



## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Antonio Darell Reed would like to express our deepest gratitude for the many acts of kindness, love, and support shown during this difficult time. Your prayers, calls, visits, and thoughtful gestures have brought us comfort and strength.

A special thank you to all who have stood by us with your presence and words of encouragement.

May God bless each of you.  
— The Family



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**ANTONIO DARELL**  
**“MAN MAN”**  
**REED**

**JANUARY 18, 1991 — JUNE 14, 2025**

Wednesday, June 25, 2025  
Sanders Funeral Home Chapel

# OBITUARY

With heavy hearts, we say goodbye to our beloved son,  
brother, uncle, nephew, cousin, and friend, Mr. Antonio  
Darell Reed.

He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Mary Reed,  
and great-grandmother, Darline Britt, both of Smithfield,  
North Carolina.

Affectionately known as “Man Man,” Antonio Darell Reed,  
34, of Smithfield, North Carolina, was born on January 18,  
1991, and passed away on June 7, 2025, in his hometown.  
He was known for his giving spirit, always helping others  
in need and cooking meals for those he loved.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his mother, Alfreda Britt  
of Benson, NC, and his father, Joe Reed of Georgia; his two  
children, Antonio Da-rell Reed Jr. and Z’novia Christina  
Mariah Reed of Smithfield; three sisters, Christina Britt of  
Raleigh, NC, Shaquail Reed, and Gabrielle Walker; two  
brothers, De’Juan Reed and Ziyear Britt, both of Smithfield;  
his grandparents, Bishop Lonnie and Pastor Geneva Pearce  
of Dunn, NC; two nieces and one nephew of Raleigh, NC;  
and a special cousin, Nya Reed of Capitol Heights,  
Maryland.

# TO MY SON IN HEAVEN

They say there is a reason

They say time will heal;

Neither time or reason

Will change the way I feel.

Gone are the days we used to share,

But in my heart you are always there.

The gates of memories will never close;

I miss you more than anybody knows.

Love and miss you everyday

Till we meet again