

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

FROM THE FAMILY

The family of Bruce Charles Thomas wishes to express their heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness, prayers, calls, visits, flowers, and all other expressions of love and support shown to us during this time of bereavement.

Your thoughtfulness has brought us comfort and strength as we celebrate the life of our loved one.

May God bless each of you abundantly.

With deepest gratitude,

The Thomas Family

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

GREGORY RIVERA JR

CHADD RIVERA

TYREE BEY

DELO COLLINS

STEPHEN TOLLIVER

TC (TORIN)

REPAST INFORMATION

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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Bruce Charles
THOMAS

JANUARY 21, 2002 — JULY 1, 2026



SERVICE HELD

Tuesday, July 28, 2026

GOLDEN GATE FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES, LLC

2800 E. 18TH ST. KANSAS CITY, MO 64127

VISITATION: 2:00PM | SERVICE: 3:00PM

Remembering *Bruce*

Bruce Charles Thomas, a beloved son, brother, uncle, cousin, and friend, who left this world far too soon on July 1, 2026, at the age of 24. Born on January 21, 2002, in Leavenworth, Kansas, Bruce was a beacon of light and joy to all who knew him. His infectious laughter and kind spirit touched many lives, leaving an indelible mark on the hearts of family and friends.

Bruce was the cherished son of Angel Thomas and the late Bruce Thomas. He was a devoted brother to Vinessa Lewis of Chicago, Ill., Gregory Rivera Jr. of Norfolk, VA, and Chadd Rivera of Kansas City, uncle, cousin, and friend who will forever carry his memory in their hearts. From a young age, Bruce was an energetic and curious soul, with a passion exploring life.

He graduated from Washington High School in 2020, where he not only excelled academically but also formed lifelong friendships that he held dear. Bruce had a love for basketball, a sport that not only kept him active but also served as a platform for him to mentor young children, teaching them not only the skills of the game but also valuable life lessons. His dedication to mentoring the youth was a testament to his generous and caring nature.

Bruce's career journey took him to Amazon, where he worked diligently for two years, and later to FedEx for a year.

Bruce was a man of many talents and interests. He enjoyed fishing, capturing life's moments through video, drawing, writing music, and, most importantly, making people laugh. His sense of humor and ability to find joy in the simplest of things brought happiness to all who were fortunate enough to be in his presence.

Mental illness is real.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude.....	Soft Music
Processional	Family & Clergy
"It Ain't Over" by Maurette Brown Clark	
Scriptures	
Old Testament	Orlando Rivera
New Testament	Adrienne Rivera
Prayer	Gerald Bryant
Acknowledgment & Condolence	
Life Reflections.....	
Read in Silence	
Remarks	2 Mins Please
Selection	
Kirk Franklin	
"My Life in Your Hand"	
Word of Comfort	Gerald Bryant
Benediction	

