

**Pall Bearers**  
Family & Friends

**Floral Bearers**  
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**"HIS JOURNEY'S JUST BEGUN"**

His Journey's Just Begun  
Don't think of him as gone away  
his journey's just begun,  
life holds so many facets  
this earth is only one.  
Just think of him as resting  
from the sorrows and the tears  
in a place of warmth and comfort  
where there are no days and years.  
Think how he must be wishing  
that we could know today  
how nothing but our sadness  
can really pass away.  
And think of him as living  
in the hearts of those he touched...  
for nothing loved is ever lost  
and he was loved so much.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair; Perhaps you sent a floral spray, If so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words As any friend could say; Perhaps you were not there at all Just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, We thank you so much, Whatever the part.



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*Rayé Shawn*   
**Monta Hodges**

*Sunrise*  
January 3, 2004

*Sunset*  
September 29, 2021



**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2021 | 1PM**  
**JOHNSTON CENTRAL ALUMNI CENTER**



# OBITUARY

**RayéShawn “RayRay” Hodges** attended Grade School in the Wake County Public School System. He loved to play football and his video games. He enjoyed being around his family and friends, and he loved to “hang out.”

**RayéShawn** was preceded in death by: his grandmother,

Yvonne Murphy, his grandfather, Ricky Hodges, his great-grandmother, Peggy Hodges, and great-grandmother, Mary

Terry.

**RayéShawn** leaves to cherish his memories, his son, Ja’vari;

his father, Derrick Murphy of Fayetteville, NC; his mother, Lakesha Hodges (Darrion Baines) of Selma, NC; his

siblings, Deshawn Hodges, Ladarius Hodges, Najir Murphy, Demarcus Murphy, Laveyah Murphy, and Avanna Mitchell;

his uncles Earl Terry of Dunn, NC, James (Lisa) Terry of Smithfield, NC, Brian Murphy, Doneah Wiggins of Selma,

NC, and a special uncle, Ricky Hodges, Jr. of Wilson, NC; his aunt, Alissa Murphy of Wake County and Halimah

Murphy of Florida; his great aunt, Glenda Hodges of Smithfield, NC; his first cousins, Serdella Brockington,

Aleiyah Surles, Alasjaih Surles, RJ Surles, Ariyah Surles, Punkin Evans, Marco Evans, Jazariah aka Zariah, and a host

of other family and friends.

# ORDER OF SERVICE



Pastor Benita Sanders, Presiding

## Processional

*Clergy and Family*

## Solo

*Paula Waters*

## Holy Scriptures(Old & New Testament)

*Johnathan Hodges*

## Prayer of Comfort

*Minister Michelle Harper*

## Acknowledgements

*Dr. Beverly Rowland*

## Remarks

*2 Minutes Please*

## Solo

*Johnathan Hodges*

## Eulogy

*Overseer Justin Barnes*

## Mortician’s Brief

*Sanders Funeral Home*

## Recessional

*Clergy & Family*

## Repast:

Johnston Central Alumni Center