

*...Until We Meet Again*

Those special memories of you will always bring a smile if only I could have you back for just a little while

Then we could sit and talk again just like we used to do you always meant so very much and always will do too

The fact that you're no longer here will always cause me pain but you re forever in my heart until we meet again.



*"Those we love never truly leave us. There are things that death cannot touch." - Jack Thorne*

*Pallbearers*

Gary Kirksey  
Antone Anderson, Jr.  
Mario Stearns, Sr.  
Deandrea Kirksey  
Antone Anderson, Sr.  
Antwon Anderson  
Mario Stearns, Jr.  
Lamorris Willis

*Repast*

Following Interment  
Millvale Recreation Center  
3303 Beekman Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45225

*Acknowledgments*

The family would like to express our love and appreciation for your prayers, calls, and support. We like to send a special thanks to our extended family and Parkside Rehabilitation. We love and appreciate you all as well. Our family is forever grateful for your compassion.

We also would like to thank Walker as well for helping us through this time of bereavement.



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*Celebrating the Life and Spirit of Kean Jovan Stearns*

September 27, 1994 - July 5, 2025



*Saturday, July 26, 2025*

Visitation: 10:00 am - Funeral Service: 11:00 am

*Walker - North Avondale Chapel*  
3939 Reading Road | Cincinnati, Ohio 45229

## Obituary

Keon Stearns was born to Felicia Stearns and leaves behind his loving siblings, Lashay Stearns and Trevonte Stearns. He was preceded in death by his beloved grandmother, Lajunta Stearns.

Keon came from a large, close-knit family that meant everything to him. He is survived by four aunts, Mary, Kim, Toya, and Sharee; four uncles, Mario, Maurice, Boo, Speedy, and Gary Kirksey; his grandfather; and more than 50 cousins. Keon was the second oldest among them and was often seen as a big brother to many.

Keon was well known throughout the city of Cincinnati. He grew up in Avondale, proudly representing as an "Avondale Angel," and played both baseball and football for Western AA. He attended several local schools, including Rockdale, Winton Woods, and Lockland, and later went on to Aiken High School.

Keon was full of life. He loved being around family and friends, often spending his days outside, soaking up the fun and freedom of life—but he also appreciated the comfort of home. His energy was relentless, and his passion for living fully made him successful in many of his personal endeavors.

Holidays were Keon's favorite times of the year—especially the 4th of July. He loved putting on a fireworks show for the kids, family, and neighbors to enjoy. He also had a deep love for Christmas and was committed to giving back to his community. Children held a special place in his heart, and he found joy in sharing and making others smile. Keon even organized local food drives and gave away turkeys to families in need during Thanksgiving.

Keon was truly a kid at heart, especially when it came to Halloween. He had a golden smile that lit up any room and a sharp sense of style. Fashion was a passion of his, and he took pride in always looking his best—something he loved showing off on Facebook, where he also shared his humor and made others laugh.

He enjoyed traveling, riding jet skis, four-wheelers, and relaxing on the beach. He loved music—especially R&B and hip-hop—and was a huge fan of Lil Baby. He dabbled in promotions and brought Lil baby and Lil Durk to the city. His love for sports ran deep, with the Cincinnati Bengals being his favorite team.

Keon's generosity, joy, and vibrant spirit left a lasting impression on everyone who knew him. He will be deeply missed and forever remembered.



## Order of Service

Musical Prelude .....	Soft Music
Parting View .....	Family
Prayer .....	Dr. Rhansyl Harris
Scripture .....	Dr. Rhansyl Harris
Selection .....	
Poem Reading .....	Lashay
Remarks .....	Two Minutes, Please
Obituary .....	Read Silently
Selection .....	
Eulogy .....	Dr. Rhansyl Harris
Benediction .....	Dr. Rhansyl Harris
Recessional .....	Clergy, Pallbearers, & Family

## Interment

Vine Street Hill Cemetery  
3701 Vine Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45220