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THE CHURCH OF THE LORD JESUS

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## REMEMBERING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF Shejuania Payne

Thejuania Payne was born on May 19, 1967, to the late James and Marie Payne in Las Vegas, Nevada. She was the youngest daughter born to that union. Thejuania was a bundle of joy to her parents. She was kindhearted and faithful to all of her loved ones. If you caught her on the right day, you would witness her sense of humor. She was always ready to protect her family.

She attended Hyde Park Junior High School in Las Vegas, Nevada. Where she played Volleyball and ran Track. She continued the love for the game later at Western High where she took the sports to the next level. She graduated from Western High School in 1986. Some of her favorite activities were throwing parties for her nieces and nephews. Her passion was cooking, and she was very good at it. The greatest sunshine in her life was her son Darren who she affectionately called DJ.

She was employed by the Clark County School District as a Campus Monitor. She held that position for 20 years. The staff and students loved her, she loved them too. Students affectionately called her TJ. She took her position very seriously and quickly responded to calls. Making sure her students were safe.

The angel came to take Thejuania home on Monday, August 7, 2023. She leaves to cherish her memory: one son Darren Debose she affectionately called DJ; mother, Marie Payne; sisters; Irma Jean (Arnold) Williams, Ella D. Calhoun, and Mildred A. Payne; brothers, Charles R. Williams, Michael A. Williams, and Arthur Jerome Payne, who proceeded her in death and a host of nephews, nieces, and friends





































### CELEBRATING The life and legacy of

### Thejuania Payne

Processional	Family & Clergy Pastor Keith L. Calhoun II
Ceremonial Host	Pastor Oliver Jewel Victorian
Scripture Readings: Old Testament New Testament	
Prayer	
Letter to Sister	
Tributes	
Expressions	Family & Friends (2 Min.)
Video Presentation	
Poem	Lakisha L. Williams
Obituary	
Song Selection	Sherrona Williams
Eulogy	
Parting View	(No Pictures or Videos)Giddens Memorial Chapel
Recessional	

#### **INTERMENT**

Bunkers Eden Vale Memorial Park 1216 N Las Vegas Blvd Las Vegas, NV 89101

































# LOVING TRIBUTE TO THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF Shejuania Payne

NEVER GONE
Author: CRYSTAL WILLIAMS

How could I have ever known I would receive a call saying my T.T is gone How could this happen, there were no hints or clues I'm having a hard time processing this news As I raced to my granny full of denial in my mind Telling myself over and over my T.T. is fine Knowing we weren't prepared for this in any type of way None of us knew today would be that day When I saw my family it tore me apart It felt like someone was throwing darts at my heart At that moment I knew, there was no more denial I knew my Granny lost another child I tried to stay strong for my Family sake Not knowing at all I was about to break We comforted each other, as we wiped each other tear Thinking on our memories of her through-out the years One thing for sure she will deeply be missed And I know that the Lord will see us through this Though the pain is heavy and we ask ourselves why I know that my T. T. wouldn't want us to cry So today in her honor I'll hold my head up high I'll lean on my Heavenly Father who sits high in the sky For Me, my T.T. could never be gone The Lord just simply called his child home.

#### WHEN TOMORROW STARTS WITHOUT ME

When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not here to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me
I wish you wouldn't cry the way you did today
While thinking of the many things we did not get to say
I know how much you love me as much as I love you
Each time that you think of me I know you will miss me too
When tomorrow starts without me please try to understand.
That an Angel came and called my name and took me by the hand.
The angel said my place was ready in Heaven far above
And that I would have to leave behind all those I dearly love.



#### THEJUANIA

Thejuania is beautiful, and a bit mysterious. She doesn't care what other people think.

Thejuania is smart, funny, and loyal. She's always trying to be a better person, and she's already a great friend.

Thejuania will put on a brave face, when she is secretly terrified. She'll laugh when she sad and smile when she's happy.

Thejuania gets bored easily, and she loves adventure. Things might be difficult for Thejuania right now.

But she has always fought her way through challenges, and that will never change.

#### **PALLBEARERS**

Arnold Williams Jr. (A.R.)
Keith L. Calhoun II (J.R.)
Deven L. Calhoun
Edward Porter
Montrelle Holmes
Malachi Williams

#### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

James A. Payne
Arthur Jerome Payne
Darren Debose
Charles R. Williams
Michael A. Williams
Herman Porter
William Porter
Arnold Williams

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