



Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony

January 25, 1965 - April 21, 2011

Terrance Conrad Anthony was born January 25, 1965, to Cecil Lorraine Anthony and Lee Hazzle, in Kalamazoo, Michigan. In the early months of Terrance's life, Lorraine married George Sims, who raised Terrance as his own. Terrance attended Kalamazoo Public Schools and graduated from Kalamazoo Central High School. He later served in the United States Coast Guard. Terry had a great love and appreciation for music. He played the bass guitar, and enjoyed writing songs and creating rap rhymes. Terrance was devoted to his family, his friends, and his food. He enjoyed his mother's homestyle cooking, the laughter of nieces and nephews who knew him as "Uncle T," and the companionship of lifelong friends. He had a special love for his sister Tameka, affectionately called "Bay." Terry suddenly departed this earthly life and entered into eternal rest on April 21, 2011 at Bronson Hospital. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother Lorraine Sims; father Lee (Shirley) Hazzle; a very special father, George Sims; daughters Tyesha and Shekira; one grandson, Erion; three sisters: Tameka (Won), Carla (William), and Carmen (Benjamin); three brothers: Dominic, Kevin, and Dion. He leaves his special aunts: Clytee, of Kalamazoo; Claudette and Rubener of Gary, Indiana; uncles: Albert and Glenn of Kalamazoo, and Ronald and Tommie of Gary, Indiana. Others include cousins Tyrone, Marvita ("Fee"), and Nicki of Kalamazoo, Amy and Robert of Gary, and Dionne of Texas. His best friend, Vincent Tubbs, preceded him in death in 2009. He leaves special friends James (Tonya) Collins, Nicolas (Pam) Carter, Ruben, Anthony, Calvin,

Leonard, Charlie, Evelyn, Alicia, Sandy, and a host of other friends and loved ones.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Ever-Rest Cemetery

3941 S. Westnedge Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 10. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home, Inc.
521 Douglas Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI 49007
(269) 342-1000
info@harperfuneral.com
<https://www.harperfuneral.com>

Visitation

MAY 11. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fresh Fire A.M.E. Church
2508 Gull Road
Kalamazoo, MI

Service

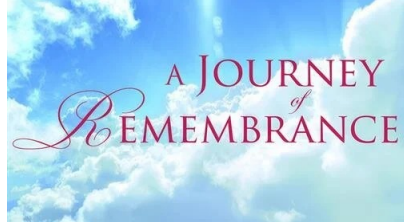
MAY 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Harper Funeral Home - April 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



Ty•E•Sha
Tanisha

“ As of today, my dad has been deceased 1 year 3 months and 1 day. I think about him each and every day. Still to this day I pick up the phone to call him only to be hit the realization that he's gone. My memories of my dad will never die. Although he couldn't provide for me financially, he was ALWAYS so very supportive of me and my decisions. We would talk on the phone every single day and after every conversation no matter if we'd just spoken two minutes ago, he'd say I love you Fats. Take care. He was my everything. Still is. . . I'm thankful for having such a wonderful father No one will ever compare to him. I miss you dad, bestfriend...
Continue to Rest Peacefully.
P.S. I know you're in heaven. I'm glad I got to witness you confess your sins and ask for forgiveness in your own little way. Ily man. Save a place in heaven until we meet again.

Ty•E•Sha Tanisha - July 22, 2012 at 09:51 AM

JG

“ My memory would have to be the times when I was down Terry would say "will you snap out of it" He also would say you need an intervention. Lol I was glad to have my friend back in my life for a short time. Kalamazoo will never be the same for me. R.I.P my friend T-Dogg. Julie and kids

Julie Gunn - May 27, 2011 at 04:39 PM

TH

“ Todd Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Todd Hunter - May 15, 2011 at 06:05 PM



“ Blessings goes out to the family in your time of lost. RIP Terrance, gone but never forgotten. May God comfort each and everyone of you.



Avanette Morris - May 12, 2011 at 02:48 AM



“ Patterson Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Patterson Family - May 11, 2011 at 11:41 AM



“ Denise & Sean lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Denise & Sean - May 10, 2011 at 03:29 PM



“ Kimberly James lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Kimberly James - May 10, 2011 at 02:18 PM

HT

“ Thanks Terry for the laughter, and the senior citizen Lo-Lo.



Hazel Tellis - May 10, 2011 at 01:08 PM

NY

“ There's So Many I Don't know where to Start

Nyesha - May 10, 2011 at 12:37 PM

NY

“ Nyesha lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Nyesha - May 10, 2011 at 12:33 PM

NY

I still can't Believe your Gone...It's been 3 long weeks and Now the time is here....I'm still Lost for Words when the Kids Ask About you I love Uncle T ...Gone But Never forgotten you will always be in my Heart

Nyesha - May 10, 2011 at 12:36 PM

KJ

“ I will miss my friend. Terry has been a friend to me and my family for years. We all sat around and laughed at some of our memories of Terry and his sense of humor and witty remarks. He never missed my birthday, Mother's Day, Christmas, Thanksgiving or any other holiday without calling to wish me well. I could talk to him about ANYTHING! He will never be forgotten and there will be a missing spot in our lives. I am so appreciative that God did allow us to have known and spent time with a wonderfully unique person!
Miss you T

Kimberly James - May 10, 2011 at 12:19 PM

MJ

“ Ms. Debbi Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Ms. Debbi Jones - May 10, 2011 at 11:40 AM

HT

“ Hazel Tellis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Terrance Conrad Anthony



Hazel Tellis - May 09, 2011 at 10:17 PM

AA

“ ALICIA ACREE lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Terrance Conrad Anthony



ALICIA ACREE - May 09, 2011 at 09:52 PM

ZG

“ I remember calling Lorraine and Terry would answer the phone in
his proper voice.and would say No she isn't, is there a
message. that what I'm going to miss about T dogg..... REST IN
PEACE !!!!!!!!!!!

Zelma GunnWhite - May 09, 2011 at 05:10 PM

TP

“ I’ve known Terry for 29 years. We had a friendship that was unpretentious based on sincerity and mutual respect for each other. I always told Terry that he was one of the smartest folks I ever met. We spent so many hours talking about everything from A- Z, Life to Death. We had so many good conversations in my kitchen while I cooked. Terry truly appreciated a good meal. He could make you feel like the best cook in the world when he ate your food and provided generous approvals.

Terry was also a wonderful storyteller. I can still hear his powerful and commanding voice, it will always remind me of a minister bringing a sermon. He was always sure to add just the right combination of animation, comedy, and detail to each story. I looked forward to Terry’s house calls in which he was sure to update Pete and I on the latest gossip. He would always laugh when I called him the Rona Barrett of Kalamazoo. In my minds eye I will also see Terry with that signature walk, one arm at his side, slight lean to the side and in full stride, bouncing to the beat of his own tune, focusing on his destination.

In my last conversation with Terry he told me that he could not become a new person but he could work on being a better person. I know that he sincerely loved his family and friends. His gang of male friends from his school days were more like brothers to him. He was so proud of his daughter and adored his grand son. He considered his nephews his sons and only wanted the best for them.

I remember a few years ago after losing a dear mutual friend, I told Terry that I could not take losing another friend and that I don’t know what I would do if anything ever happened to him.

I have decided that I will be grateful for the time that we had together and cherish Terry’s memory. I now understand the lyrics sung by Donnie Hathaway “I love you in a place where there’s no space or time I love you for my life You’re a friend of mine”.

Our love for Terry cannot be defined by the confines of earth and

the limitations of our physical presence.

Rest in peace my dear friend. Tonya and James

Tonya S. Pierson - May 09, 2011 at 12:21 PM