



## Mr. Tyrone Lamarr Griffen

May 29, 1991 - March 18, 2025

Mr. Tyrone Lamarr Griffen, 33, of Peoria, IL, passed away at 10:17 pm on Tuesday, March 18, 2025 at OSF St. Francis Medical Center surrounded by his family.

Tyrone was born on May 29, 1991, in Chicago, IL to biological parents, Cordie Dukes and Delaware Dawkins and raised by his adoptive mother, Diane (Faulkner) Griffin.

Tyrone last worked at Culvers Restaurant. He had a beautiful spirited personality. He loved to dance and entertain people. He never met a stranger. Tyrone loved his R&B music. He also enjoyed cooking for his friends and family.

Tyrone leaves to cherish his most precious memory, his adoptive mother, Diane Griffin of Peoria, IL; six brothers, Delvin (Niecy) Owens, Charles (Tiffany) Owens, Christopher Owens, Anthony Griffin and Christopher Grant all of Peoria, IL and Erick Dukes of Bloomington, IL; three sisters, Charita (Issac) Clark of Las Vegas, NV, Michelle Jefferson and Pamela Jefferson both of Memphis, TN; his niece that was raised as a sister with him, London Rutledge; and a host of other nieces, nephews, family and friends who loved him. He is preceded in death by his biological parents and a step-sister, Conswaylen Schrader.

No services will be rendered.

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

# Tribute Wall

KW

“ *Yours is a soul far too beautiful and bright to ever fade!! We love you!! ~Kristen and Ava*



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**Kristen Whittles** - April 03, 2025 at 07:38 PM

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“ *Audrey Samuels lit a candle in memory of Tyrone Griffen*



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**Audrey Samuels** - April 01, 2025 at 09:58 AM

RB

“ *President Diane Griffin, and family may the Comfort of the Lord surround you as you go through this difficult period. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord amen.*

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**Ruth Bush** - March 31, 2025 at 07:18 PM

RB

“ *Ruth Bush lit a candle in memory of Tyrone Griffen*



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**Ruth Bush** - March 31, 2025 at 07:14 PM

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“ Tyrone will be missed by many. He was loved more than he could imagine. Tyrone loved to dance. The dance floor in Heaven is all yours! Dance on my sweet friend. I'll miss you forever. ❤️



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**Audrey Samuels** - March 31, 2025 at 03:24 PM