



Baby Joseph Gaines

September 27, 2022 - April 22, 2023

Baby Joseph A'meir Gaines was born in Saginaw MI, on September 27, 2022. He was the son of Nia Riley and Kendrick Gaines. Our sweet baby boy returned to Heaven on April 22, 2023 at the age of six months, just six days after being dedicated and given back to the Lord.

Baby Joseph was a sweet and loving baby boy. He could win your heart over with a smile. He was a very alert and active baby, who loved to make his voice heard. Joseph loved to bounce away in his bouncer as he listened to and watched Gracie's Corner. He was such a happy baby and his smile will be missed greatly.

Joseph A'meir Gaines leaves to cherish his memory, his parents, Nia Riley and Kendrick Gaines; grandparents, Spring Riley, Barnes Reynolds, Sam Pruitt II, Dwight Pollard, and Sharon Gaines; godparents, Teonna Williams, and Anthony Watson; great grandparents, Ruth Riley, and Janet Pruitt; great aunts, Angel Riley, Nicole Riley, and Chastity Riley; great uncles, Frederick Riley, and Patrick Riley; aunts, Ciara Brown, Charisma Reynolds, and Jade Sanders; uncles, Christian Pruitt, Caneron Riley, Demarrion Jones, Tay Reynolds, Torrance Marshall, Daquarius Townsend, Dwight Pollard, Antwon Gaines, Earvin Burton, and Jordan Gaines; Special Cousins, Amelia Sanders, and Khizer Burton; many other relatives and friends.

Joseph was preceded in death by his great grandmother, Teva Dunlap; aunt, Danielle Martin; many other relatives.

The family would like to express a special thank you to Mt. Olive Institutional Missionary Baptist Church, the employees of Covenant Healthcare, and everyone who has contributed, and shown all forms of love, prayers and support to Evans and Browne's Funeral Home. Thank you.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 11, 2023 at Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 N. Jefferson Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48607. Visitation will take place from 9:00 a.m. until the time of service. Dr. Marvin T. Smith will officiate.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home
441 North Jefferson Avenue
Saginaw, MI 48607

Funeral Service

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines* ”



Browne's Mortuary - May 11, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Rija Landry-Aka lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines* ”



Rija Landry-Aka - September 21, 2023 at 01:02 PM



“ *Doloris Mixon sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines* ”



Doloris Mixon - June 04, 2023 at 02:51 AM

LM

“ *LaShonda McGill sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



LaShonda McGill - May 14, 2023 at 08:48 AM

PL

“ *Pamela Lindsay lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Pamela Lindsay - May 12, 2023 at 05:22 AM

AM

“ *Apral D. Gaines - Maner lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Apral D. Gaines - Maner - May 11, 2023 at 11:40 AM

DM

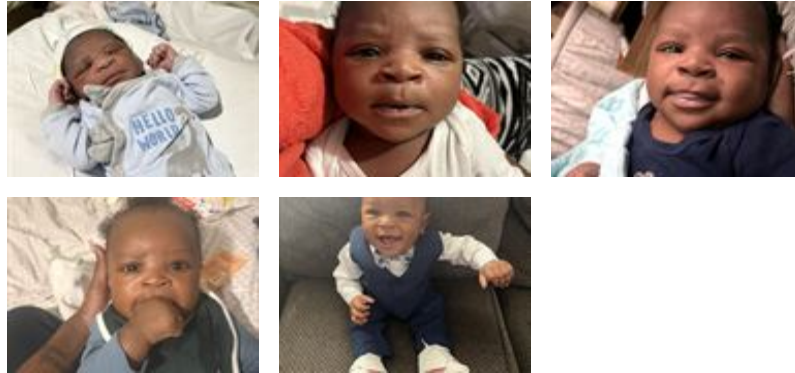
“ *Doloris Mixon sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Doloris Mixon - May 11, 2023 at 12:48 AM



“ 60 files added to the album Life Tributes



Browne's Mortuary - May 10, 2023 at 12:20 PM

WB

“ Walsezetta Bennett sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines



Walsezetta Bennett - May 10, 2023 at 09:17 AM

DJ

“ We send our deepest condolences for Baby Joseph.



Dani Johnson - May 10, 2023 at 01:57 AM

AJ

“ Amelia Genwright Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines



Amelia Genwright Johnson - May 09, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Baby Joseph Gaines.



May 09, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ Missing Pieces DavisDiggs sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines



Missing Pieces DavisDiggs - May 08, 2023 at 11:42 AM

MA

“ My heartfelt condolences to Nia and family.



Megan Anderson - May 05, 2023 at 03:58 PM

JS

“ *Janie Surles-Cork sent a virtual gift in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Janie Surles-Cork - May 04, 2023 at 08:15 PM

VJ

“ *Virginia Johnson lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Virginia Johnson - May 04, 2023 at 12:55 PM

TH

“ *Tara Henderson lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Tara Henderson - May 04, 2023 at 06:42 AM

KC

“ *Karen Cork lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Karen Cork - May 03, 2023 at 05:15 AM

KS

“ *Kathy Shaw lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Kathy Shaw - May 02, 2023 at 06:07 PM

CP

“ *Carrie Polk lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



Carrie Polk - May 02, 2023 at 01:42 PM

BW

“ *Love, prayers, hugs and condolences to the family, extended family and friends. May God comfort each and everyone of you 🙏❤️*

Bernice Williams - April 30, 2023 at 02:28 PM

TF

“ *The Reese Family lit a candle in memory of Baby Joseph Gaines*



The Reese Family - April 30, 2023 at 12:44 PM

DH

“ *Baby JoJo you were a Blessing to our family and You will be missed but when you get to Heaven your Angelica Family will be there with open arms to Greet You. To the Parents may you be Strong and Continue to hold your Head High, Support each other and know that Your Love for Joseph will never leave your heart. AUNTIE DOROTHY*



Dorothy A. Hopkins - April 27, 2023 at 09:26 AM

NR

“ *The happiest baby I have ever met in my life, such a pleasure to have spent just a moment with him, my first great nephew, I will miss him more than words can express.*



Nicole Riley - April 26, 2023 at 04:12 PM

DC

“ *Near I am so sorry for your loss He was such a beautiful baby-friendly baby and had a big beautiful smile*



Derinda Culberson - April 26, 2023 at 12:38 PM

TW

“ Kendrick & Nia, we want to express our heartfelt condolences. Your family in Florida are praying for you all. God, please grant this loving family the peace, strength, and perseverance to make it through this trying time and those in the future. If there is anything we can do please do not hesitate to reach out to us. Your cousins, Tanya, Herb, and family; Kenyatta, Michael, and Family; and Aunt Dorothy. Love ya!

Tanya White - April 25, 2023 at 08:37 PM

DS

“ You all have my deepest condolences. Praying your grief be short and your joy much longer with memories of your beloved angel. Sincerely Donna Shipman ❤️🙏❤️



Donna Shipman - April 25, 2023 at 08:25 PM