

## *Acknowledgement*

The family of Ms. Kourtnee Michelle Ivery acknowledges the many ways by which you have shown your Love, Care and Concern. In the midst of our sorrow, we humbly acknowledge your acts of Love and the many special ways you have chosen to share them with our family. Your acts of kindness will always be remembered and appreciated.

Our sincere prayer is that you cherish her memory and know that the comfort you have given our Family will always reflect Kourtnee's loving character.

May God continue to Bless each of you in a mighty way

In Jesus Name

*Pallbearers*

SHELDON L. IVERY, SR. ~ SHELDON L. IVERY, JR.~

REGINALD IVERY~STEFON PECK~

ANTOINE FRENCH ~

~ ANTHONY FRENCH III ~ JALEN RAMSAW~TYREICK JONES~

PIERRE TABOR~DANTE LEWIS

**Sunset and evening Star and one clear call for me,  
May there be no sadness of farewell after I'm put out to sea,**

These are words from Tennyson's Crossing the Bar,  
But they sound like words That Kourt would say.

She would not want us to be sad.

She would want us to remember the special things,  
Special things that she said, Special things that she did,  
Special way she acted, And That very Special Laugh,  
Now, for each of us there are things that our Kourt did  
that will always be remembered by each one us.

Now we won't have a day named after her,

And there won't be a statue made for her,

But She will always forever be remembered by each of Us.

May her life here be a blessing to all of us,

And although the flood of life has taken her from Us,

it will be our hope to see our Kourt again when we have Crossed the Bar,

And can see her and our Pilot Face to Face.

And may her Life forever be a blessing to us.

To offer condolences to The Ivery Family,  
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*Celebration  
OF THE Life  
OF*



*Kourtnee Michelle Ivery*

**JULY 9, 2002 ~ JANUARY 13, 2023**

~Service~

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2023 ~ 2:00 PM**

**The Chapel of Peace North**

2500 Cleveland Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio

Carolyn L. Napier, Evangelist – Eulogizing Minister  
Never Ending Word Ministry

## Obituary

Kourtnee was born on July 9, 2002 to Sheldon L. Ivery, Sr. and Karla M. Minnefield. Kourtnee left this world too soon on January 13, 2023. Kourtnee was twenty years old, her short life in this world, she had accomplished so much; and, had plans on achieving so so much more.

Kourtnee graduated from Columbus North International High School and was bi-lingual in Spanish, studied French and was in the Sign Language Club. She also graduated from The Columbus Downtown High School where she studied and received her Cosmetology certificate, all in 2020.

Kourtnee was always the life of a family gathering. For so many years she was the youngest family member. She loved to sing and actually was very good. Kourtnee was an artist, she spent time drawing and painting. She loved makeup and was exceptional at applying it. Kourt was exposed to different sports and activities growing up but loved her ballet and dance with Theatre Street Dance Academy and CDance Company. Kourt especially loved her cat Darth and spending time with her many friends whom she loved dearly. If you knew her, you knew she was a Daddy's girl and it showed, but most of all, her first bff, her loving and caring big Brother Sheldon. Their bond was tight. Sheldon was her protector, and she was her brother's keeper.

Kourtnee was preceded in death by, paternal great-grandfather, John B. Harris and great-grandmother, Alma "Nana Banana" Ivery; grandfather and grandmother, Ronald and Daisy Ivery; great-grandfather and great grandmother Pack and Fanny Fuller; maternal grandmother, Sandra L. "Me-maw" Cousins; grandfather, Karl M. Gibson; great grandfather Lloyd and grandmother Pauline E. "Sug" Dunston; and great grandfather Henry and great grandmother, Georgia Gibson

Kourtnee leaves behind to cherish her memory, father, Sheldon L. Ivery, Sr.; mother, Karla M. (Warren) Minnefield II; brother, Sheldon L. Ivery, Jr.; grandfather, Calvin (Karen) Cousins; grandmother, Phyllis Ivery; uncles, Frank (Diana) Blacksher of Zionsville, IN and Rodney Blacksher; aunts, Maria Harmon, Lynette (Kevin) Berry all of Columbus, OH and Lisa James of Los Angeles, CA; several great aunts, great uncles, cousins and too many special friends to name.

*It takes a village to raise a child, we were blessed to have a village that included family, friends, teachers and neighbors. You all had a hand in the woman "Kourt" became, and for that we are truly grateful.*

## Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE.....	Music Ministry
PARTING VIEW.....	Immediate Family
SCRIPTURE READING.....	Clergy
Old Testament.....	Psalms 23
New Testament.....	I Thessalonians 4:14-17
PRAYER.....	Gregory Napier, Pastor Never Ending Word Ministry
MUSIC SELECTION.....	"Never Would Have Made It"
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES.....	Angela Herde
REMARKS.....	Kourtnee's Great Aunt Kat Nevaeh Davis Victoria Coronado Lisa Ghee-Brown Read Message for Jaylyn Ferrell
READING OF OBITUARY.....	Silently
MUSIC SELECTION.....	"Take Me to The King"

### *The Eulogy*

CAROLYN L. NAPIER, EVANGELIST  
Never Ending Word Ministry

BENEDICTION.....	Clergy
RECESSIONAL.....	Clergy, Family, and Friends



### *Repast*

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