



## Mr. Courion Exavier Brown

July 16, 1998 - December 25, 2020

Mr. Courion Exavier Brown, 22, of Peoria, Illinois transitioned from this life to his heavenly home at 7:19 pm on Friday, December 25, 2020 at OSF St. Francis Medical Center.

Courion was born July 16, 1998 in Peoria, IL to Christopher Brown and Cortina Wooley. Courion graduated from Robert A. Jamieson School where he was the assistant coach of the Eagles basketball team. Courion loved listening to music, playing video games and collecting year books. He enjoyed being around his family and other people.

Courion leaves to cherish his most precious memories his parents, Cortina Wooley and Christopher (Latanya) Brown and, three brothers, Christopher Brown, Jr., Eric (Fiance' Arianna) Perry and Kentais Morris; three sisters Christian Brown, Catherine Brown all of Peoria, IL and Brooklynn Brown of Springfield, IL; his grandparents, Vancie Wooley and Claude (Tamara) Brown both of Peoria, IL and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his grandparents, Marlee Wooley, Jr. and Betty Brown.

A private funeral service will be held at 11 am on Saturday, January 9, 2021 at Sovereign Grace M.B. Church with a visitation beginning at 10 am. Pastor Alvin Riley, Sr., will bring words of comfort. Courion will be laid to rest at Historic Springdale Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [SimonsMortuary.com](http://SimonsMortuary.com).

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, social distancing and attendance limits will be observed. In accordance with the Illinois Department of Public Health, Funerals are limited to no more than 25% or less people at the church.

To be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services. Funerals are limited to no more than 25% of the decedent's immediate family members.

\*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance:

wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

\*It is our responsibility as a Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible. The sanctuary can socially distance and seat no more than 25% or less people. All others will be able to flow through prior to beginning of the service.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

# Cemetery Details

## Historic Springdale Cemetery

3014 N. Prospect Road  
Peoria, IL 61603

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sovereign Grace M.B. Church  
1505 W. Martin Street  
Peoria, IL 61605

## Funeral Service

JAN 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

Sovereign Grace M.B. Church  
1505 W. Martin Street  
Peoria, IL 61605

# Tribute Wall



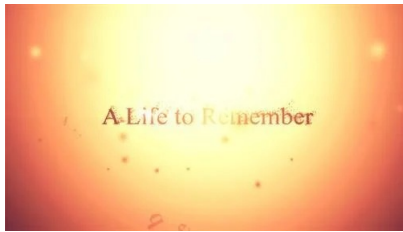
“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Courion Exavier Brown*



Simons Mortuary - January 12, 2021 at 11:59 AM



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Simons Mortuary - January 07, 2021 at 05:36 PM

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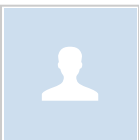
*TINA,,,,LOVE YOU💕\*HOW WONDERFUL ARE the MEMORIES of this PRECIOUS SOUL.... MAY THE PEACE OF GOD COMFORT YOU DOING THIS TIME OF SORROW....I MAY NOT BE PRESENT, BECAUSE OF THE PANDEMIC, BUT MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALWAYS,,,🙏❤️ COURION RIP🕊️ Terri*

Terri Boyd - January 09, 2021 at 02:14 AM



“ *Mr. Courion Exavier Brown*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Courion Exavier Brown*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Burial at Springdale Cemetery*



Simons Mortuary - January 12, 2021 at 11:59 AM

HS

“ I am deeply sorry for the loss that Courion’s family is suffering. I loved having the privilege of being Courion’s music therapist at Robert Jamieson School. He was delightful, and joyfully participated during our class therapy sessions. He was one of three students that accompanied me to Bradley University when I was asked to give a presentation on music therapy to the music department faculty and students. Courion was proud to be there on the stage to show off his ability to participate in and follow directions for the music activities that we were demonstrating. After Courion passed away, I found out something special from one of my sons, who had been one of Courion’s nurses in the ICU. He said that when he told Courion that he was Miss Heidi’s son, Courion immediately started singing. Courion and his beaming smile will be greatly missed!

Heidi Stocksiek - January 11, 2021 at 09:33 PM

SD

“ Tina, I’m am so sorry for the loss of Courion. For the time that I had the pleasure of knowing him, he was always respectful and always a loving person. I will remember him for his beautiful bright smile. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Love y’all.



Sonya Dye - January 08, 2021 at 08:15 PM



“ 28 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Simons Mortuary - January 07, 2021 at 05:38 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mr. Courion Exavier Brown.*



January 06, 2021 at 04:11 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Courion Exavier Brown.*



January 06, 2021 at 03:24 PM

JE

“ *Jennifer sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courion Exavier Brown*



**Jennifer** - January 03, 2021 at 05:00 PM

CA

“ *Caylon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courion Exavier Brown*



**Caylon** - January 01, 2021 at 03:42 PM

CD

“ *Courion was former student and such a joy to work with. Always a smile on his face which was contagious. May he rest in peace. Prayers and peace to Cortina and all.*  
*Ms. Connie, OT*

**Connie Davis** - January 01, 2021 at 09:56 AM