



Ms. Kia Nicole Gay

November 24, 1985 - January 21, 2022

Ms. Kia Nicole Gay, 36, passed away, Friday, January 21, 2022 surrounded by her loving family. Her celebration of life will be held, Wednesday, 1:00 p.m., Salvation and Praise Full Gospel Church, Farmville, North Carolina. Viewing, one hour prior to the service. Burial in Sunset Memorial Gardens.

KIA NICOLE GAY was a caring and talented mother, sister, aunt, cousin, niece, daughter, and friend who was born on November 24, 1985, in Greenville, NC to the late Ms. Lueie Dell Gay. Kia accepted Christ as a teenager and as she grew in age, she also grew in spiritual maturity as she embraced her personal relationship with God. She was educated through the Pitt County Public Schools system and continued her post graduate education at Pitt Community College, where she was slated to graduate with honors this year with an Associate of Applied Science in Human Services Technology. Always goal driven as well as multitalented, Kia was employed with Pitt County Department of Social Services as an Income Maintenance Case Worker. She was also a Black, female entrepreneur who founded and managed her company, Kia's Bonnet Shop. Kia completed certification as a phlebotomist, was accomplished in hair braiding and natural hair care, was a background vocalist for the singing group Inspirational Voices of Deliverance, served in several capacities in church ministry, and utilized her impeccable organizational, mathematical, and managerial skills to assist others in learning how to budget and coupon. Kia was creative and had a flair for writing,

drawing, decorating, and sewing (far beyond the bonnets she created for her business). Kia was a dedicated mother first and foremost. She treasured her children and embraced every moment with them. Although quiet and not one to spend time in futile conversation, Kia had a vivacious personality and always made people around her laugh and feel safe.

Kia left this world suddenly and obtained her glorified body on Friday, January 21, 2022, at age 36. She was preceded in death by her grandmother Lucille Blow and her mother Lueie Dell Gay.

She leaves to cherish her memory a tightknit family who adored her:

Her beloved children, Aniyah Dixon and Nathan Gay, both of the home; sister LaTina Williams of Greenville, North Carolina; her aunts, Eunice Gay of Raleigh, North Carolina, and Sylvia and Gwendolyn Gay, both of Greenville, North Carolina; her uncle Morris Gay (Odella) of Jamesville, North Carolina, her nieces, Nakyala Adams of Raleigh, North Carolina and Iyanna Hill of Greenville, North Carolina, her nephew, Tyrone Williams, Jr. of Greenville, North Carolina; her great-nephew, Zaimere Hill of Greenville, North Carolina; her cousins, Iyanna Hill of Greenville, North Carolina, Charsta Scott (Deshawn) of Virginia, Kim Smith (Terrell) of Irmo, South Carolina, Shemika Davis (Anthony) of Wilson, North Carolina, Crystal Gay of Zebulon, North Carolina, Angela Gay of Cary, North Carolina, and Joshua Gay of Washington, D. C., and a host of other family, relatives and friends.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions masks are required for all services.

Services will be Livestream on W. E. Flanagan Memorial Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Gardens

9705 US 264 Alt
Farmville , NC 27828

Previous Events

Viewing

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

Salvation & Praise Full Gospel Church
9243 Marlboro Rd
Farmville , NC 27828

Funeral Services

FEB 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

Salvation & Praise Full Gospel Church
9243 Marlboro Rd
Farmville , NC 27828

Interment

FEB 2 (ET)

Sunset Memorial Gardens
9705 US 264 Alt
Farmville , NC 27828

Tribute Wall

LA

“ *I miss you, Nicole*



LaTina - January 27, 2025 at 08:34 AM

AG

“ *Kia I miss you days like this the grief is heavy.
You have a granddaughter coming and we are planning the baby
shower for Niyah. Nathan is doing so good.....he is in College,
what a Mighty God we serve. I pray your spirit continues to shower
all over your children and granddaughter.*

Love,

Angie

Angela Gay - December 22, 2024 at 03:59 PM

TI

“ *Miss you, Nicole.*

Tina - March 28, 2024 at 06:17 PM

TI

“ *Miss you, Nicole....*

Tina - January 30, 2024 at 06:31 PM

CH

“ *Charsta lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay*



charsta - November 14, 2022 at 09:09 PM



“ *Ma you are heavy on my mind and heart*

Nathan Gay - October 01, 2022 at 02:53 AM



“ *Nathan Gay sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay*



Nathan Gay - October 01, 2022 at 02:49 AM



“ *Happy Mother's Day Ma*



Nathan Gay - May 08, 2022 at 07:47 PM

NF

“ *Nathan Gay & Family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay.*



Nathan Gay & Family - March 25, 2022 at 02:32 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay.*



February 01, 2022 at 07:23 PM

AG

“ *I love you Kia
My heart is broken
May you rest in eternal peace and the God of peace comfort this family.*

I will miss you always and forever love on your children.

Love,

Angela Gay

Angela Gay - February 01, 2022 at 02:03 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay.*



January 29, 2022 at 09:43 AM



“ *RIP Kia* 🙏🌍



Alisha Savage - January 29, 2022 at 12:22 AM



“ *Always remember sweet loving Kia, always had a smile on her face. I remember when I purchased my first oversized bonnet from Kia! Such a joy to know. May God give her children, family and loved ones strength during this difficult time and a peace that surpasses all understanding throughout the days and months to come. Heaven gained an angel* 🙏👼
High School friend, Alisha Little Savage

Alisha Savage - January 29, 2022 at 12:20 AM



“ *Condolences to the Gay Family. Our Prayers and Love. God will see you thru.*



Connie Daniels-Brown - January 28, 2022 at 02:27 AM

SW

“ Sending condolences to the Gay family. May God grant strength and peace during this difficult time. 🙏



Shameka Williams - January 25, 2022 at 10:39 PM

KA

“ Sending condolences to the Gay family. I am so sorry for your loss. Kia was such a sweet and loving lady. RIP. ❤️ Kim Alexander



Kim Alexander - January 25, 2022 at 08:40 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay.



January 24, 2022 at 09:16 PM

SH

“ Shequita lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Shequita - January 24, 2022 at 12:50 PM

BJ

“ I have to go back and light a candle! Bonnie Jacobs, Pitt County DSS



Bonnie Jacobs - January 24, 2022 at 10:43 AM

BJ

“ Kia, I know that everyone must take this Journey, but when I talked to you on last Tuesday, I never dreamed it was our last conversation! I will miss you so much! We shared so many secrets that will go with me to my grave. I love you, Babygirl! I was hoping I wake it and it was some crazy dream! I love you, Sleep on! We will meet again!



Bonnie Jacobs - January 24, 2022 at 10:41 AM

TI

“ ❤️❤️



Tina - January 23, 2022 at 08:20 PM

TI

“ I miss you Nicole and words cannot fully express it. Rest well because you earned your rest. You will continue to live on through Ni Ni and Nate--- you raised them well and with surety , they will continue to make you proud.



Tina - January 23, 2022 at 07:54 PM

LP

Hang in there cousin ,love ya and u and her kids are in my thoughts and prayers 🙏❤️

lacreshia Peterson - January 24, 2022 at 10:16 AM

AR

“ Aunt Rosie lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Aunt Rosie - January 23, 2022 at 03:58 PM

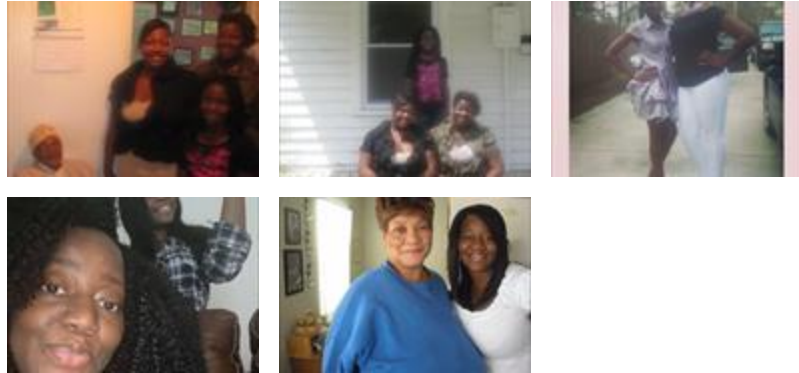
SH

“ Although life was short for you you left behind your legacy. I know you will be looking down on them always. So you rest now you're in the best hands. You will truly be missed.

shawn hill - January 23, 2022 at 01:40 PM

IH

“ I love you 🥰🥰🥰



lyanna Hill - January 23, 2022 at 01:36 PM

CH



Christy - January 23, 2022 at 02:15 PM

CH

“ My sweet friend, I love you always.



Christy - January 23, 2022 at 10:08 AM

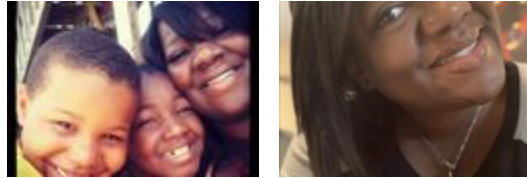
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“ You will always be in my heart ❤️ all the times I had with you and spent with you

Tequoa Holloway - January 23, 2022 at 09:48 AM

AN

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Aniyah - January 23, 2022 at 09:13 AM

KW

“ I love her. She used to babysit my kids just so I can catch a break. She was loved her Mom, and her Sister for sure. I never got a chance to meet her children, but I know she took very good care of them.. Thank Kia Nicole I love you little one....

Kayberlyn Williams - January 23, 2022 at 09:00 AM

DS

“ Once we found out our relationship, we all became closer! Walking to KP after school, doing our hair, giving us talks and motivation! You will be missed cousin! 🙏



D Spruill - January 23, 2022 at 08:30 AM

DC

“ One Beautiful Person, you will be always missed and forever loved... My thoughts and prayers of comfort and peace to the family.

Deacon Delissa Crawford - January 22, 2022 at 09:23 PM

AN

“ I love you bestie 🥺💔



Aniyah - January 22, 2022 at 08:56 PM

TA

“ Prayers, Hugs, and Kisses! Tam



Tam - January 22, 2022 at 07:45 PM

NA

“ Nakyla Adams lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Nakyla Adams - January 22, 2022 at 07:35 PM

NA

“ You were so beautiful and amazing!! I miss you so much Auntie 🥺
💜

Nakyla Adams - January 22, 2022 at 07:35 PM

NN

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family.
Sending love* 💕💕



Nita Nimmons - January 22, 2022 at 07:30 PM

AH

“ *Angela Holloway lit a candle in memory of
Ms. Kia Nicole Gay*



Angela Holloway - January 22, 2022 at 07:28 PM

CS

“ *You may be gone from my sight but you are
never gone from my heart.*



charsta scott - January 22, 2022 at 06:59 PM



“ *Yellow Rose Buds (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was
purchased for the family of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay.*



January 22, 2022 at 06:24 PM

AP

“ Sending love and hugs💜



AP - January 22, 2022 at 06:05 PM

IH

“ I love you aunt kia❤️👤🍫



Iyanna Hill - January 22, 2022 at 04:13 PM

AE

“ Aunt E lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Aunt E - January 22, 2022 at 03:54 PM



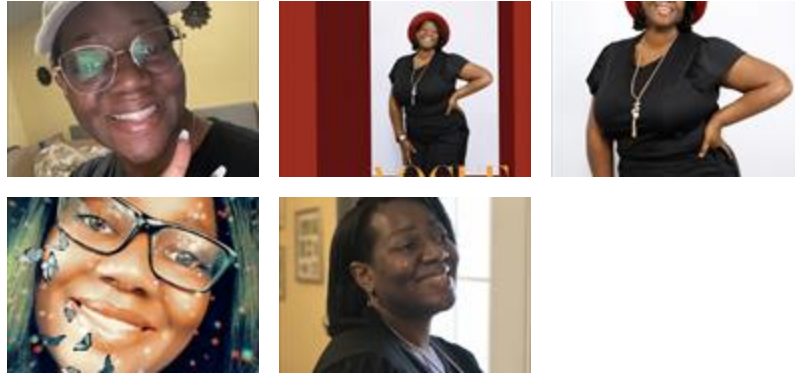
“ Esther Hammond lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Esther Hammond - January 22, 2022 at 03:35 PM

NA

“ 10 files added to the album *Kia Memories*



Nathan - January 22, 2022 at 03:25 PM

NA

“ Nathan lit a candle in memory of Ms. Kia Nicole Gay



Nathan - January 22, 2022 at 03:23 PM

CH



Christy - January 23, 2022 at 02:14 PM