



Montrell Dontae Johnson

May 19, 2000 - March 19, 2023

Montrell Dontae Johnson, the beloved child of Felicia Johnson and Nakia Swain, was born on May 19, 2000, in Talladega, Alabama. He was endeared and affectionately known as "PIE" to friends and family.

He received his formal education in the Talladega City School System where he attended Talladega High School and later graduated from Lincoln High School with the Class of 2018, where he was an outstanding football player and earned a college scholarship. Pie was an avid player of sports, and a talented athlete that excelled in basketball, football, and baseball. After graduation he enrolled in Union State College in Barbourville, KY where he was featured as a running back and a slotback on the Union Bulldogs football team. Pie worked at Kasai North America and was currently employed at Talladega College.

Pie was helpful, attentive, involved, and a beacon of light to those who knew him, with an outgoing personality and a brilliant smile. He was a devoted and doting father to his young son, Koiree Montrell Johnson. Not only did he love his son, but Pie also enjoyed spending time with his family and friends watching sports, especially the "Alabama Roll Tide"! In his spare time, he was pursuing his barber talent.

On March 19, 2023, long before he had truly reached his full potential,

Montrell Dontae Johnson passed away at Brookwood Citizens Baptist Medical Center in Talladega, Alabama.

Montrell's memory will forever remain in the hearts and minds of those he leaves to mourn: his only son, Koiree Montrell Johnson of Talladega; loving parents Felicia Johnson and Nakia (NaKeshia) Swain, both of Talladega; devoted sisters, Jamonica Johnson of Talladega, Taylor (Mathew) Walker of Huntsville, and Mykia Swain of Talladega; loyal brothers, Trevor Johnson, Kharee (Amanda) Barclay, Jakevia Barclay, Rakeem Garner, and Neiko Armani Carter all of Talladega; doting grandparents, Clodeen Johnson and Diane (Tony) McElderry both of Talladega; supportive aunts, Luverne (Edward) Wade of Pell City, Shawanda (Terry) Millender of Killeen, TX, Mary Jane White, Charlene Woodgett, Shericka Swain, and Tonya Dickerson all of Talladega; steadfast uncles, Leondric Johnson, Terrence Johnson, George Woodgett, and Charlie Woodgett all of Talladega, Don (April) Swain of Huntsville, AL, Tavares Woodgett and Tellus Swain both of Talladega; and loving fiancé, Miracle Carter of Talladega. Pie will be thought of fondly and missed by many other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Pine Hill Cemetery

35036 AL - 21
Talladega, AL 35160

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR **24.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

S.M. Goodson Funeral Home Chapel
217 Coosa St. East
Talladega, AL 35160

Celebration of Life

MAR **25.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kelly Springs Baptist Church
300 Kelly Springs Road
Munford, AL 36268

Tribute Wall

YW

“ *Yulanda Wilson lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Yulanda Wilson - March 28, 2023 at 12:01 AM

MF

“ *Praying*



Meadows Family - March 25, 2023 at 01:45 PM

SM

Thank you!

Shawanda Millender - April 29, 2023 at 01:38 PM

CF

“ *Calhoun Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Calhoun Family - March 25, 2023 at 09:31 AM

SM

Thank you!

Shawanda Millender - April 29, 2023 at 01:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 24, 2023 at 11:06 PM



“ *Pie was always so polite and respectful. His smile would light up the whole room. I remember how he would call early Sunday morning for a ride to church. Then, we would get there to pick him up and he was never ready! When we would drop him off after church, he didn't want to get out the truck... lol. I didn't worry about the girls as long as Pie was with them! Pie, you will be missed, we love you Cuzzo. Rest easy.*



D. Porter - March 24, 2023 at 08:26 PM



Yup, that was Pie. He was so sweet.

Shawanda Millender - April 29, 2023 at 02:07 PM



“ *Our. Sincere condolences to The Johnson and Swain Families. LaSinka Doris (Turner) Chapman. Praying for you all 🙏🙏🙏*



LaSinka Chapman - March 24, 2023 at 07:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 24, 2023 at 02:30 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 24, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 24, 2023 at 10:07 AM



“ *Lorenzo Gray lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Lorenzo gray - March 23, 2023 at 10:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 23, 2023 at 10:15 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 23, 2023 at 09:54 PM



“ *Montrell was one of my students when he attended Union College, KY. He was also one of my work-studies and friend. My students hold a special place in my heart. I prayer for his family and friends to find comfort during this tragic advent 🙏*



Mrs. Shackelford - March 23, 2023 at 04:36 PM



Thank you Mrs. Shackelford. He talked about his work study. Thank you for the prayers. We will miss him. It's difficult living without him being on this earth.

Shawanda Millender - April 29, 2023 at 11:26 AM

KC

“ *Kathleen Carter lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Kathleen Carter - March 23, 2023 at 03:29 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Montrell Dontae Johnson.*



March 23, 2023 at 12:43 PM

WM

“ *Praying that the Lord provides this family with strength during their time of grief*



Walette Morris - March 22, 2023 at 01:23 PM

TS

“ *It is our prayer God will comfort you and your family during this time of grief.*
Theresa Stockdale and family



Theresa Stockdale - March 22, 2023 at 10:05 AM

JP

“ God bless your with wings so that he may fly high with you. I remember Pie running around Westgate when was a little boy and would come to Diane Brown. And she would say boy what you want. Then she would tell him gone get what you want. I will always remember him as that little boy.



Janis Phillips - March 22, 2023 at 07:25 AM

JR

Praying for the family and will keep the family in our know that you will forever in our hearts 💕 and in our prayers love always Elaine Reynolds and family

Joy Reynolds - March 22, 2023 at 07:45 PM

TR

“ I love u Pie ❤️❤️❤️❤️



Tenisha Richardson - March 21, 2023 at 11:23 PM

GW

“ Gwendolyn Wilson lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson



Gwendolyn Wilson - March 21, 2023 at 09:21 PM



“ *Rest in Peace big bro im gone miss you*



Cornelius DaCarlos - March 21, 2023 at 08:50 PM



“ *Keandria Spiller lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Keandria Spiller - March 21, 2023 at 10:26 AM



“ *Sending prayer to the family. From my family to your family. We are truly sorry for your loss. You have our condolences with deepest sympathy.*



Rhonda white - March 21, 2023 at 12:41 AM



“ *Jackie W Hall lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Jackie W Hall - March 20, 2023 at 10:06 PM

JH

Prayers for the families!!! 🙏💔😭🌹

Jackie W Hall - March 20, 2023 at 10:07 PM

SF

“ *Sharon Fluker lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Sharon Fluker - March 20, 2023 at 07:41 PM



“ *Gwennette Duncan lit a candle in memory of Montrell Dontae Johnson*



Gwennette Duncan - March 20, 2023 at 06:16 PM

LP

“ *Sending up my prayers and my deeply sympathy to this family during their difficult loss*



lori pope - March 20, 2023 at 05:42 PM