

Acknowledgement

To all my family and friends I appreciate you being there and everything you have done to help support us during this time. I am truly grateful for everyone.

If I Should Go Tomorrow

If I should go tomorrow

It would never be goodbye,

For I have left my heart with you,

So don't you ever cry. The love

that's deep within me,

Shall reach you from the stars,

You'll feel it from the heavens,

And it will heal the scars.

Pallbearers

Corde

Xzavion

Jazir

Jeffrey

Kingston

Jaycee

Dashaun

Honorary Pallbearers

Armani

Larry

Da'Shaun

Katrell

Micah

Jadakiss

Kobe

Service Held At:

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 2025 3:00 PM

Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services, LLC

2800 E. 18th ST. Kansas City, MO 64127

Kenneth Elder, Officiating

IN LOVING

Memory

"TRILL"



Derrick J.
ELDER

MAY 30, 2003~JUNE 21, 2025

"A garden full of beautiful memories watered with a million tears"

THE LIFE *Celebrating* & LEGACY

Derrick was definitely the one to walk into a room with a huge smile, smelling good and looking good from head to toe like a million bucks. He always had a new pair of sneakers for every outfit he wore. He worked hard for everything, which is why this tragic situation has left all who knew and loved him in shock.

Derrick was born on May 30, 2003, in Kansas City, Missouri, to Natalie Elder.

He spent his 22nd birthday in Houston, Texas.

Derrick attended East High School. He worked at Border Stars.

Derrick loved basketball, which he played at Northeast Middle School. He loved football, and his team was the Chiefs. He loved trying different cultures of food.

Derrick loved his family, friends, and his fur babies, Lena and Rylo.

Trill was truly one of a kind. He touched so many lives. He was always so thoughtful of others — loving, kindhearted, and a respectful young man. Trill's infectious smile, laugh, and grin will never be forgotten.

Derrick leaves behind his mother, Natalie Elder; grandparents, Kathy Elder, Jackie Hughes, and Nellie Jordan; his siblings, Dimitri, Kobe, Armani, Madison, Corde, Kingston, and Micah; his nephews, Achilles and Kai; his aunts, Linda, Brenda, and Trisha; his uncle, Matt; his godmother, Genevie; and his godbrothers, Larry, Jazir, Jeffrey, Derrick, Jadakiss, Jaycee, and Amario, along with several other family and friends.

Death is not separate from life; it is a part of life. We ask that you remember Trill not for the way his life ended, but for the way he lived and the impact he made on all of us who had the pleasure of knowing him.

What we once enjoyed and deeply loved, we can never lose. Memories are the timeless treasures of the heart.

ORDER *Of* SERVICE

Prelude
Soft Music

OPENING PRAYER
Kenneth Elder

Scriptures
Kenneth Elder

Selection
NBA YoungBoy
"Where I Been"

Remarks
Friends & Family
(2 mins please)

SELECTION
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DRS
"Gangsta Lean"

WORDS OF COMFORT
Kenneth Elder

