Acknowledgement

The family of Julio Ceser Castro Jr. is extremely grateful for all the kindness shown during this difficult time. Whether you sent a card, flowers, offered comforting words, lent a shoulder, or just kept us in your thoughts, every deed of kindness was sincerely appreciated. A special thank you to everyone who provided a donation, money, food, or prayers in our time of need.

Pallbearers

DOMINIC TOWNSEL ~ DOMINIC TOWNSEL II CLYDE TOWNSEL ~ JORGE GONZALEZ ~ LEJUAN TOWNSEL RICKY BRYAN ~ DAESHAWN TOWNSEL ~ RAESHAWN BEST

The Broken Chain

We little knew that morning That God would call your name In life we loved you dearly In death we do the same



It broke our hearts to lose you You did not go alone For part of us went with you The day God called you home

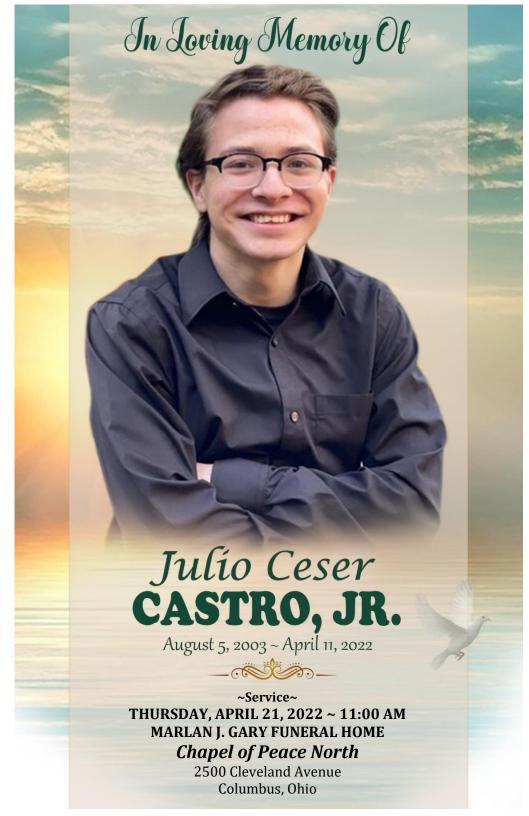
You left us beautiful memories Your love is still our guide And although we cannot see you You're always by our side

Our family chain is broken And nothing seems the same But as God calls us one by one The chain will link again



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Obituary

Order of Service

Julio "Hootie" Ceser Castro, Jr. was born on August 5, 2003, in Columbus, Ohio to Holly Darst and Julio Castro, Sr. On April 11, 2022, at the age of 18, Julio was unexpectedly called home.

Hootie attended Hilliard Davidson High School; and would have received his diploma in May of 2022. He was a dedicated employee at Walmart for the last two years, which he loved. From little league football with the Dolphins, to playing WWE with Boom and little Selena, up to high school, Hootie could always make someone laugh. His shenanigans always had friends and family smiling.

Hootie was welcomed home by his mother, Holly Darst; grandmothers and grandfathers, Tondia, and Ray and Elizabeth Clyde; aunt Ni-Ni; and cousin, L.J. Cherishing Hootie's memory are parents, Carie and Dominic Townsel; siblings, Tavaris Darst, Nolla (George) Gonzalez, Big Selena (Paul) Melendez, Summer Darst, Dominic "Boom" Townsel II, and Little Selena Castro; as well as two nieces, Mila and Namaari Gonzalez; and several aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

I am the resurrection and the life: He that believeth in me though he were dead yet shall he live. And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.

ORGAN PRELUDE	Music Ministry
PARTING VIEW	Immediate Family
SCRIPTURE READING Clyde Townson Old Testament	Psalm 23
PRAYER	. Elder Sean Marshall
SELECTION	Collette Houston
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES	Siblings
REMARKS (2 minutes please)	Family and Friends
READING OF OBITUARY	Selena Melendez Selena Castro Tavaris Darst

The Eulogy ELDER SEAN MARSHALL

BENEDICTION Elder Sean Marshall RECESSIONAL Clergy, Family, and Friends

Interment
EVERGREEN BURIAL PARK

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3045 Great Western Blvd Columbus, Ohio 43204 (Immediately following interment)