



## Tamarus Darby

April 4, 1985 - December 10, 2005

Funeral service will take place on Friday, December 16, 2005 at the Wolverine State Baptist Headquarters, 615 South Jefferson Avenue. Supt. Harold Jones will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Browne's Mortuary, 441 North Jefferson Avenue on Thursday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. Our beloved son, father, brother, uncle and grandson, Tamarus Lorenzo Darby (known as "Tee") went home to be with our Heavenly Father on Saturday, December 10, 2005 at Covenant Medical Center. He passed away suddenly. Tamarus was born in Saginaw on April 4, 1985 to Tracy and Mattie (Darby) Bender. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Mattie Bender; grandmother, Marilyn Cheatham; grandfather, Hazel Morris of Vassar, MI; two brothers, Daniel Darby, Sr. and Matthew Darby of Saginaw; two daughters, Tamariana and Tamari?Ya; a son, Tamarus, Jr., all of Saginaw; two nieces; one nephew, all of Saginaw; 14 uncles; ten aunts and a host of cousins, other relatives and friends and a special and dear friend, Tamara Shacks. Tamarus was preceded in death by his grandparents, Mattie Darby, Sr. and Floyd Bender, Sr.; three uncles and his godmother.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tasha Mack lit a candle in memory of Tamarus Darby*



Tasha Mack - March 12, 2021 at 11:39 AM



“ *tamarus darby is my dad and he died when i was 5 months old and i miss him so my name is tamarus lorenzo darby jr and i was born on june 27th 2005 to tamara shacks and tamarus darby i love him*

tamarus - February 28, 2016 at 08:38 AM



*If you see this I would like to meet you and tell you stories about your dad*

Zach Taylor - April 24, 2021 at 02:31 AM



*If you see this i would like to meet you and tell you stories of your dad*

Zach Taylor - April 24, 2021 at 02:32 AM



“ *dam i miss you bro straight up real talk*

beans - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ i miss you tamarus.i know i'm young but i still love YOU!!YOU WAS MY BOO.  
IM PISSED THAT YOU GONE

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**lanae mcknight** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Wat up wit you bro I juss stopped by to say what it do...It seems like its been a long tyme without you in da hood...Man shit juss gettin so crazy...You juss don't know I miss all da tymes with you...Remember when you came and picked Me, Banks, Chari, & Lee-Lee up from dat party...We had to tell you dem ni99as was out there juss so you wouldn't take all day...Or what about when I was talkin to Roddie and you use to always be over his house wit us...And da time you had Me, Ashley, & Tee to walk up to Central and almost around da school da school juss so you could give us a ride (you didn't want our peeps to think nothin) to where Bloom & Banks was at...We got there and it was bout 50 mo people than we thought and you made us get out and stay...Or what about da tyme you snapped on me cause I didn't get dressed on tyme fa da EASTSIDE Reunion ('05), it was all because I didn't have on my shirt really...Man Thuggin you was like a BROTHER from anotha MOTHER...Yo memories will foreva live on in da HOOD...Love you

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**Adaesha Coleman** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Today's your birthday and I can't believe your not here to celebrate it. Although I know your up there partying. I miss you so much and it hurts to know that when I come to Saginaw your not there. Just stopped by to tell you HAPPY BIRTHDAY Peso and that I'm always thinking of you! Your home-girl always and forever!

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**Ari Pearson** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ I am so sorry you had to go through this. Things happen to the best of us. I was surprised of this terrible incident. Cuz, I will be there for you and the rest of the Darby family. Mat, you know you and I shares a bond with either other every since we were kids. When you hurt, I am feeling you in so many different ways. I still have my three boys and believe me, it is hard trying to raise boys. I try hard to keep my boys from the system and for some odd reasons, boys will be boys. In our eyes, our boys are good even when they are not. I will always say this, Tamarus was a very respectful young man to me. But you and I must understand, we have to let them go at a certain age. If you look at our mothers in our family, the boys are our pride and joy. The doors are always open to come in and out. If they are hungry, they know we will feed them. I try to keep money in my kids pocket so they won't have to steal or borrow money from nobody. Keep Mathew under your wings as long as you can. I will help you as much as I can. Saginaw is taking our young men for no apparent reason. I would like for my family to leave Saginaw and start a new life. I hope you get a chance to read this tribute. I love you and my little cousins.

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**Beverley Poydras** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ sorry for your loss, my condolences

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**Lacey Smith** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ To the family and friends of  
Tamarus Darby  
May god guide you in your time of sorrow.  
It is very sad that this young man wont  
see another tomorrow.  
It seems unfair that he is not here but  
it was time to go home.  
When you think of him smile in his memory for he is not alone.  
He is with our father watching us as we  
live out our days.  
Praying for his earthly friends hoping they change there ways.  
we all go through trials and tribulations  
thats what makes us stronger.  
I just want to say to the young people  
honor your mother & father, be a friend to each other & your days on  
earth will  
be longer.

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Ashantai - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ MATTIE YOU AND YOUR FAMILY HAVE MY DEEPEST  
SYMPATHY. AND I'LL KEEP ALL OF YOU IN MY PRAYERS. STAY  
STRONG. I KNOW THAT YOU ARE A STRONG WOMAN. FROM  
TONDRA D. FREEMAN AND DIONELL L. BERRY

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TONDRA D. FREEMAN - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Tamarus my friend, you always made me laugh and kept a smile on my face. I just can't believe it was your time to go. But I guess god knew what he was doing when he called you home that night. To Tamarus's mother I know that you are sad because your baby boy is now gone, but I just want to let you know that God will never put more on you than he knows you can handle. I will keep you in my prayers and keep god first in your life in this time of need.

Hey Tee remeber when we first met. You ask me to take you to Mcdonalds. It was just so funny to me the way you asked me. But we went and we rode for some time and hung out after school. I'm going to miss those times talking to you and teasing you about being the same height as me.but I know that I will never forget you and the times we shared at the Hill. I will see you when its my turn to go home. Love you always

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**Tara Matthews** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ I just wanted to send my love to the family of Tamarus. Even though he is truly going to be missed more then he is now, we now know that he is in a much better place. Many are wondering "why Peso he was so young", but we must remember that God doesn't make mistakes and he just needed another angel under his wing who he can soon grant wings to and send to smile down on us! To his precious daughter may God keep blessing you and don't worry your daddy is in a better place. They say all things happen for a reason but some things just shouldn't happen and we can't ever except the fact that another love one has been taken from us and it hurts most knowing that you nor I will never be able to see or talk to Tamarus in this life. So until we see him again let's not regret his life, let's celebrate his life and remember all of the good times that you may have shared with him because I know he always kept me laughing. :) In closing I just want to say to Peso that " I'll never forget you and I'll always think of you as the boy that use to live down the street from me in BV before we got grown, and always remember that I'll always be thinking of you no matter what". I love you and until we are reunited I will always miss you.

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**Ari Pearson** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ To the family and friends of Tamarus Darby:  
I would like to say that I am very sorry for the pain that this tragic incident has caused you to go through, but Tamarus was a very good friend of mine. He will be remembered and missed truly. Just remember that he is in a better place now watching down over all of us. You will remain in my prayers.

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**Cierra Henderson** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *Mattie I am sorry to here that this has happened you have my deepest sympathy.*

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**Ronda Smith** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *To the family I can only think of the fun times that I shared with Tamarus. Like when me, him, LaToya was in Mr.Christ math class and he would come in every morning and copy the homework form the night before. I can say some many things but what I really want to say is to the family remeber the Good times. Make sure that he is not forgotten for so many reasons his Children. Yours Truly LaSonyna DeGraffenried.*

*Tamarus Gone but not Forgotten*

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**LaSonyna** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ *well thi will be the last time i will see u my friend and thi will be the last time i here ur voice tee but i kno one thing tee u is in a better place. but tee u was a real very good friend friend tee but i guess god say ower days will be number but he took u as a good angle in heave tee but no matter what tee u still have every one so thi will be ower last time talking i will miss u and every will miss u here is the end tee i am say my last good byes my friends we will see u some day we love my friend we love good bye!!! (tamarus)*

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**demarcus peterson** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ *To Tamarus's family. Words cannot express the sorrow you feel and I want you to know that you are in my prayers. Tamarus was a good friend and will be truly missed.*

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**Latrisha Evans** - December 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM