



Mr. Damarius A. McCray

February 4, 2004 - January 17, 2023

Damarius Amonte McCray was born February 4, 2004, to the blessing of mother, Cassandra White, and father, Eddie McCray, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Damarius accepted Christ at an early age and grew up attending New Paradise Baptist Church.

More recently, he was attending Abiding Faith Fellowship Church where he enjoyed service and learning more about the Bible with Bishop Anthony Oliphant.

Damarius attended Milwaukee Public Schools and earned his high school diploma from Nova High School on May 19, 2022.

Damarius' last job was at Sendik's Grocery Store, where he worked as a customer service associate. He dreamed of becoming an entrepreneur one day. Damarius enjoyed cutting grass and did not mind helping his neighbors with yard work. During his leisure time, he loved spending time with family and friends. Damarius was a very neat and clean person who loved his fashionable clothes. He could eat pizza every day and had a sweet tooth. Damarius loved to mentor his younger cousins, who looked up to him. He was also extremely close with his older cousins who mentored him in life, Zachary

Burris, Angelo White, and Antonio Scott. Damarius had a personality that would light up any room and put a smile on any face.

Damarius Amonte McCray departed this life on January 17, 2023. He was preceded in death by: grandparents, Joe McArthur White and Royce McCray; and cousins, Antwuan White and Dhurron Cooper.

He leaves to cherish his memory: beloved mother, Cassandra White; father, Eddie McCray; siblings, Lacandra McCay, Kyla McCray, Paigh McCray, Damian McCray, Alyssa McCray, Laila McCray, Devin McCray, and Caiden McCray; Godfather, Levelle Hall-EL; grandparents, Della White-Yarbrough (Johnny) and Mrs. Eddie Marie McCray; God-grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Hall; aunts, Marva McCray, Felishia White-Williams (Terrell), Jacqueline White, Angela White, Theresa White, Shuron White-Butler (Kenneth), and Shanique White; very close cousins, Dhontrell Cooper and Rashad Scott; very close friend, Anajah Visor; and a host of other family members and friends.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Zion Hill Baptist Church
1825 W. Hampton Ave.
Milwaukee, WI

Funeral Service

JAN 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MR

“*Damarius was my student when he was in 6th grade at Fifty-Third Street School. It was my first year teaching and he always showed me respect and compassion. When other students were goofing around, Damarius worked hard and encouraged his friends to stay on task. A memory about Damarius that is burned into my mind is a time when I had to leave school early because my cat was very ill. The next day he sought me out and asked me about my cat. When I told him I had to put the cat down, Damarius teared up and gave me his condolences. That was the kind of kid he was - deeply caring and empathetic. I have taught many students since then, but he holds a special place in my heart as he was one of my first students and had a kind nature that surpassed most. His family should be proud of the person he was and the legacy he leaves behind. My heart breaks for you all and I am holding you in my prayers as grieve this tremendous loss.*

Megan Knoll ("Ms. Rierdon") - January 26, 2023 at 02:56 PM

CW

Thank you for sharing your beautiful thoughts. I'm glad Damarius hold a special place in your heart. God Bless you ❤️

cassandra white - February 23, 2023 at 10:33 PM

RM

“*To the White and McCray Families:
May the Lord give you comfort and peace
During this time of sorrow.*



Rose McMillian - January 26, 2023 at 10:51 AM

CW

*Thanks for your prayers
God bless you!*

cassandra white - February 23, 2023 at 10:28 PM

MJ

“*Damarius was my neighbor, friend, and like one of the sweetest people I ever knew. His sister Paige and I always spent time together so I hung out with him too. He mowed our lawn in the summer and while he was doing so we would just talk, we eventually gave each other nicknames My and Mari. When I saw the news reporter at their house and found out why they were there my heart sunk. He had a sweetest dimpled smile, a kind heart, and the list goes on. I'm so sorry to the McCray's just know Mh mom and I are always right next door* ❤️

Mya Johnson - January 24, 2023 at 08:04 PM

CW

Hi Mya thanks for your condolences sweetie

cassandra white - February 23, 2023 at 10:24 PM

CD

“*Chris, Lindsey, Ethan and Arden Doman purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Damarius A. McCray.*



Chris, Lindsey, Ethan and Arden Doman - January 24, 2023 at 09:27 AM

AF

“ Andy and Linda Beckham and Family purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Mr. Damarius A. McCray.



Andy and Linda Beckham and Family - January 21, 2023 at 05:07 PM

LB

“ Damarius came to my house and we had a conversation a couple of months ago. I could not remember his name and I asked him his name again. He said Damarius - I told him I was not good with names and that I'll just call him Dee. He laughed and said Ms Linda you are funny. Later that evening his Mom told me that's what they called him - I was tickled. Dee was my neighbor. He always, always spoke to me with such a bubbly, friendly demeanor. Such a respectful young man and my prayers are continually for the family. Mom and sisters, know that Andy and I are here for you. Love and prayers - Andy and Linda Beckham

Linda A Beckham - January 21, 2023 at 04:47 PM

CW

Hi Linda I appreciate you and Andy for everything especially looking out for me and the kids. It's a blessing to have kind neighbors like you two. You watched him grow up from a lil boy to an adult time has pass by so fast. Continue to keep his positive energy in your heart. May the Lord God bless you and your family! ❤️

cassandra white - February 24, 2023 at 12:41 AM

SH

“ From shorty and family sorry to here that cuz
will pray for u and the rest of the family hate
his life was taken to soon love u ❤️



Shorty - January 20, 2023 at 12:15 AM

UB

To the entire family
Words cannot express what I know you must be feeling right now.
Allow me to render to you words of comfort. I know you ask why him
and why so soon. To answer that question God is the giver and taker of
life. My mother (Rip) always said to me " we know how we came into
the world but we don't know how we will leave it" and she is right. We
all have a begin date and an end date. So I encourage everyone to be
diligent about finding out what your purpose is why did God put you
here find your purpose and fulfill your purpose and then your work is
done. We are all here for a reason and a season. The most important
thing I like to leave with you is be grateful for the time that you had with
him and just know that he's in a better place because as all eyes can
see that are in the land of the living this world is getting wicker and
wicker evil is before our eyes every day the Lord said this Satan is the
prince of this era. He roams around like a roaring lying seeking whom
he may devour. When you go about your daily routine pray for yourself
and your children for God's protection over them that he will protect
their going in and their going out my prayers are with you.

Uchenna B - January 27, 2023 at 08:22 AM

CW

God Bless

cassandra white - February 24, 2023 at 12:21 AM

TA

damurcus was the best person u could think of he was a nice person
he made every one smile

Tamiyah - April 19, 2023 at 02:48 PM