

IT IS OUR MOMENT IN TIME TO  
CELEBRATE OUR BELOVED

*Drake O'Bryan Hoodye*

ALPHA  
July 24, 1982  
*The Test of Life*

TRANSFORMATION

OMEGA  
October 12, 2022  
*Spirit of Eternal Life*



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*<sup>6</sup> For I am now ready to be offered, and  
the time of my departure is at hand.*

*<sup>7</sup> I have fought a good fight, I have  
finished my course, I have kept the faith:*

*2 Timothy 4:6-7*

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**Saturday October 29, 2022**

**11:00a.m.**



CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY  
4610 SUNFLOWER STREET || HOUSTON, TX 77051

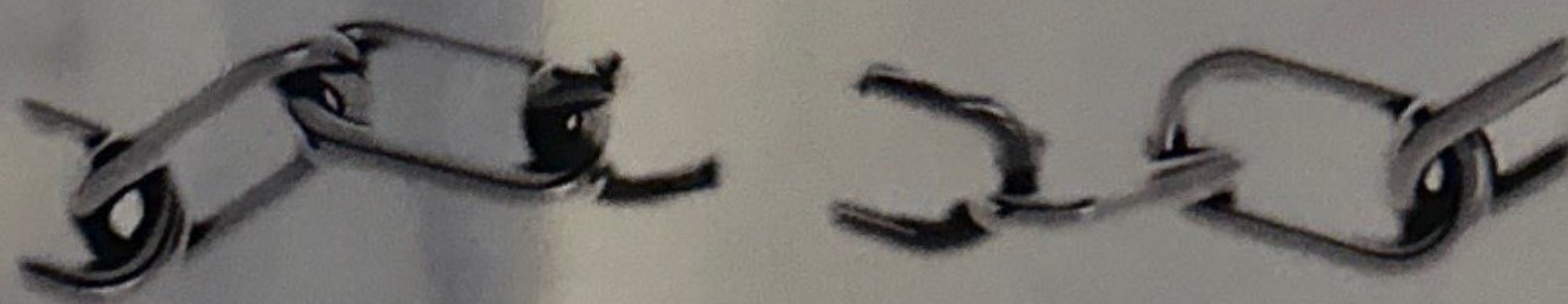
PASTOR & OFFICIATING MINISTER, BISHOP DWIGHT ROBINSON

# *The Broken Chain Of The Family*

We little knew that day,  
God was going to call your name.  
In life we loved you dearly,  
In death, we do the same.  
It broke our hearts to lose you.  
You did not go alone.

For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.  
You left us beautiful memories,  
Your love is still our guide.  
And although we cannot see you,  
You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken,  
And nothing seems the same,  
But as God calls us one by one,  
The chain will link again.



So I know in Heaven you are  
linking the chains of loved ones gone  
on before, as they walk with you to see our  
Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

In Heaven, our Father God's love, laughter,  
joy and peace will be forever more.

You will be watching over loved ones,  
anticipating and knowing with the love  
of our Lord Jesus, we will soon be there in  
God's Glory, in His Heavenly Eternal Home  
Forever, Beloved Son!

# Order of Service



Bishop Dwight Robinson, Officiating Minister

Bishop McKinnon, Eulogist

Pastor, Fresno Worship Center | 209 Broadmore Dr. | Fresno, TX 77545

Musical Prelude

Processional-----Ministers & Family  
"Well Done"-----Sung by Joel Jackson

Congregational Song-----"When We All Get to Heaven"

Scripture Readings-----Bishop Dwight Robinson  
Old Testament: Psalm 1:1-6  
New Testament: 2 Timothy 2:1-26

Prayer of Comfort-----Joyce McBride (Aunt)

Words of Comfort-----Douglas Carraway (Cousin)

Solo-----"I Can Only Imagine"-----Tjodi Foster

Resolutions & Acknowledgements

Solo-----"Your Tears"-----Robert L. Brown

Expressions----- (Two Minutes Please)

Special Song-----Tjodi Foster

Eulogy-----Bishop Cervin L. McKinnon

Recessional-----"He'll Welcome Me"-----Ministers, Family & Friends

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Graveside Services || Houston Memorial Gardens  
Bishop Dwight Robinson, Officiating

# *Drake O'Bryan Hoodye Loving Journey*

*"Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal, The Lord knoweth them that are his. And, let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity."*  
2 Timothy 2:19

Drake O'Bryan Hoodye was born July 24, 1982 in Houston, Texas to David and Chandra Hoodye. He grew up in Houston with his parents, his brother Brice Hoodye and a host of cousins. As a child, he loved music, to dress nice, a nice pair of sneakers and hanging with his friends.



At an early age, he confessed his faith in Jesus Christ and was baptized at East Sunnyside Church of God of Prophecy.

He graduated from Sterling High School, Houston Independent School District. After high school, he attended Texas A&M University-Kingsville and later enrolled at Texas Southern University.

Drake loved his mother, father and brother dearly. He poured his heart and soul into raising his stepdaughter Lakayla; his Goddaughter Bryn and loving his fiancé, Shawntae. He was the kind of person who would give you his last dollar if you needed it and could always find a reason to smile even in his most challenging days.

Drake transitioned from this earthly life on October 12, 2022.

He is preceded in death by grandparents, James and Myrtle Hoodye; and grandmother, Willie Joyce Carter.

Drake is survived by his mother and father, David and Chandra Hoodye; Brother - Brice Hoodye (Danielle); fiancé - Shawntae Jones; Stepdaughter - Lakayla Turbin; and Goddaughter - Bryn Evell. He is also survived by a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends.

# The Heart of Drake



I thank you Mother and Dad, the powerful force that I valued in my life. This journey I went through, you were always there right by my side with love, prayers of hope and support to the end. Know that Jesus won't ever leave me nor forsake me.

My brother, the joy, love and laughter helped me. My friends helped in time of need and I thank God for my brother and friends unconditional love. My girl friend brought me pure joy; the children I helped raise, I love them dearly.

Thank you Lord for letting me have this life. It was your love that brought me out when it was more than I could bear. Lord, you said, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." You gave me that eternal, heavenly rest - thank you God.

I pray that you all keep fighting the fight of faith, loving one another, as our Lord and Savior has loved us, until we meet again. "...For we all are not going to sleep, but be caught up in a twinkling of an eye..."

1 Corinthians 15:51-52

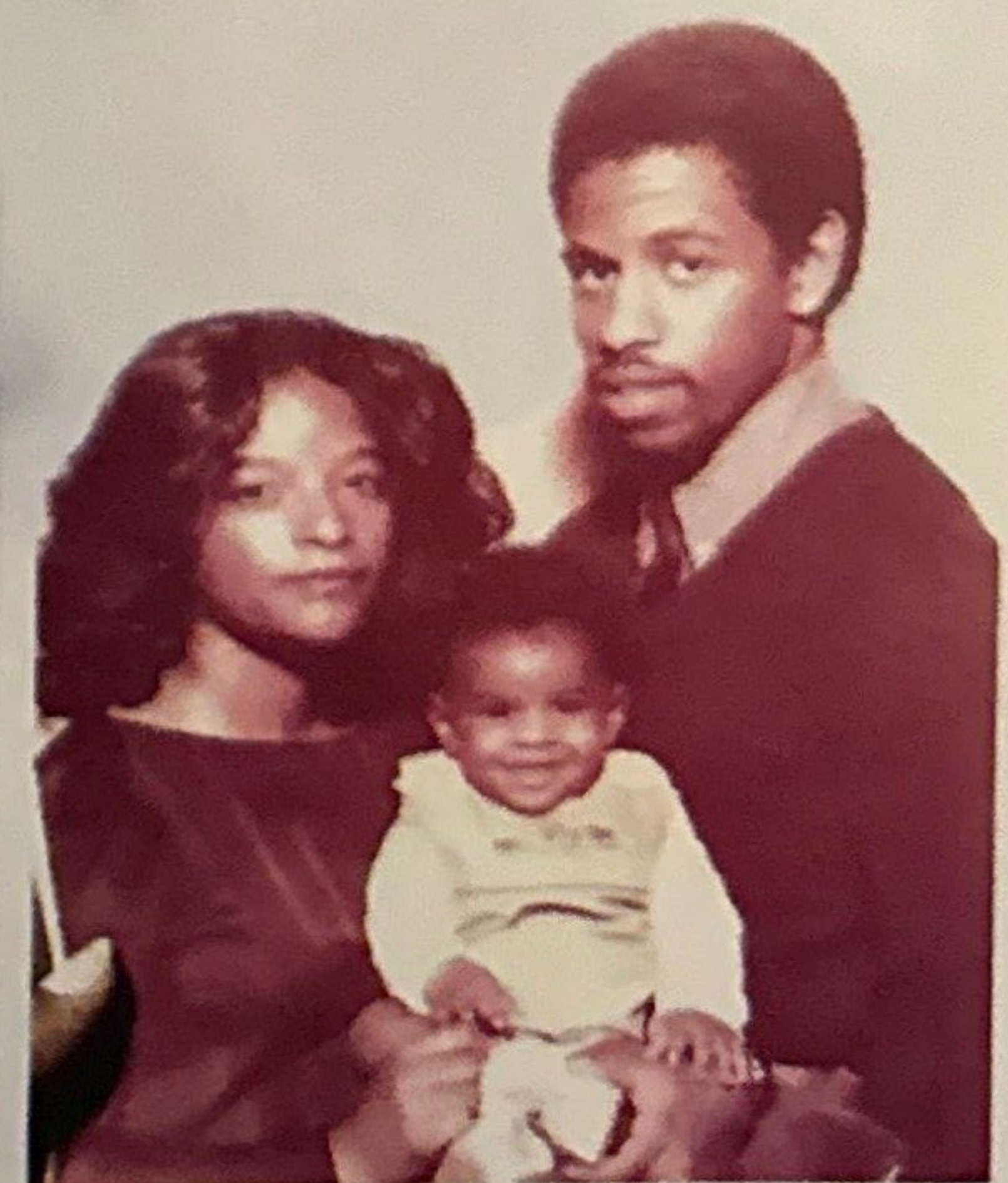
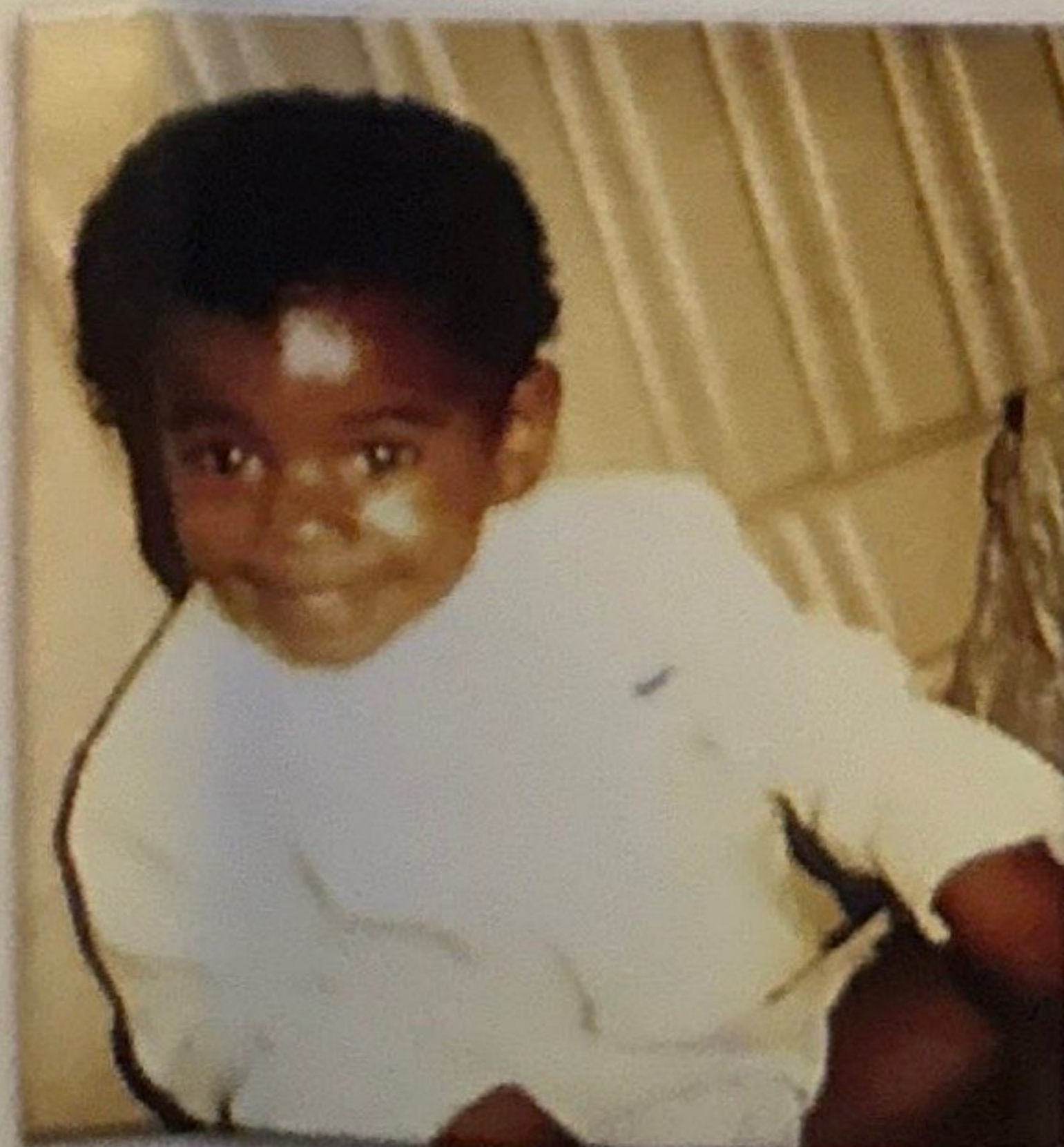
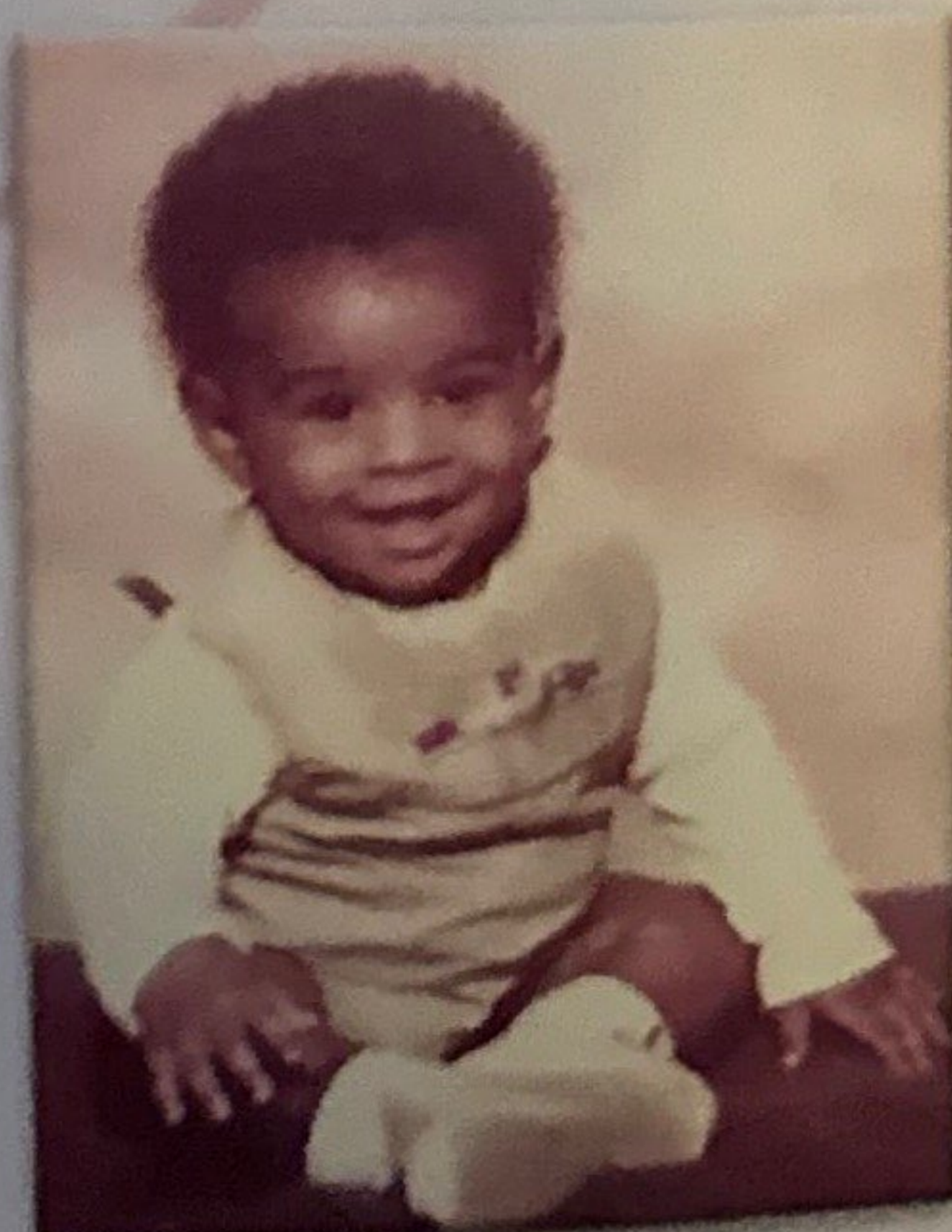
Until we meet again, I love you all and I thank God for you all being in my life. What a day of rejoicing that will be in the eternal love of our God the Father, God the Son and Holy Spirit.

Love Forever -- Your Son, Your Brother, Your Love, Your Friend

Drake - Let the Lord Jesus Christ keep your heart and mind with His comforting love, and that's all that matters.



"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways saith the Lord." Isaiah 55:8



# Loving Tributes

## A Mother's Love Of Her Son In Heaven



*They say there is a reason. They say time will heal  
Neither time or reason will change the love that I feel.*

I prayed for a miracle to heal you. Father God what can I say for your miracle of healing. I heard the lighting and thunder in the sky and I heard the Holy Spirit say, he doesn't want to come back - and then I knew he had received the gift of eternal life.

He now has eternal life living in Paradise with the Father God, His Holy Son, Holy Spirit and all of his loved ones - treasures up in Heaven. You are a part of my treasure that is stored in Heaven. I know that gone are the days we use to share, but you will always be in my heart. The gates of memories will never close. I miss you son, more than anyone knows. Until we meet again. I will always and forever love you my son!

**Your Loving Mother, Chandra**



## To My Son

Gone but never forgotten!  
You have done a good job my son  
Give my mother, dad and all of our  
loved ones a big hug for me  
Tell them I will see them later.  
Until we meet again Drake...

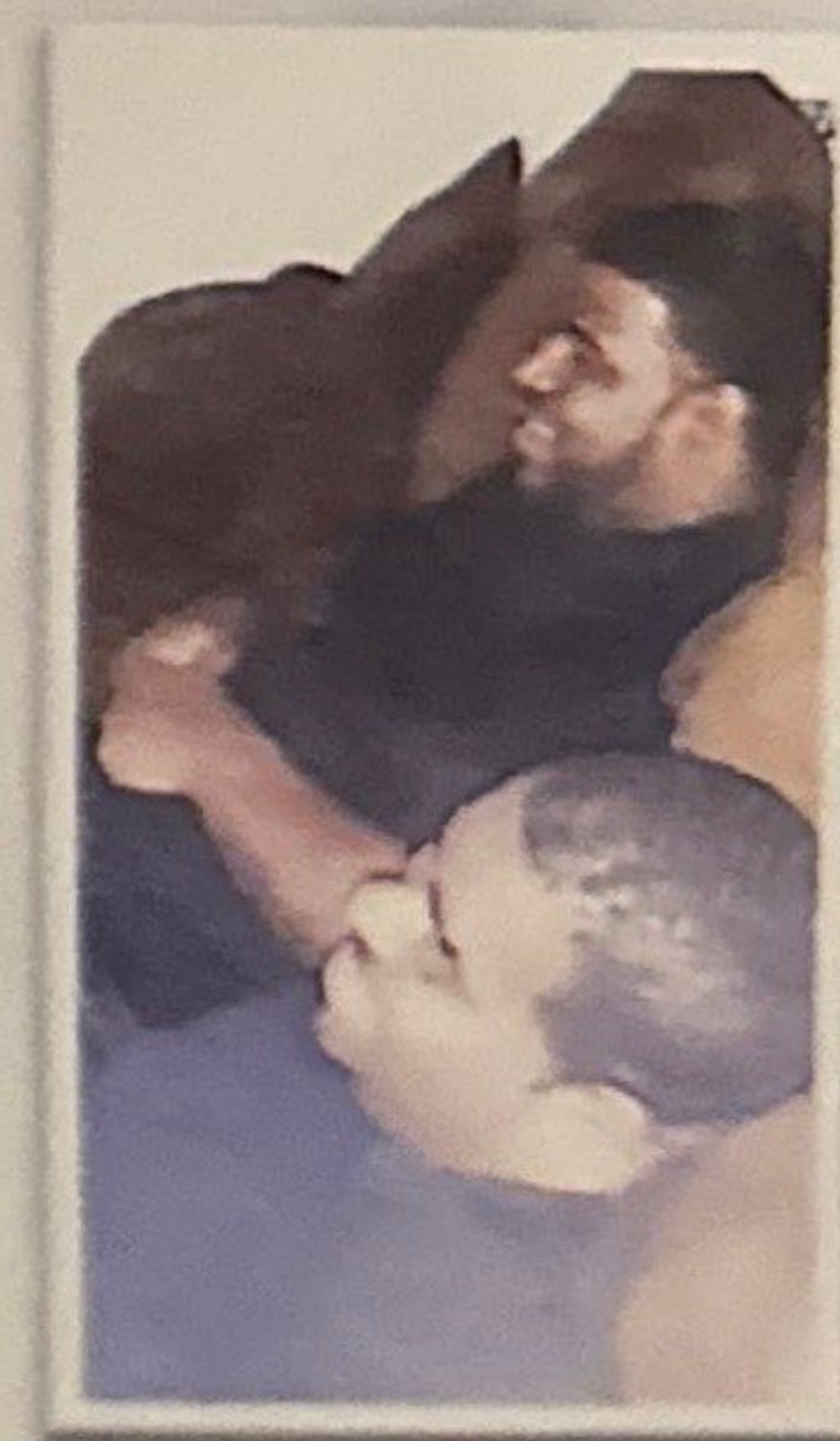
Love Always,  
**Your Dad, David**

## My Brother

When you talk about a brother, Drake was the embodiment of that. He had an infectious personality. It's no wonder I wanted to be just like you. You will be truly missed Big Bro - your style, your swag, your hugs, your talks, you joking on me all the time, the pride you had for yourself and your family was unmatched, and most of all your laughter that could change the whole room when you heard it.

Love You (Big Broda) Till we meet again, you will always be in my heart.

**Your Brother, Brice**



## To My Sweet Love

**My Dear Sweet Love -- Drake O'Bryan Hoodye**

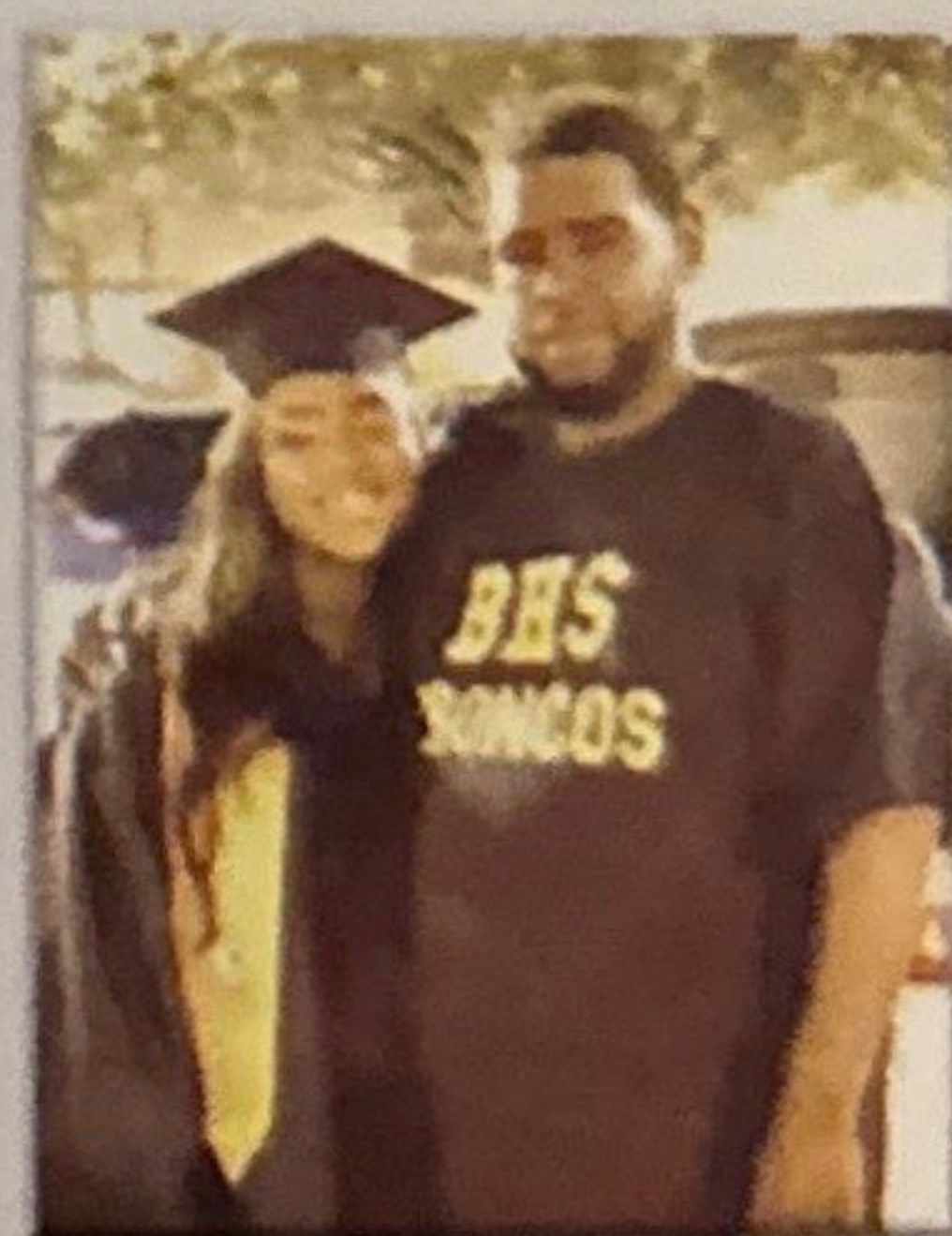
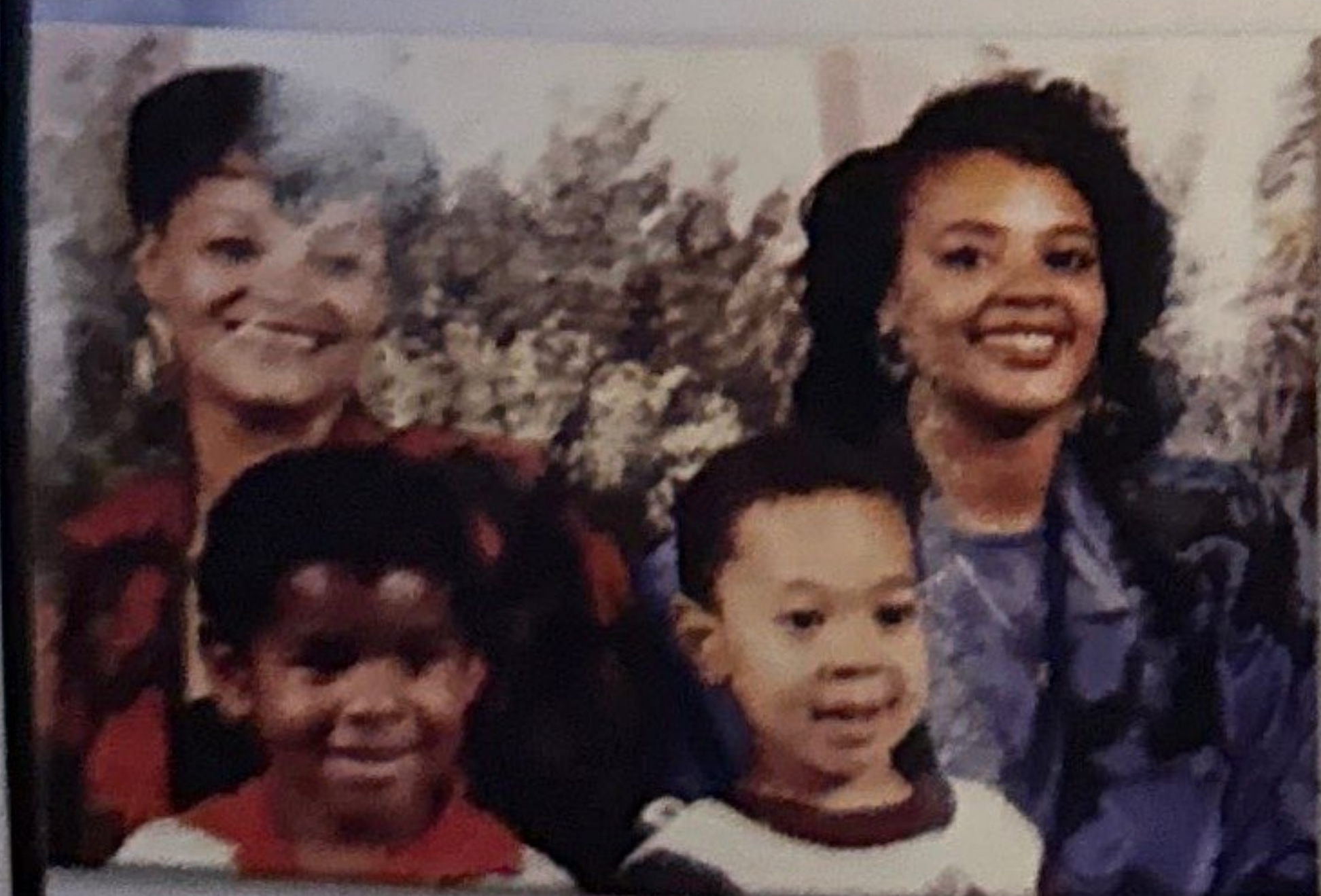
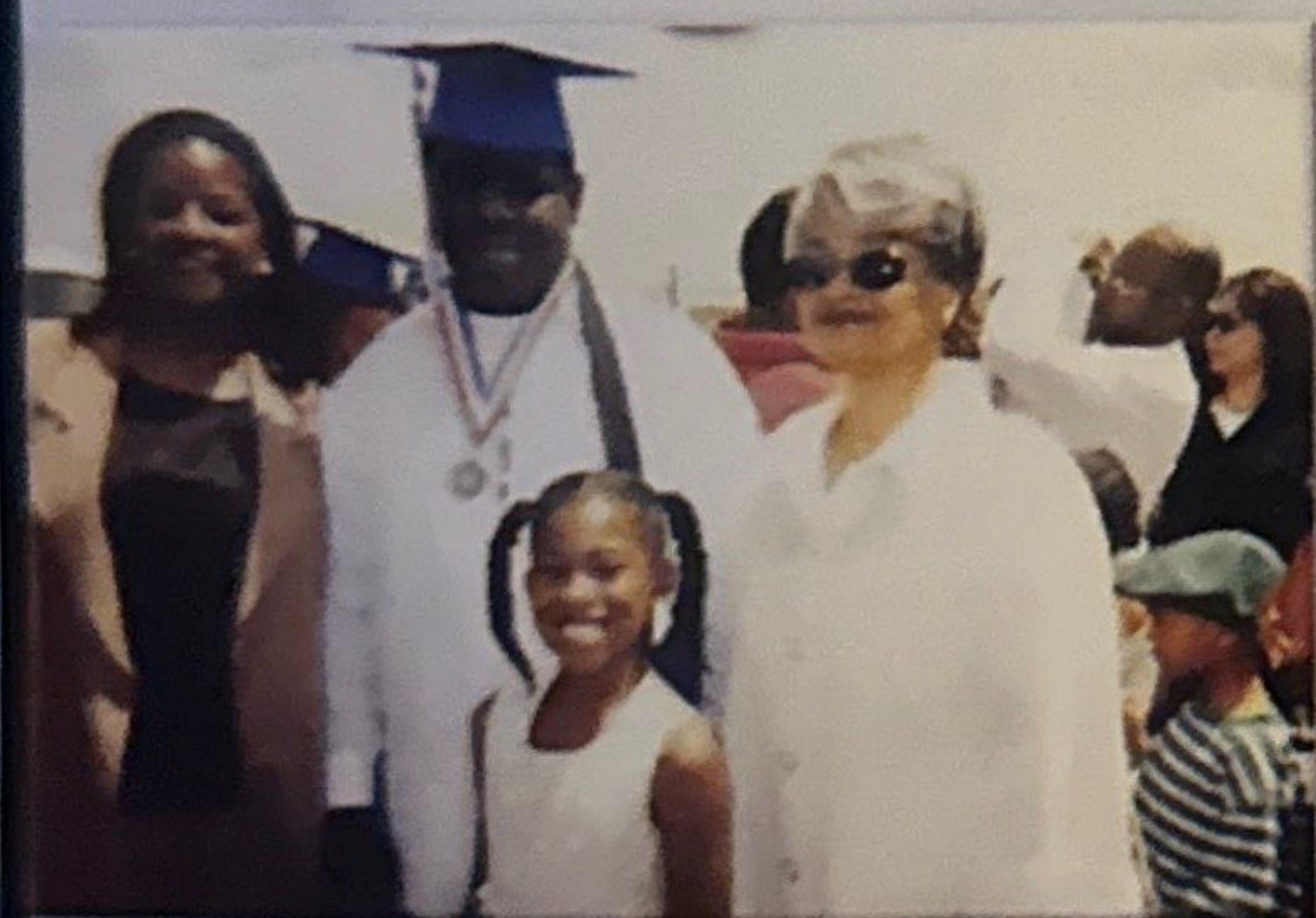
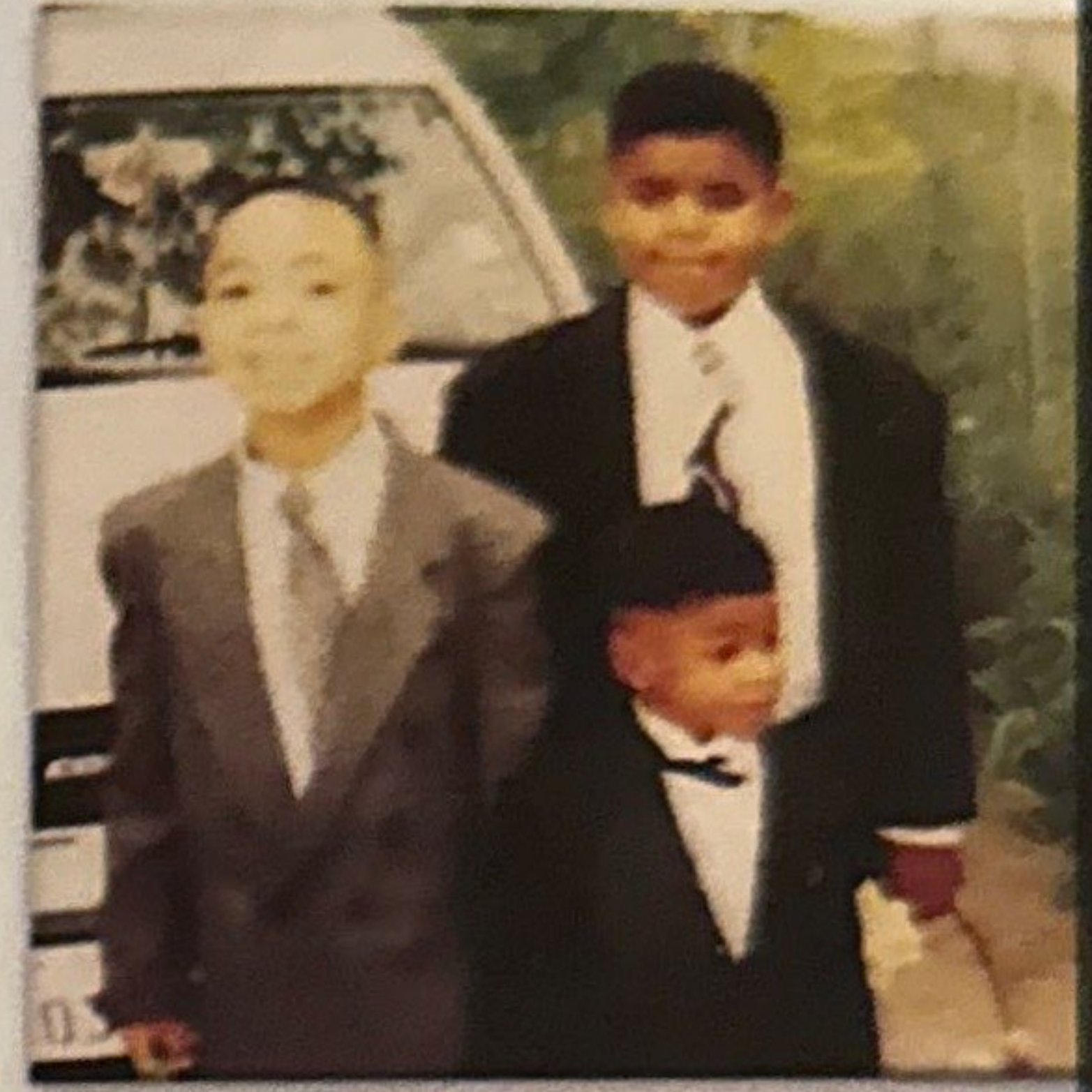
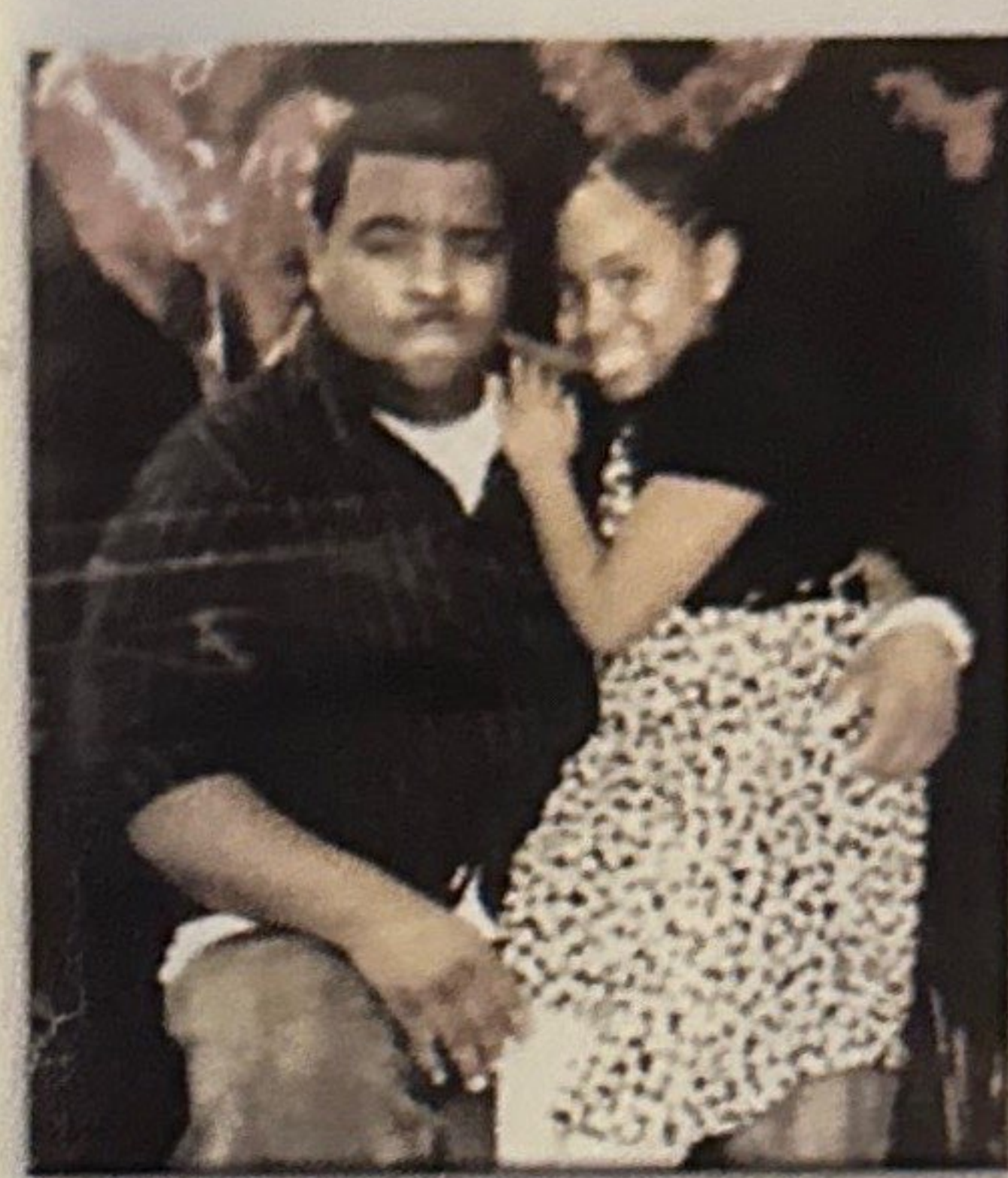
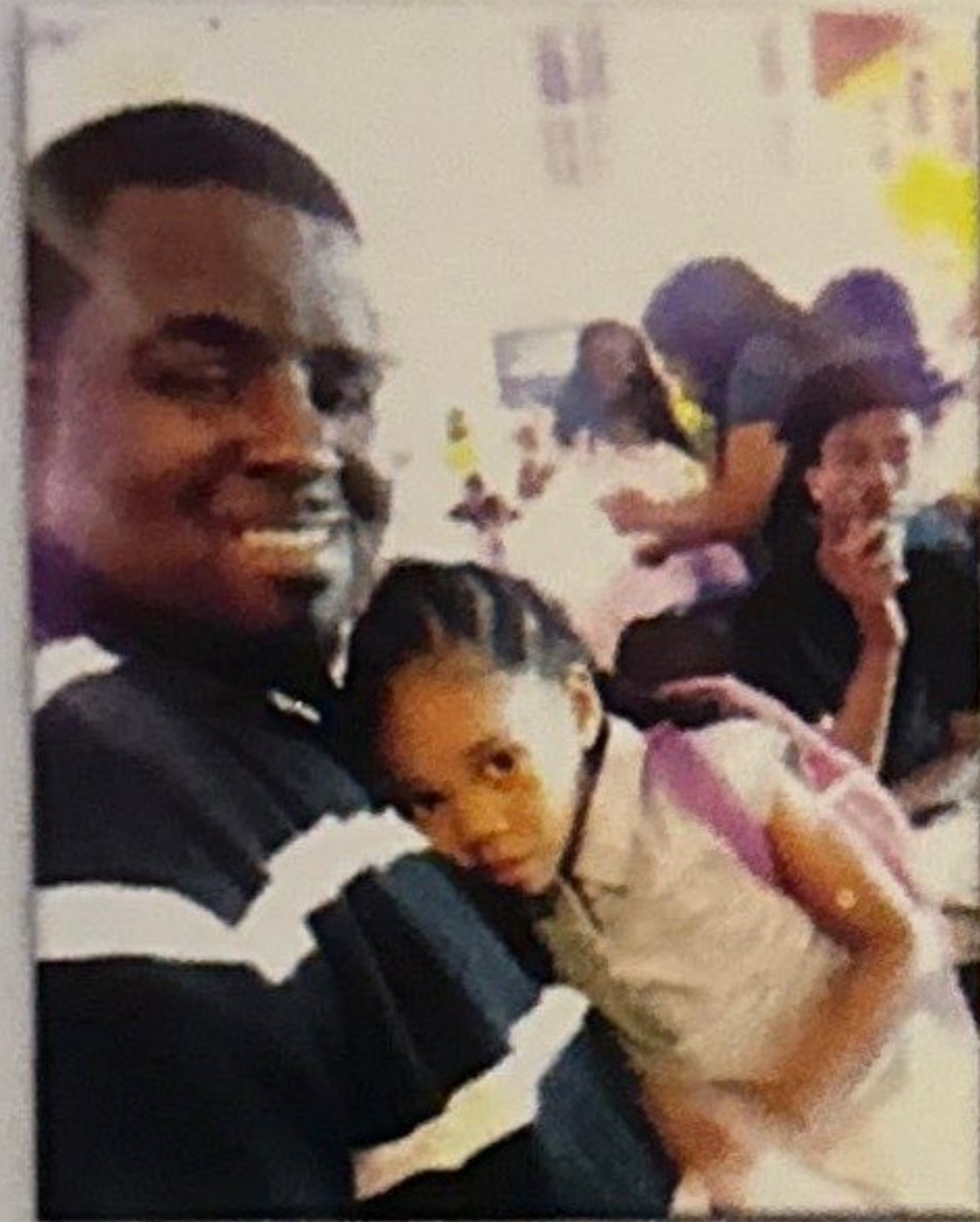
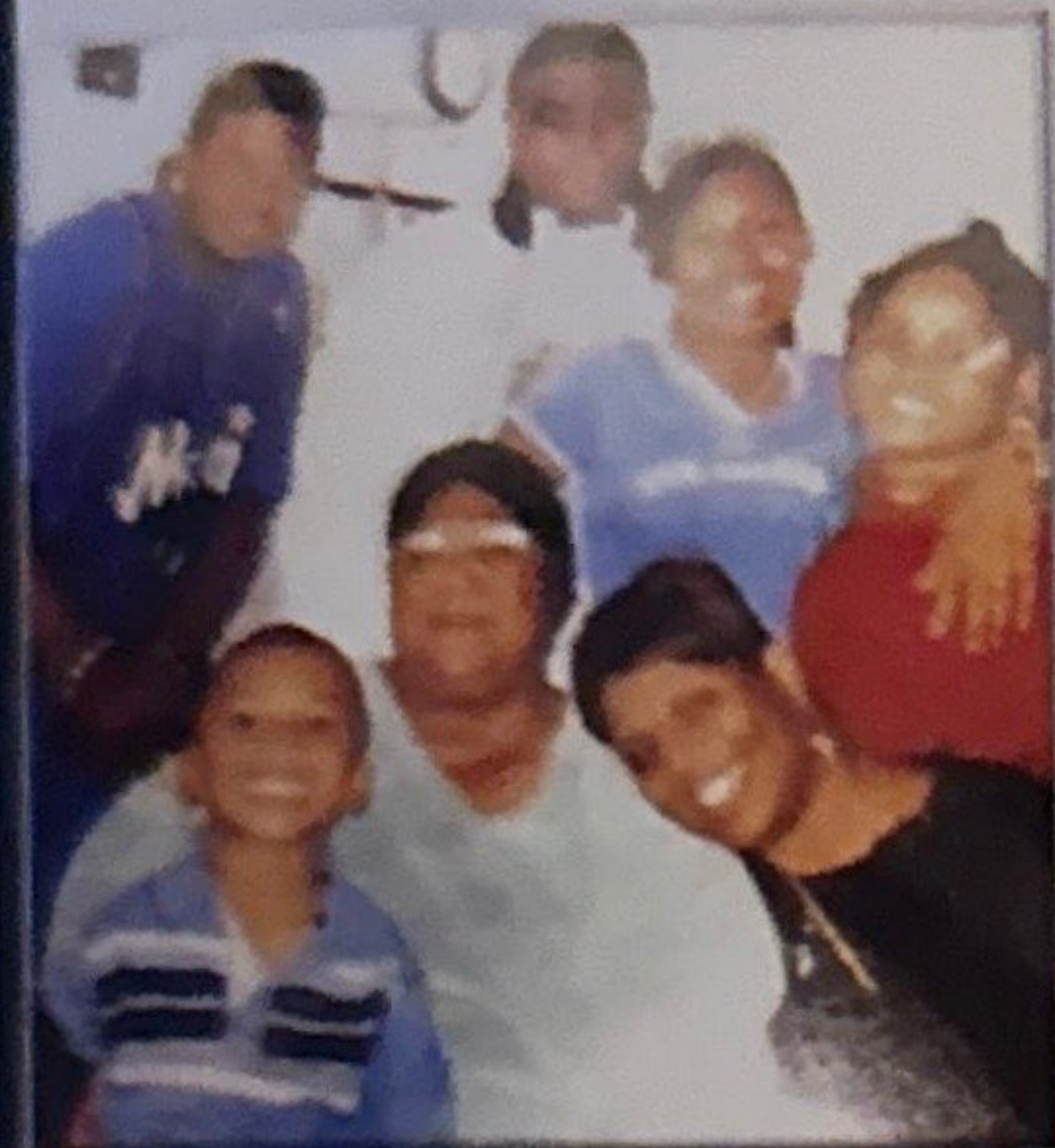
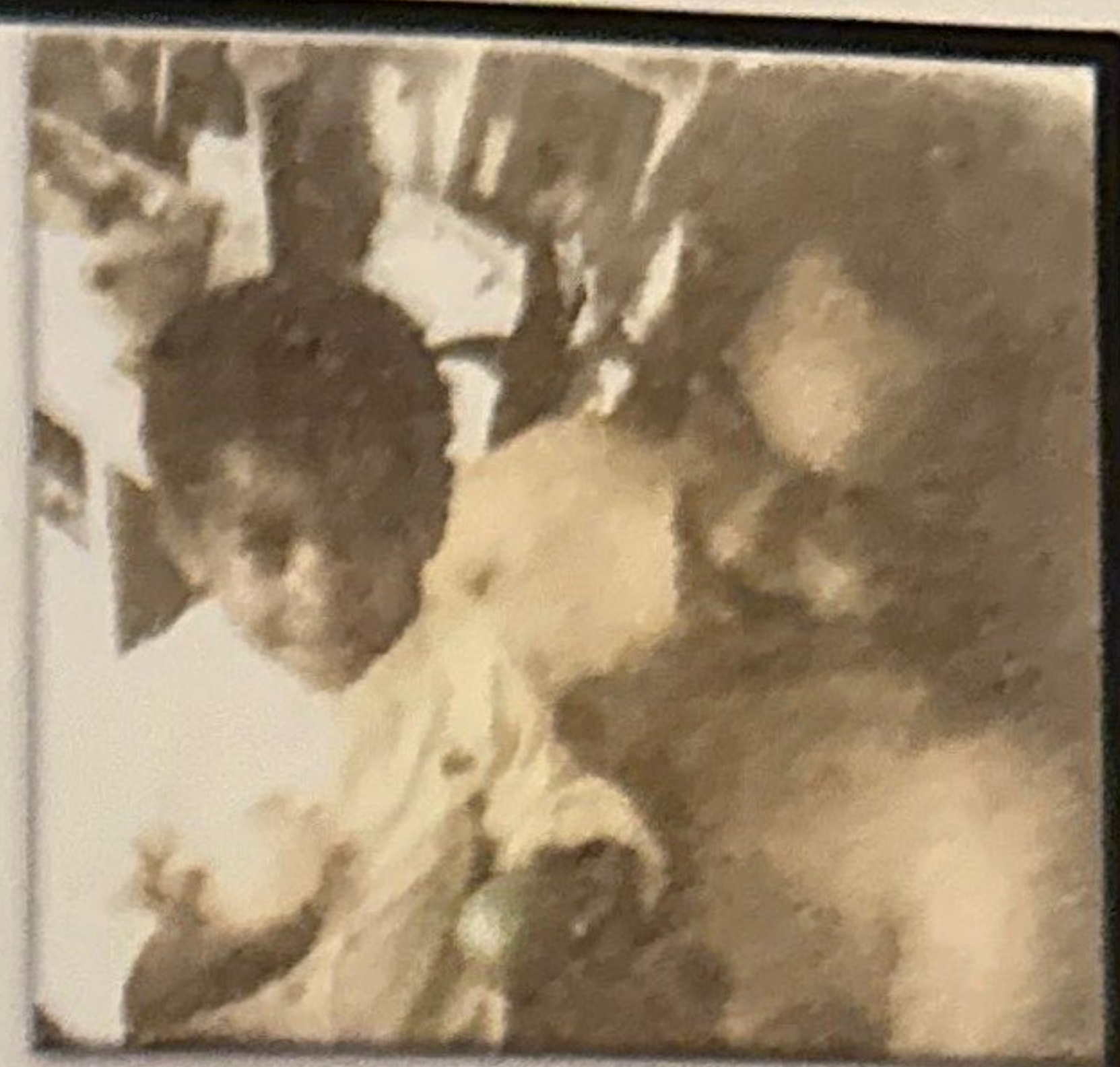
I love you with everything in me from the deepest, most sincerest parts of me. I am so very blessed, thankful and grateful to call you my love, my best friend and the father to our kids. You are the absolute sheer essence of what any man and husband should inspire to be.

You have the purest, most genuine heart of anyone I know. You have taught me so very much about myself and this life in these eighteen years that I will always and forever honor.

Forever Your Lady,  
**Shawntay (AKA Boo Boo)**



*Precious Memories*



## Active Pallbearers

Krys Guillory  
Douglas Carraway  
Craig Westbrook

Marques Jerrod Mathis  
Rafael Vasquez  
Quincy (Fatty) Micheaux

## Honorary Pallbearers

David Hoodye  
Brice Hoodye  
James Hoodye  
Ace LaVergne  
James Smith  
Ron Hoodye  
Tony Hoodye

Richie Carraway  
Brandon LaVergne  
Leroy Westbrook  
Don Hoodye  
Terrance Jackson  
Jason Carraway  
Douglas Carraway

## Acknowledgements

The family of Drake O'Bryan Hoodye wishes to express their heartfelt appreciation and thanks for the many expressions of kindness during this time. Your prayers, phone calls, visits and kind words will be forever cherished. May God continue to richly bless each and everyone of you.

Special Thanks to Rhonda Middleton and family for preparation of the Repast food. Thank you all and God Bless!

### Prayer of Salvation

"Dear God, I know I am a sinner and I ask for your forgiveness. I believe Jesus Christ is your Son. I believe that He died for my sins and that you raised Him to life. I want to trust Him as my Savior and follow Him as Lord, from this day forward. Guide my life and help me to do your will. I pray this in the name of Jesus. Amen"

*If you prayed this prayer and believed in your heart, you are saved!*

### Repast

Pickup & Go Plates  
Immediately After Service  
Here At This Local Church

### Private Family

### Repast

At Home of Joyce McBride

### Interment

Houston Memorial Gardens  
2426 Cullen Blvd.  
Pearland, TX 77581

### Funeral Arrangements Entrusted To:



Dynasty Memorial Mortuary  
2850 Fellows Road  
Houston, TX 77047  
713-640-5917

Programs By Rose M. Bonner  
713-254-4289

