



## Ms. Zykia Monae' James

September 28, 1996 - April 30, 2016

Zykia Monae' James, the youngest child of Michael and Shannon Powell was born on September 28, 1996. On April 30, 2016, she felled asleep with the hope of a future resurrection in her heart.

Zykia was raised and educated in Martin County. With the desire to one day become a nurse, she enrolled in various healthcare classes in high school and began her nursing education at Beaufort Community College, Washington, NC.

Despite being diagnosed with cancer on February 4, 2014, Zykia was determined to "walk" with her graduating class. On June 14, 2014, Zykia accomplished her goal. While she may not have been able to "walk", she wheeled across the stage to received her diploma as a member of the 2104 graduating class of Riverside High School.

During her nineteen years, Zykia touched the hearts of many. As the self-proclaimed "kick-queen" from a young age, Zykia had pretty impressive sneaker collection.

Despite her diagnosis, Zykia tried to maintain a positive attitude. She spent the last two years of her life getting to know her heavenly Father, Jehovah God and making precious memories with her family and friends.

Zykia is survived by her parents, Michael and Shannon Powell; her sister, Tabrika Mebane; her brother, Da'Shon James; her little ray of sunshine, her niece, Leah McCleese; a wealth of family and friends who love her dearly.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Zykia Monae' James*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *My condolences to the family at this very difficult time. Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. May you find comfort in God's word the Bible at Revelation 21:3,4.*

**L Gray** - May 11, 2016 at 09:41 AM



“ *Prayers for the James family. I taught Ms. Zykia during middle school, so bright, lovely and energetic. She will always hold a place in my heart. God Bless. Love- Ms. Kismet Matthews*

**Kismet Matthews** - May 06, 2016 at 10:54 AM



“ *The bible tells us we can gain comfort from God,even during times of sorrow.  
2 Corinthian 1:3,4  
Praised be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our trials so that we may be able to comfort others in any sort of trial with the comfort that we receive from God.  
Exercise faith in our heavenly father Jehovah and he will sustain you.*

**KBattle** - May 04, 2016 at 09:10 PM

SB

“ Sue Bell lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



Sue Bell - May 04, 2016 at 06:09 PM



“ Tricia Gilliam lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



Tricia Gilliam - May 04, 2016 at 02:11 PM



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Congleton Memorial Mortuary - May 04, 2016 at 01:44 PM

CS

“ Congleton Funeral Home And Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



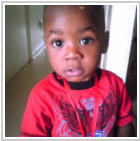
Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - May 04, 2016 at 11:13 AM

TA

“ Tasha sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



Tasha - May 04, 2016 at 10:57 AM



“ Marilyn Keepingitreal Goss lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



Marilyn Keepingitreal Goss - May 04, 2016 at 07:06 AM

JC

“ Juanita Clark lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



Juanita clark - May 03, 2016 at 11:49 PM

TH

“ I taught this sweet girl with a HUGE smile in the 8th grade and she graduated with my Kasey. We have a picture of Kasey and her from graduation we will cherish!! Wish we could be there Saturday!! RIP Sweet Girl!

*Tammy and Kasey Hall*

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**Tammy Hall** - May 03, 2016 at 08:26 PM

WP

“ Zykia was a sweet young lady.. She always smiled and it lit up the room. She was a pleasure to teach. She will be missed...



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**Wendy Peele-Clark** - May 03, 2016 at 07:31 PM

KH

“ Krystle Hornaday lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



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**Krystle Hornaday** - May 03, 2016 at 07:27 PM

DF

“ Deja Flood lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James



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**Deja Flood** - May 03, 2016 at 07:00 PM

LW

“ *LARRISSA WATSON sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James*



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**LARRISSA WATSON** - May 03, 2016 at 06:58 PM

  
HeatherTr  
Moore

“ *Shannon I thank you again for the time that you allowed me with Zykia. She will always be in my family's heart she was a pleasure to manage and such a humble young lady.*

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**HeatherTremyl Moore** - May 03, 2016 at 04:56 PM

MC

“ *Melanie Hicks Cox lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James*



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**Melanie Hicks Cox** - May 03, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ *Amy Pinner lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James*



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**Amy Pinner** - May 03, 2016 at 02:19 PM

BA

“ *Barbarablount lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James*



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**Barbarablount** - May 03, 2016 at 01:37 PM



“ *MarQuella Thompson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Zykia Monae' James*



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**MarQuella Thompson** - May 03, 2016 at 01:23 PM