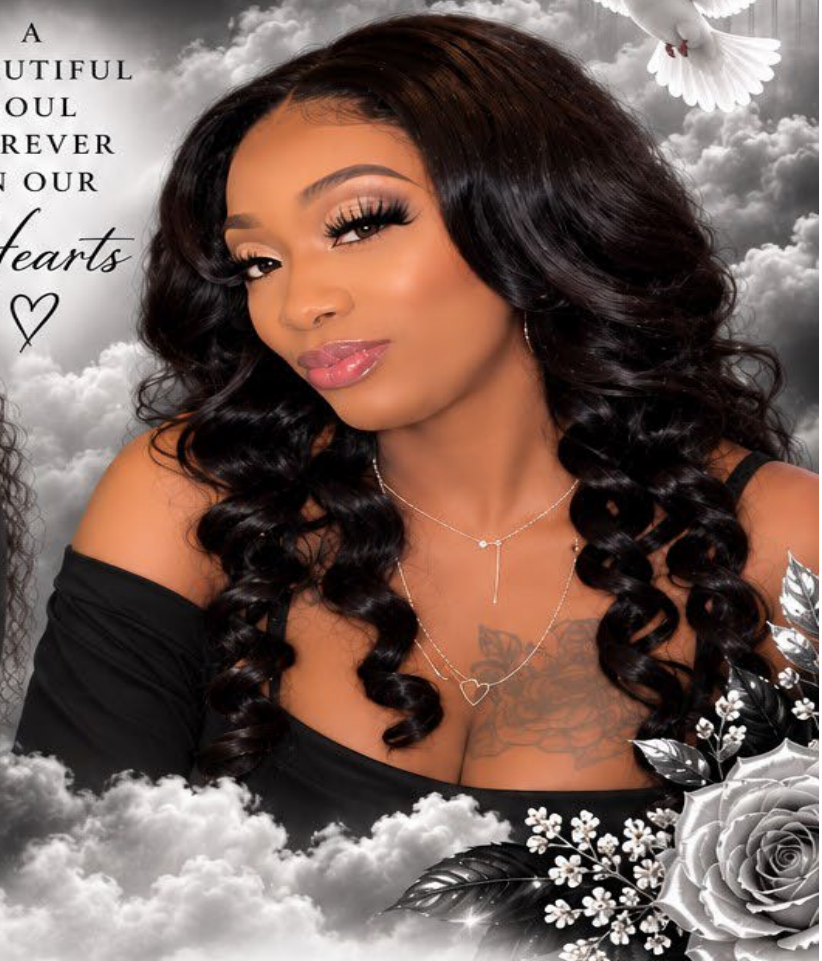
Dasia

SHAWNTRICE PERKINS-PAYNE



A BEAUTIFUL SOUL FOREVER IN OUR *Hearts*



FIRST BREATH
November 3, 1991

LAST BREATH
September 14, 2026

WAKE
Friday, September 25, 2026
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE
12:00 p.m.

Purath-Strand Funeral Home & Crematory
3915 Douglas Avenue, Racine, WI 53402

Her Light
WILL FOREVER SHINE



With profound love and sorrow, we celebrate the life of our beloved mother, daughter, friend, and caregiver.

Dasia Shawntrice Perkins-Payne was born in Racine, Wisconsin to Shronda Latrice Perkins and Undrell Lashawn Payne Sr. She was the youngest child. She was preceded in death by her older sister Tamineika Nicole (Nikki) McIntosh.

Dasia was educated in Racine, Wisconsin where she successfully completed her high school years. She was currently in the process of going back to college to advance her career in the medical field as a radiologist.

For more than ten years, Dasia worked in the nursing field where she helped to care for others. Dasia also worked tirelessly to care for her children, Aaron (AJ) and Miyah. Her children were her pride and joy. In her spare time, she loved to cook, dance, and take pictures.

Dasia's joy for life shone through in everything she did. She loved to dance at family gatherings, filling rooms with laughter and energy, and she had a gift for decorating spaces with warmth and creativity and she had a knack for transforming a house into a home. She was a hard worker with a generous heart, she gave selflessly to those around her, embodying compassion and resilience in every act of care. She was a woman of intelligence, beauty, and kindness, cherished deeply by all who knew her.

Dasia will be sorely missed but we are grateful for the time we had with her and for the memories we will cherish forever. She will be remembered not only for her strength and dedication but also for her kindness, her love of beauty, and how she made others feel truly special, leaving a lasting impact on everyone she touched with her love and compassion.

Dasia will now take her eternal rest as those who departed this earthly realm before her; paternal grandmother Maggie Ann Payne, uncle Quentin Perkins, maternal grandfather R.L. Perkins, and her paternal grandfather Littleton “Bam” Hawkins.

Dasia’s life and legacy will be continued by her children Aaron Froode Jr. and Miyah Yasmine Perkins, mother Shronda Latrice Perkins, father Undrell Lashawn Payne Sr. (Olga) of Chicago, grandmother Johnnie Perkins (Matteson, Il), brothers Undrell L. Payne Jr. (Chicago, Il), Darryon Griffin (Racine, WI), Quordell Payne (Chicago Il), Tedrell Payne (Chicago, Il), and Denzell Coleman (Dallas, TX), her best friend of almost 30 years, Precia Goeyns and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Scripture
- Old Testament
- New Testament

Prayer

Poem — Uncle Zachary Perkins

Acknowledgement of Cards/Resolutions — Sonya Little

Reading of the Obituary — Octavia Perkins Barfield

Musical Selection

Words of Comfort

Invitation

Recessional

Musical Processional

As Long As Memory Lives



To My Best Friend:

Dasia, we've been friends since we were little girls at Winslow Elementary. I'll never forget that big, beautiful smile that made everyone around you feel loved. From walking to and from school together every day, to growing up, becoming mothers, and sharing life's biggest moments, you've been a constant part of my life for as long as I can remember. One of my most cherished memories is having you by my side as my bridesmaid and AJ as my ring bearer. I'll never forget asking for your blessing to have my wedding on November 4th, the day after your birthday. It was the only date available, and I didn't want to take away from the one day each year meant to celebrate you.

Being the kind and selfless person you were, you told me it was perfectly fine. You even said that once you get married, we'd have to take double-date trips to celebrate your birthday and my anniversary together. My heart breaks knowing I won't get the chance to be your bridesmaid, and we won't get to make that trip.

I'm thankful that during one of our last conversations, I told you I loved you. You were more than a best friend, you were family. I'll miss your smile, your laugh, and your big heart, but I'll carry those memories with me forever.

Rest easy, beautiful. Until we meet again, I'll carry you in my heart.

Love you always.
See you in Heaven.
~Precia



I love you so much mom. I hope you enjoy Heaven. I really wanna get to see you one last time. I have been crying all day. I love you so much.
Love you mom,
AJ and Miyah



Dear Dasia:

Words can't explain my love for you. You were my peace whenever I was in need. Even though sometimes I didn't want to always listen, you always kept it real with me. When I needed a meal or a job, you were there. When I needed a car and a home, you were also there. I want you to know that I appreciate everything you did for me. You were the best little sister anyone could ever ask for. Until we meet again, keep watching over us. I miss you "Twin"!

Love your brother,
Darryon





It's so hard for me to say goodbye BabySis! You weren't supposed to leave us yet. I'm asking myself everyday why you when this world has so many evil people. It's people like you that give people like me hope for a better world. So why would He take you? For more of my life, I was stuck in a black place until you came into my life. That first "Heyy Bro" and Bear Hug from you turned on every light in me…now every light is turning back off. There will forever be an empty space in my heart. My Bright Light…I love you and I will forever miss you BabySis.

Love always,
Junior

To My Dearest Sister Dasia:

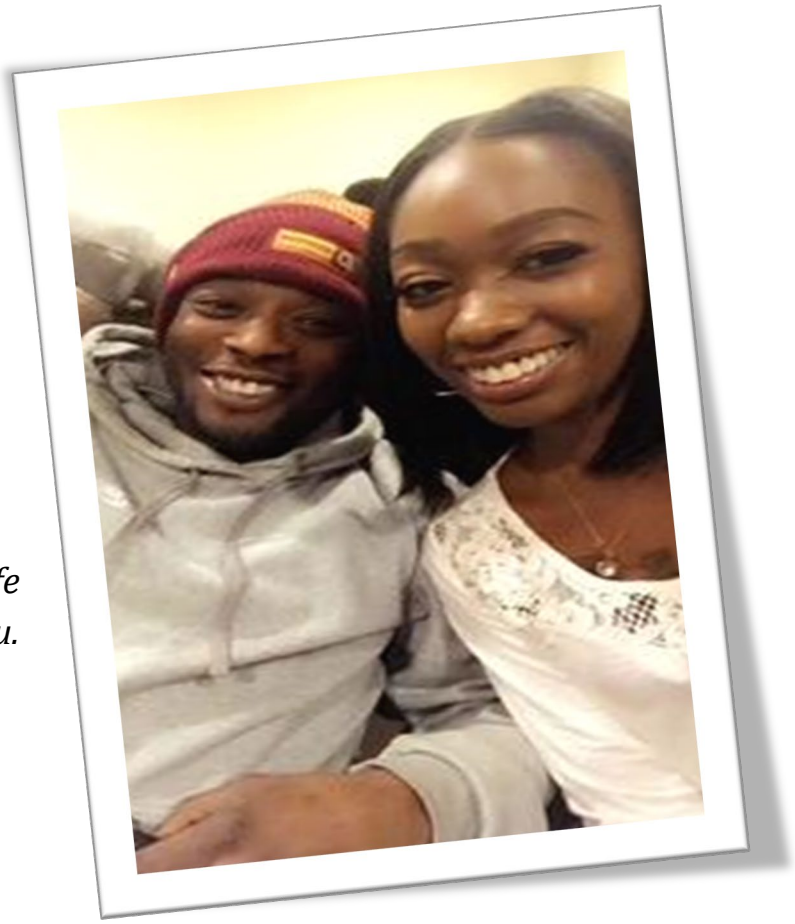
We are all here on borrowed time and I thought I had more time with you.
Words cannot express how I truly feel.
This hurts real bad. I love you and I will miss you.

Until we meet again…

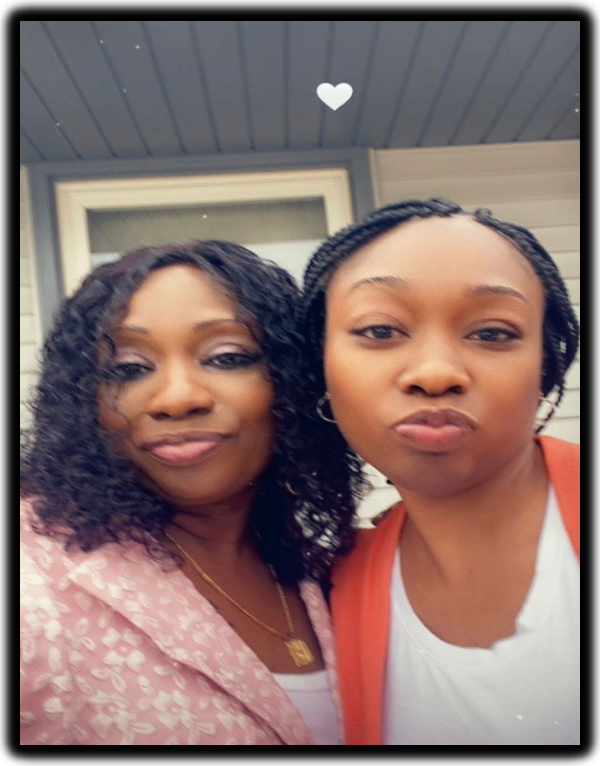
Love always your big brother,
Tedrell

To my sister--

I was not prepared for this, and I am still not. I have no words to express how I feel. I wish we had more time. I wish I could see you again. I wish I could have protected you or been there with you. Life is not easy, but I will keep pushing for you. Until we meet again love---Quord









Dasia:
Losing you is the hardest thing I have ever had to face. It feels like my whole heart went with you. You taught me how to love deeper and how to cherish the moments that matter. Until I can hold your hand again, rest peacefully, my sweet, beautiful baby girl…
All our love
Mom and Dad.

Honorary Pallbearers

Aaron Froode, Jr. Darryon Griffin

Undrell L. Payne, Jr. Quordell Payne

Tedrell Payne Ryon Perkins



The family of Dasia Perkins-Payne is grateful beyond measure for every expression sent to us. While it is difficult to understand, we are grateful for the time we shared. We believe and trust God will continue to keep us during this difficult time. Please continue to keep us in your thoughts and prayers.
May God's blessings be with each of you today and always.