



Darren Lapread Bell

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Darren Lapread Bell was born to Wonza Bell and Walter Bell at Elmendorf Air Force Base Hospital in Anchorage, Alaska on May 2, 1977. He and his family lived in Alaska for several years before relocating to Virginia.

Growing up, Darren had a love for many different sports, football being the sport he was most passionate about. Darren's bright smile, that would light up a room and ability to keep people laughing, has left each person with many memories that will last a lifetime. He touched the lives of a lot of people with his genuine personality, whether he was making you smile or being the occasional "kill joy". Darren loved gogo music and was always the life of the parties.

Darren loved his two sons, Trevon Gaskins and Dashaun Bell, beyond belief. He worked hard to provide for his boys and maintain a loving home, setting the example of what a man should be. Darren is preceded in death by his late maternal grandfather, William Brown Sr., paternal grandparents Jeanette and Walter Bell Sr., an uncle Tony Bell and a cousin, Erica H. Smith. Darren is survived by: his mother Wonza Bell; father Walter Bell; maternal grandmother Constance Brown, siblings; Derrick Bell, Wonza Bell, and Brock Bell, Omari Ricks, Cori Langin, Kevin Norman, Shaneka Owens, and Jason Davis, Aunt Pamela Smith, uncles; William Brown Jr and Charles L. Brown, cousins; Jazzmine Dade and William D. Smith, his niece Octavia Bell, who Darren referred to as the "daughter he never had", and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Rhieannon Lincoln for her time and dedication to caring for Darren throughout his battle with cancer. The family would also like to thank everyone for the love and support during this time of grieving.

The family will receive guests on Friday, January 1, 2016 from 11 to 12 noon at First Mount Olive Baptist Church, Leesburg, VA. The funeral services will begin at 12 noon.

Interment will follow in African Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery, Lovettsville, VA.
GPS Coordinates: Latitude: 39.27597, Longitude: -77.63895



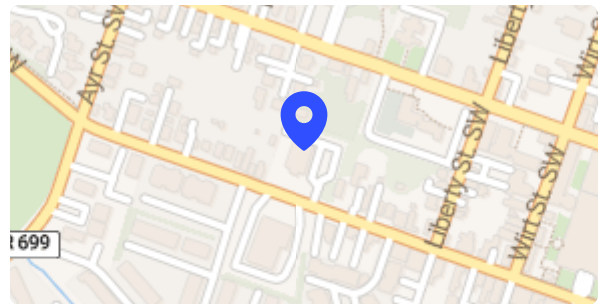
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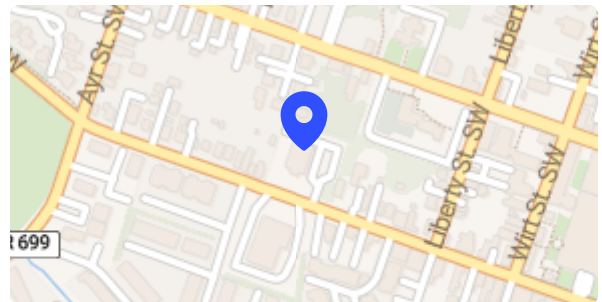
Visitation

- 📅 **Friday**, January 1, 2016
- 🕒 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
- 📍 **First Mt. Olive Baptist Church**
216 Loudoun ST, SW, Leesburg VA



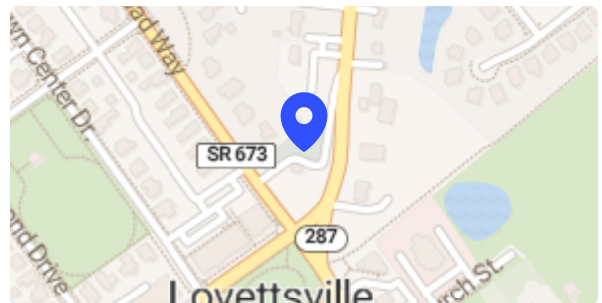
Service

- 📅 **Friday**, January 1, 2016
- 🕒 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET
- 📍 **First Mt. Olive Baptist Church**
216 Loudoun ST, SW, Leesburg VA



Cemetery Details

- 📍 **African Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery**
Lovettsville VA 20180





Tribute Wall

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Patricia Momah lit a candle in honor of Darren.

January 26 at 5:19 PM



Gwen Norris-Trent lit a candle in honor of Darren.

January 25 at 11:43 AM



Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared an album called **Memories Album.**

January 4 at 4:17 AM



Walter E Bell May 29 at 5:01 AM

life changed when my son went to be with JESUS his spirit lives on through those who love him as his father he will always be in my heart



Mary (Lucas) Dunn lit a candle in honor of Darren.

December 29 at 7:53 AM



Grace lit a candle in honor of Darren.

December 28 at 6:03 PM





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Karen Roberts-Gaither lit a candle in honor of Darren.



December 27 at 5:48 PM



Media

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Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared a video to the **Memories Album** album.

January 4 at 4:17 AM



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Darren's SlideShow



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Darren by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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