

IN MEMORY AND CELEBRATION FOR THE LIFE OF

Temone Tai Pinkney

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Feb. 10, 1994

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Oct. 20, 2022



MEMORIAL SERVICE

Monday, October 31, 2022 at 1:00 PM

*Los Patios, 2015 NE Loop 410
San Antonio Texas 78217*

Officiating: *Min. LaKeisha D. Howard*

Life's Journey

Semone Tai Pinkney was born February 10, 1994, in Coronado, California. Semone was the first born of her sister and two brothers to her father Michael and mother Felicia Pinkney.

Semone lived in various states due to her father's military career before making San Antonio, Texas her permanent residence. She received her formal education in the Judson Independent School district, where she ran track, played basketball, received her high school diploma and Dental Assistant Certification.

Following her high school years, Semone entered the workforce before following dream of entrepreneurship. In 2020 Semone opened "Muva's Makingz" where her moto is "Healing tingz for the inside and out!" At a very young age Semone knew that she wanted to be a chef. As a young child her and her siblings would frequently run around the house with paper made chef hats on. Prior to entering hospice care, Semone would be in the kitchen cooking her specialties for various catering events or making skin care products.

On February 17, 2017, Semone with diagnosed with a rare form of stage 4 cancer, with a life expectance of 2-3 years. After nearly six years of defeating every adversity that cancer brought her way Semone was ready to return into the bosom of her Lord and Savior. It was her steadfast in the Lord that she was able to continue to fight pass the different limitations that cancer tried to submit to her.

Eight days prior to her diagnose of cancer Semone accomplished the greatest joy of her life, she became mommy to Karter Michael Ray Fletcher. Prior to having Karter her siblings and friends coined her "Moma Bear." The moment her mom gave birth to her sister Sierra she knew that she wanted to be a mommy.

Semone had a smile that was contagious, you couldn't help to smile back and want to spark up a conversation with her, as if you've known her all your life. She was brutally honest and did not like fake people. She would correct you with honesty and love you through pain and heartache. Her heart was full of joy and love for all people, and she never met a stranger. She had a gift for discernment and empathic when it came to meeting people.

Semone was preceded in death by her great grandparents, Moses & Roberta Pinkney, Woodrow & Lucille Hughes, and Louis & Doris Lightfoot, and her uncle Daniel Pinkney. She leaves to cherish her memory and to carry on her legacy her son Karter Michael-Ray Fletcher and his father Deonta Fletcher, her parents Michael & Felicia Pinkney, her siblings; Sierra, Michael, & Trenton Pinkney and Andre & Sheredon Cook, her grandparents; Robert & Gloria Pinkney, Cynthia "AKA Nana" Watts Foster, and bonus mom - LaKeisha Howard and godmother Bridgette Fisher, She also leaves to cherish her memory her uncle Eckhart Watts (Sandy), aunts Samantha, Monica, & Stephanie Thomas, uncle Sammy Thomas, uncles; Alexander, Dexter & Maurice Pinkney, aunts; Syliva Shelby, Eileen Taylor, and Alberta Davis, a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other family members, and friends.



Order of Service

Processional - Clergy and Family

Welcome - Minister LaKeisha D. Howard

Scripture Reading and Prayer - Deacon Wardell Willis

Music Selection - Devon Matthews

Reading of Cards - Kenecia Warren

Remarks (Limit 2-3 Minutes) - Family and Friends

Music Selection

The Message of Comfort - Minster LaKeisha D. Howard

Singing Bowls and Butterfly Release - Margie Sanders

Music Selection - Devon Matthews

Closing - Minster LaKeisha D. Howard

To Those Whom I Love & Those Who Love Me

When I am gone, release me, let me go.

I have so many things to see and do,

You mustn't tie yourself to me with too many tears,

But be thankful we had so many good years.

I gave you my love, and you can only guess

How much you've given me in happiness.

I thank you for the love that you have shown,

But now it is time I traveled on alone.

So grieve for me a while, if grieve you must,

Then let your grief be comforted by trust.

It is only for a while that we must part,

So treasure the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on.

And if you need me, call and I will come.

Though you can't see or touch me, I will be near.

And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear,

All my love around you soft and clear.

And then, when you come this way alone,

I'll greet you with a smile and a 'Welcome Home'

Messages from Mother, Father, and Son

Pretty,

Mommy, know she was tough on you when you were growing up because I knew that you would have to deal with adversity and would need to be able to bounce back. Just as you have for the last nearly six years, you are the most resilient person that I know. You have taught me so much as to what it means to have strength and to fight with endurance. I am at peace, and we are in agreement on one accord, I will forever be your mommy and best friend my little dragonfly.



Semone,

I watched you blossom into a beautiful woman, loving mother, and wonderful person. There are no words to describe how much I'm going to miss you. I take comfort in knowing that you are at peace and resting.... there is know pain in GOD's presence. Your beautiful voice, your delicious food, your laughter and presence will be missed. I love you beyond measure....may your Angelic presence forever watch over us until we meet again.

Love you Daddy

Mommy,

I'm sad and I miss you so much. I am going to miss your hugs, love, and of course your cooking. I have your necklace on and I promise to take care of it and Luna. Thank you for taking care of us and I know you are not hurting any more. I love you mommy!



Family Acknowledgment

The family of Semone Tai Pinkney express the greatest appreciation the show of love and sympathy shown by everyone. You have real shown the harvest of seeds that Semone has planted. Thank you for all the cards, flowers, calls, visits, social media post, words of comfort, and prayers. As the dust settles and months go by whenever you think of Semone please say a prayer for our family! GOD bless each of you.

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