



Joshua Makih Smith-Rice

May 10, 2024 - June 23, 2024

Infant Joshua Makih Smith-Rice, 1 month, of Chattanooga, passed away Sunday, June 23, 2024, at his residence. He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Terry Courtney; and great-grandfather, Carl Edwards. Survivors include his father, Johnathan Courtney; mother, Ly'Dashia Smith; grandparents, Aricia Edwards, Linda Edwards, and Marcus (Stanesia) Rice; brothers, Elijah Smith and Emanuel Smith; sisters, Ry'Leigh Smith and Ja'Liyah Smith, all of Chattanooga; uncles, Jovontae Courtney, Marvin (Yetonia) Edwards, and Carlos (Arnesia) Edwards; aunts, Endiya (Imeobong) Isang of Milwaukee, WI, Kerika Rice, Makeishia Langston, both of Chattanooga, and Alicia (Tyrus) Martin of Louisville, KY; a host of cousins; other relatives and friends. Joshua will lie-in-state on Monday, July 1, 2024, from 12:30-5:00 p.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Tuesday, July 2, 2024, at 12 noon in the chapel with Minister Yulvoncia O'Bryant as the Eulogist. Burial in Lakewood Memory Gardens, East.

Cemetery Details

Lakewood Memory Gardens East

4621 Shallowford Road
Chattanooga, TN 37411

Previous Events

Lie-In-State

JUL 1. 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc
3417 Wilcox Boulevard
Chattanooga, TN 37411

Service

JUL 2. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BF

“ *Berlinda Freeman lit a candle in memory of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice*



berlinda freeman - July 01, 2024 at 05:40 PM

LR

“ *Laura Ricks lit a candle in memory of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice*



Laura Ricks - July 01, 2024 at 02:30 PM

AF

“ *Annette Felker lit a candle in memory of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice*



Annette Felker - July 01, 2024 at 02:28 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice.*



July 01, 2024 at 01:53 PM

FT

“ *From your Food and Nutrition Team purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice.*



From your Food and Nutrition Team - July 01, 2024 at 08:28 AM

DR

“ *Sending Our Condolences To The Family...
Praying for strength....
Love: Sis.Doris, Mother Readus, & Sis Thelma*



Doris Readus - June 29, 2024 at 02:30 PM

SK

“ *Sophie King lit a candle in memory of Joshua Makih Smith-Rice*



Sophie king - June 28, 2024 at 01:28 PM

SK

My deepest condolences to the family.

Sophie king - June 28, 2024 at 01:28 PM