



## Jabriell Brontez Smith

June 4, 1995 - May 28, 2019

Jabriell Brontez Smith was born on Sunday, June 4, 1995, to the late Keywine Robert West and Kineta Tasha Smith. He departed this life on Monday, May 27, 2019, after a motorcycle tragedy. Jabriell started his education at Phillip C. Showell Elementary School and went on to Long Neck Elementary School, and then graduated from Sussex Central High School in 2014.

Jabriell was good at drawing, writing poems, skateboarding and riding bikes. Ever since Jabriell was three years old, he loved Hot Wheels cars so he got into cleaning people's cars and as he grew up, he started working on cars. Jabriell was a "jack of-all trades, but a master of none". Jabriell's mother gave him the nickname Monkey because he would climb on everything and jump off with no fear. His Pop-Pop Terry and his uncle Huck gave him the nickname Bridaddy because he was such a cool little fella. When he was younger, he attended St. John 2nd Baptist Church and enjoyed going to Sunday School and singing with his pop-pop. One of his favorite songs that they enjoyed together was "When You See Me Walking Right". He also liked going to Vacation Bible School. Jabriell would not sugar coat his words, but would help anybody no matter what their needs were.

Jabriell was preceded in death by his brother, Justin West; grandfather, Danny Andrews; father Keywine Robert West; great-grandmother, Grace Andrews; great-great grandmother, Dorothy Kelly; and two uncles, Gifford Hopkins and

Fred Hopkins.

Jabriell leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Kineta Tasha Smith; one brother, Nasir Horsey; cousin/sister, Samira Smith; one sister, Neavah West; one daughter, Briella Smith; one son, Brayden Smith; mom-mom and pop-pop, Anette Nock and Valentino Terry Nock, great-grandmothers, Rosalie Handy and Bernice West; grandmother, Brenda Johnson; aunts, Caroletta Marshall, Vanessa Hagans, Tracy Hillard, Carolyn Bailey, Chasity West, Dale Shockley, Jana Mallory, and Violet Hopkins; uncles, Karmikus Smith, Termaine Belote, Keith West, Towan Mallory, Ernest Shockley, Billy Andrews, Nathaniel Handy and Gary Andrews; his faithful dog, Diesel; his friend of eight years, Amber Daisey; and a host of family and friends that loved him dearly.

# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS* We are so very sorry you have had to experience the loss of a child or children, and we are here for you. The Compassionate Friends is a national nonprofit, self-help support organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, siblings, and grandparents. There are no religious affiliations, membership dues, or fees. We meet together to learn to cope with the struggles of living life without our precious children. We, too, are on this journey of grief and extend our hearts and arms to you. Please feel free to join us on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Branford Lounge at Epworth Methodist Church on Holland Glade Road, Rehoboth, Delaware. For more information call Bill & Jill Hicks 610-368-0236 or e-mail us at: [lighthousectcf@gmail.com](mailto:lighthousectcf@gmail.com) or [JHicks510@verizon.net](mailto:JHicks510@verizon.net). We wish you peace, fond memories of happier times, and healing. Your Lighthouse Chapter of The Compassionate Friends

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**The Compassionate Friends** - June 07, 2019 at 08:31 PM

HF

“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief, by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible, you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God "will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces.\u201c

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**Hinton F.** - June 01, 2019 at 08:32 AM

MW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. We are near the time when God promise to change their mourning into exultation, and I will comfort them and make them rejoice away from their grief. Jeremiah 31:13-17. The Bible gives us true hope for the dead and consolation for the living. Ms Woodson

Ms Woodson - May 31, 2019 at 09:32 PM

LJ

“ I am so sad and brokenhearted that you had to leave us so soon. You were like a son to me and I will miss you coming by to visit. Please know how much you were loved. You're up there with your dad now. God bless you. God will look after Amber and Ella. It will be extra hard for awhile. They will get thru this. You are in our hearts forever. RIP Big guy

Linda Johnston - May 31, 2019 at 11:13 AM

ER

“ I love you bro fly high you didn't deserve to go so soon

Elijah Roney - May 31, 2019 at 10:54 AM

AR

“ I like to express my deepest sympathy for your loss. It was never God's intent that death should rule over mankind. - Romans 5:12; 1Corinthians 15:26, 55; God will do away with death. But for now God has provided hope-as stated at John 5:28, 29. During this most painful time please find comfort from God's word.

Artina - May 31, 2019 at 10:05 AM

JO

“ Dear Family, Grief can be so hard at times, but our cherished memories help to cope. Hold tight to those memories. Lean on each other for support. And may you find comfort in God's promise at ( Revelation 21:4 ).

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**JoyceA** - May 30, 2019 at 03:47 PM

MA

“ Please accept my condolences on the loss of your loved one. The Bible tells us that turning to God in prayer at times like this draws us close to him (James 4:8). God is aware of the pain you are feeling and will provide the comfort and support that you need to get through this difficult time (Psalms 46:1). May God's promise for the future (John 5:28, 29) give you a wonderful hope in seeing Jabriell once again.

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**Marlena** - May 29, 2019 at 08:48 PM

BP

“ I am truly sorry about your loss it's hard when we lose a loved one. However, I wanted to let you know that we can be comforted by a future hope. Soon there will be no more pain or sorrow. All the former things have passed away. (Rev 21:3,4)

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**BP** - May 29, 2019 at 01:52 PM