blessed to share with you. You will live on in our hearts forever.

Your Mom, Dad, Douglas and Rhonda

To Our Brother

The moment you left us; our hearts were split in two: One side filled with memories; the other died with you.

Remembering you is easy, we will do it every day. But missing you is a heartache that will never fade away.

Your Siblings

To Our Uncle Tay

We love you so much, and we always knew you loved us just as much. Though our time together was unexpectedly short, we promise to continue making you proud. We will forever remember the random times you would visit our house just to show us love, checking on us, kissing our cheeks, and reminding us how much we meant to you. You always said, "I don't play about my nieces and nephews", and we felt that love every day. You will forever be in our hearts, and we will fulfill every accomplishment you watched us begin.

Your Nieces and Nephews

We Will Miss You

Thirty-two years, yet a lifetime of love, A precious gift sent from heaven above. Though gone too soon, your light remains, In cherished memories and quiet refrains. Forever in our hearts, forever our song, Your love lives on - steady and strong.

Forever loved. Forever remembered.

Your Family