



Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson

March 16, 1961 - May 11, 2020

Mr. Tonaio Renea Johnson, 59, of Peoria, IL passed away Monday, May 11, 2020 at his home.

Tonaio, affectionally known as Tony, was born in Peoria, IL on March 16, 1961 to Willie Dee, Sr., and Joan (Parker) Johnson. Tony was a 1979 graduate of Manual High School where he was a member of the track team, the African American Club and a favorite participant in the schools' many fashions shows. He married Rose Carter and they have shared more than 35 years of love and affection.

Tony was a laborer at IVEX Specialty Paper for over 25 years. He later worked at Behr Iron and Metal Recycling Company and was an auto detailer in his spare time. His long-time vision was to open his own auto detail shop and soul food restaurant. Tony was an all-around handy man, Master BBQ Griller and an avid Chicago Bears fan. He was a big-time family man who loved his wife, mother, children, grandchildren, siblings, nieces and nephews. Tony was a mentor to his children's friends and other youngsters in the neighborhood. He was a member of Peoria Friendship Baptist Church. Tony leaves to cherish his most precious memories his wife, Rose Johnson of Peoria IL; step father, William Jones of Peoria, IL; one son, Tonaio "TR" (Latrice) Johnson, II of Peoria, IL; four daughters, LaQuayla Johnson of Lithonia, GA, Allanna (Craig Flowers) Johnson of Chicago, IL; LaKeisha Johnson of Peoria, IL and Andrea Johnson of Mesa, AZ; four brothers, John (Ruby) Parker of Atlanta, GA, Marion "Pee Wee" (Diane) Parker, Kenneth

Parker and Sean Jones all of Peoria, IL; two sisters, Renetta Watts and Shielondria (Shane) Parker both of Peoria, IL; 20 grandchildren; one great-grandchild and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Floyd Parker, Willie Johnson, Jr., and Ricky Johnson and one grandchild, Ariyanna Miller.

A private funeral service will be held at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, May 20, 2020 at Simons Mortuary with a visitation one-hour prior beginning at 11 am. Rev. Eddie Jackson will bring words of comfort. The service will be streamed live on Simons Mortuary Facebook page.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at SimonsMortuary.com

Facebook Livestream page

<https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150/>

Previous Events

Private Funeral Service

MAY 20. 12:00 PM (CT)

Facebook Live Stream on Simons Mortuary Facebook Page
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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Simons Mortuary - May 26, 2020 at 12:58 PM



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Simons Mortuary - May 20, 2020 at 10:05 AM



“ *Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM

RH

“ goodbye gpa im sorry for everything luv u



rhaniya - February 27, 2021 at 09:10 AM



“ 4 files added to the album Funeral Program

Mr. Toniao "Tony" Renea Johnson
 Born: 1948 - 2020
 Funeral Service

CONFESS BEARS

Simons Mortuary - May 26, 2020 at 01:05 PM

BH

“ Worked with Tony At Behr. Enjoyed our time together. Good worker and friend. He will be missed by those of us who knew him here.

Billie Hughes - May 20, 2020 at 07:08 PM

JM

“ Janice Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Toniao "Tony" R. Johnson



Janice Marshall - May 19, 2020 at 10:24 PM

AI

“ *Rest on bro*



Annette Irby - May 19, 2020 at 07:36 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson.*



May 18, 2020 at 11:06 PM

DJ

“ *From Donna M. Jefferson: I would like to send my condolences to the Johnson family. Allanna, his daughter has allowed me to be an educator for her children and I am sadden that such as time as this has come. She has expressed to me how much her Dad meant to her and the love she has for her "hero". I am praying for the entire family and for safe travel and comfort in Jesus name!!! God has him safe in his arms!!!*

Donna M Jefferson - May 17, 2020 at 11:29 AM

MP

“ *Mancy Pittman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Mancy Pittman - May 17, 2020 at 04:44 AM



“ *Sending condolences to the family on your loss. May his memories sustain you during this difficult time.*



Evelyn Tate-Clayton - May 15, 2020 at 09:32 PM

DO

“ *Rose and family , I will always remember his excitement about his ribs at the barbecue. He was friendly and welcomed us during the visit to Peoria. My prayers are with you and the family at this time.*

Doreen - May 15, 2020 at 08:17 PM

EB

“ *Christopher and I will never forget our trip to Peoria in 2018 meeting you all. We laughed, cried and argued. Love you cousin Rose*

Essie Burton - May 15, 2020 at 07:30 PM

J.

“ *J.johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



J.johnson - May 15, 2020 at 02:18 PM

PC

“ To the family of Tonaio R. Johnson:

The pastor and members of the Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ would like to extend to you and your entire family our deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. Even though our hearts are saddened, we pray that the Lord will comfort you and bless you with endearing memories that you will always treasure. He is with you even in this time of sorrow too deep for words.

God be with you,

*Pastor Henry L. Bolden II
Lady Marcia J. Bolden
and the PCJC Church Family*

Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ - May 15, 2020 at 01:43 AM

JE

“ *I want to extend my condolences to the family...I met Toni when he came to California to see family. I enjoyed the time he spent with Andri, Sandra and the family. God's blessing and love to everyone out there rest in peace Toni*



Jenean - May 14, 2020 at 09:17 PM

JB

“ *Joanie Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Joanie Brown - May 14, 2020 at 03:21 AM

BB

“ To the family of Tonaio Johnson, We: Bishop Leroy Smith Jr. and members of THE CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD of Peoria extends our gracious condolences. Our prayers are with you in your time of bereavement. May you find strength comfort and peace as you think of all the memories. For we know one day we all must take that step. If we believe in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, we shall see them again. May God bless and keep you and may He wipe away all your tears. For God knows, understands and He cares

Barbara Bryant - May 13, 2020 at 07:57 PM

JB

“ Jeremy And Dorothea Burse sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Jeremy and Dorothea Burse - May 13, 2020 at 12:12 PM

TR

“ Sorry for your loss

Tricka Richmond - May 13, 2020 at 11:24 AM

JS

“ Jerri Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Jerri Smith - May 13, 2020 at 10:21 AM

JS

“ *Jerri Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Jerri Smith - May 13, 2020 at 10:20 AM

JS

“ *Jerri Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Jerri Smith - May 13, 2020 at 10:19 AM

JC

“ *Jessie Copeland lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson*



Jessie Copeland - May 13, 2020 at 09:21 AM

DP

“ *I miss u so much why why whyy.*

Dooney parker - May 13, 2020 at 07:40 AM

LR

“ My most memory about tony he luv to talk and tell joke tony and my ex husband ted was twopeas in a pot when you seen tony you seen Ted laughing and they luv to dance Rih you will truly be miss Rosie if you need me call me 651 274 8940 praying for you and and your family luv you

linda randle - May 13, 2020 at 07:02 AM

TM

“ Kesha iam sorry that u lost someone that meant the world to u and ur family il keep yall in my prayers its very sad and ricky johnson family



Tabatha milburn - May 13, 2020 at 03:32 AM

TM

“ I'm very sorry to hear this it seems like yesterday when i seen tony for the family iam very sorry il keep yall in my prayer



Tabatha milburn - May 13, 2020 at 03:19 AM

AJ

“ Andre Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Andre Johnson - May 12, 2020 at 11:16 PM

SR

“ Shirley Robertson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Shirley Robertson - May 12, 2020 at 10:03 PM

WB

“ Manual RAM for ever

William Bradley - May 12, 2020 at 09:57 PM

ZB

“ Zerlyna Burse-Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Zerlyna Burse-Taylor - May 12, 2020 at 08:43 PM

AL

“ Annette Lucy sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Annette Lucy - May 12, 2020 at 08:33 PM

AJ

“ This is my brother Tony r Johnson he was special in a lot of ways he loved family and he loved kids he will argue with you because he loves you and you can't stop his will when he wants you to do what is right he was thick headed and stubborn but he loves hard and those that truly knows him love him for the person that he is and now he is with momma Joan ,Barbara,dad willie dee brothers Kenny willie dee jr. And Ricky starting joking around and telling his version of life as he knows it man I love my big brother Tony I am so broken up but love you tony

Andre Johnson - May 12, 2020 at 08:19 PM



May God give you peace and comfort as you and your loved ones deal with the loss of your brother ... He was truly something else a jokester frfr 😊 sending my deepest condolences and sympathy to you and your loved ones ! Are prayers are truly with your immediate family !!! Amen

Roslyn Bond - May 13, 2020 at 03:55 PM

CF

“ Curtis Shumate N Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tonaio "Tony" R. Johnson



Curtis shumate n family - May 12, 2020 at 08:17 PM

AJ

“ Ton



Andre Johnson - May 12, 2020 at 08:06 PM



“ I was sadden in my heart this morning when I heard of Tonaio's passing. I remember him joking around in the hallways as we passed classes at Manual High School. Then later finding out that our kids had become friends and having sleepovers. The memories can go on. I pray for the family for peace and comfort. R.I.P. TONY

Satina Robinson-Rebollar - May 12, 2020 at 05:40 PM

R)

Noooo not Tony !

Roslyn Bond(Moore) - May 12, 2020 at 10:43 PM

VI

RIP Tony

vickyGagliardi - May 13, 2020 at 01:29 AM

MC

SORRY TO HERE OF TONY PASSING I REMEMBER WHEN WE ALL USE TO SKATE TOGETHER ..GOD HAS SMILED DOWN ON YOU HE HAS SET U FREE...REST IN PARADISE TONY

Maxine Clash - May 13, 2020 at 12:40 PM

MD

Condolences goes out to the Johnson family you all have our prayers and love.

Mary Davis - May 13, 2020 at 01:49 PM