



## Mr. Nikko Ray Smith

August 31, 1989 - July 14, 2015

Mr. Nikko Ray Smith, 25, of Peoria, IL passed away at 11:47 PM on Tuesday, July 14, 2015.

Nikko was born on August 31, 1989 to parents Jesse & Kathleen (Henley) Smith. He was a 2007 graduate of Peoria Central High School. Nikko formerly worked at PNP Press Corp as a Printing Press Operator. He enjoyed basketball, spending time with family and making them laugh.

Nikko was well loved and leaves to cherish his most precious memory his parents, Jesse & Kathleen Smith of Peoria; children, Nevaeh Rae Smith, Elijah Ingram and his unborn son with girlfriend, Denisha Ingram; his siblings, Deante Smith, Jeff Burnside, Lekia Harris, Josephine, Maxine, Jessica, Keonna, Teonna, Melissa and Celeste Smith all of Peoria; maternal and paternal grandparents, Diane Singleton of Peoria, Bennie (Paulette) Rasberry of Fullerton, CA and Josephine (Aldolphus) West of Peoria; great grandmother, Annie Moss; special friends, LaDarius Eggleston, Robby Nelson, Chris Sanders and his East Bluff Family. He is preceded in death by his great grandmother, Kathleen Henley, grandfather, James Pearson; aunt, Tamera Singleton and uncles, Marvin and Frankie White.

A funeral service will be held at 11 AM on Friday, July 24, 2015 at Bradley Epworth Church, 1316 W. Columbia Terrace, Peoria, IL 61606 with a visitation one hour prior beginning at 10 AM. Rev. Steve Humes, III, Pastor of Living Word Worship Center, will officiate. Nikko will be buried at Swan Lake Memory Gardens.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Swan Lake Memory Gardens

4601 W War Memorial Dr.  
Peoria, IL 61615

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bradley Epworth Church  
1316 W. Columbia Terrace  
Peoria, IL 61614

## Funeral Service

JUL 24. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Bradley Epworth Church  
1316 W. Columbia Terrace  
Peoria, IL 61614

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*



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**Simons Mortuary** - July 23, 2015 at 02:50 PM



“ *Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*

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January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*

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January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *I miss you baby brother not a day goes by where I don't think of you*

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**Deante** - June 14, 2017 at 05:31 AM

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“ No matter what happened and how much time goes by this man will always be by my side I was looking for a reason why you was takin away from your kids but then I remember you say you was happy you had babies by my because you knew no matter they would okay 🥺!!! I'm trying my hardest to raise them but know that your presence is truly missed!!! I love you and will never forget you it's so much I have to say and tell you!!!

Denisha Ingram - May 15, 2017 at 02:08 PM

MR

“ DIFFERENT FATHERS DIFFERENT MOTHERS SAME STRUGGLE WE LIVING THATS MY BROTHER RIP NIKKO BABY GONE 2 SOON

MRZ ROBINSON - November 10, 2015 at 02:48 PM

MR

“ RIP NIKKO MAN BRO NOT A DAY GOES BY THAT I DONT THINK OF U I MISS U SOO MUCH SO USE TO SEEING YOU AT MY HOUSE EVERYDAY ASKING ME TO COOK U N YOUR CUZN SUM TO EAT I CRY EVERYDAY ABOUT YOUR LOST ITS BEEN FOR LONG MONTHS SINCE YOU BEEN GONE IN THE PAIN STILL REMAIN THE SAME I LOVE U FLYYYY HIGH

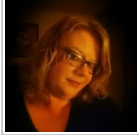
MRZ ROBINSON - November 10, 2015 at 02:43 PM

JC

“ Jan Craps lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith



Jan Craps - July 24, 2015 at 11:30 AM



“ *RIP Nikko...gone but never forgotten...*



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**Jeanette Watts** - July 23, 2015 at 12:19 PM



“ *Words can't even express how much I miss you! RIP Nikko, nothing will ever be the same. I feel so blessed to have known you and be part of your life. Gone but never forgotten.... Until we me again.*



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**Loved One** - July 23, 2015 at 12:10 PM



“ *Even tho my life wasn't perfect and neither was I. U always told me that u was proud of me. I miss u..*

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**Twofoe Barbie** - July 23, 2015 at 07:52 AM



“ *Emel Buckner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*



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**Emel Buckner** - July 22, 2015 at 08:07 PM

DH

“ To Jesse & Kathleen, so sorry for the lost of your son. Please know i am praying for both of you and the rest of your family.Keep your memories close as this will certainly help you all through this.

DIANE HERRON - July 22, 2015 at 04:44 PM

AH

“ Condolences to the family and friends of Nikko



A Homie - July 22, 2015 at 08:15 AM

LY

“ I love you brother from another mother may you R.i.h.....I miss sooo much already 🥺

lynn - July 22, 2015 at 07:28 AM



“ Prayers and thoughts with u n ur family n da guys



Lameeka Morris - July 22, 2015 at 12:33 AM



“ I miss you Cuz rip

Marteil Been Oeb Robinson - July 21, 2015 at 11:52 PM



“ *May your rest in peace Lil Hommie* 🙏🙏🙏



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**Keke LaShundra** - July 21, 2015 at 06:50 PM



“ *Love you baby boy. Rest peacefully knowing that I got Nevaeh and Nikko Jr always and forever! Will definitely miss your laugh and smile. All the jokes.*

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**Taneika harris** - July 21, 2015 at 04:28 PM



“ *Syn Rawls lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*



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**Syn Rawls** - July 21, 2015 at 01:14 PM

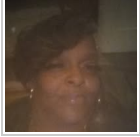


“ *Carmen Young lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith*



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**carmen young** - July 21, 2015 at 06:58 AM



“ want to say nikko will always be with us all in our hearts never forgotten love you to the moon and back and to cat and jessie just have faith jesus will make a way

Sheila Burnside - July 21, 2015 at 03:44 AM



“ Sheila Burnside lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith



Sheila Burnside - July 21, 2015 at 03:38 AM



“ May he rest in peace.



Anonymous - July 19, 2015 at 01:05 PM



“ Alicia lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nikko Ray Smith



Alicia - July 17, 2015 at 04:49 PM

AL

*Gone but never forgotten, a little too soon but your in a better place tell Miss Cat I said Hi, LOVE u all til we're together again 💕👼 your now add to my Angel list watching over us...*

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**Alicia** - July 17, 2015 at 04:54 PM