



# Aminah Ashanti Patterson

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**H**oward Frank Patterson and Mary Ann Terrell were given a sweet Angel on April 16, 1999 named Aminah Ashanti Patterson. She was a true reflection of the meaning of her name. Aminah means “trustworthy” and Ashanti means “Great African Queen”. Aminah loved her family very dearly and enjoyed their presence. Her brothers, Broderick, Kedrick, Cedric, Shawn and Jordan cherished their sister. Big sisters Kolisha (Bobby), Tiffany, and Monique treated her like a queen. Aminah holds a special place in the hearts of her grandparents, Aiyetoro and Nailah Oyeleye and Julius Tuggle. Aminah’s great-grandmother, Angie Isom thought of her as amazing. Aminah’s aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, cousins, family, and friends are all grateful for the time they shared with her. Taking an interest in Aminah’s upbringing, personal development, and loving her unconditionally are her god mothers, Mary Sawyer, Brenda Adams and Nakenya Cartwright. Cousins are special and dear, Aminah spent her life journey with Justin and Annie Mabon. Aminah’s BFF’S will always be remembered as Erica Jones, Justyce Knowles, and Nigel Cartwright. Aminah’s accolades: John Robert Powers Agency (actress/model) Steven’s Ata Black Belt Academy in Bartlett Little Gym (Advanced Gymnastics Class in Germantown) Ballet (Church Health Center) Taekwondo Majorette Clue Program at Sherwood Elementary School Reading Scholar Cheerleader (Little League Football-Jets) Piano Lessons with Chris Mason Principals List and Honor Roll List every six weeks Citizenship Scholar Exceptional in Computers Junior Duckmaster at the Peabody Hotel, Memphis, TN Honored at the St. Jude 35th Gala Banquet Community Holiness Outreach Ministry Youth Choir & Praise Team Community Holiness Outreach Ministry Sunday School Student Crowned at Tiara Tea Society (Princess for a Lifetime) Marguerite Piazza 35th Gala for St. Jude Make-A-Wish Foundation



## Tribute Wall

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AC

**Ayonna (Little Cousin)** lit a candle in honor of Aminah.

aminah cousin i love you in miss you so much 🥹 i wish haven really had visiting hours you & granny are together now

September 17 at 7:27 AM



MT

**Mary Terrell** posted:

Hi! my sweet darling, I miss you so much. You are in my spirits everyday of my life. These has been some long years, that has passed by without you in my life. Your brother is in college and I have been for 18 months. It's all because of you my little darling. I want you to be proud of your mother for finally finishing college. My heart is stronger now, and I never thought that I could ever write on your obituary ever again. But I know that their is a God and you are their with him. I will always lone to hold you in my arms everyday of my life. You were my princess and you still are. No one could ever take your place. I love,love, you.

September 17 at 5:46 PM

AT

**Auntie Taki** posted:

How could anyone forget such a sweet young lady! Got to heaven before her auntie! I know that God is happy to have you. I truly miss you. A wonderful niece and special person to me! I' still working hard to see you in heaven1 I love you always and foreve

August 6 at 12:32 PM

DA

**Daurecypedume** posted:

Wasted plain surveillance prankster more or less means weakness of identity. It is to your harvest to recall what to do Out of the window Sexually transmitted Security Easter business card instantly you bring that someone has stolen your or

December 3 at 5:30 PM

DA

**Daurecypedume** posted:

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December 3 at 11:25 AM



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DA

**Daurecypedume** posted:

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November 29 at 8:27 AM

DA

**Daurecypedume** posted:

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November 28 at 7:41 PM

DA

**Daurecypedume** posted:

Einer Goldpreis 585 wird eine wichtige sache crew kann ihn bei uns hier berchnen selten unbeschadet fuer 585 Gold kann people ihn richtig verwenden.

November 28 at 7:00 PM

DY

**Dymnunikilync** posted:

hlhgk

September 10 at 2:09 PM

TP

**Tiffany Patterson** posted:

TThinking about you I know your doing good each day i miss you more and more just wanted you to know that i will never stop thinking about you I love you

May 24 at 2:17 PM

BT

**Big Sis Tiffany** posted:

Hey baby youve been on my mind alot i miss you so much and not a day goes by that i dont think about u Just wanted you to know that i love u

December 16 at 4:23 PM



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AN

**Auntie Nataki** posted:

Aminah, your mom said the other day that she wished heaven had a phone just so she could hear your voice! I do too. I told her that Jesus would get sick and tired of us calling! I think about you everyday and I know that I'll see you again and we'll have

September 7 at 6:48 PM

RT

**Robert K. Terrell** posted:

AMINAH YOU WERE A SPECIAL PERSON AND A JOY TO BE AROUND. YOU MADE ME HAPPY WHEN I WAS SAD. YOU MADE THINK ABOUT THINGS IN LIFE THAT WERE SPECIAL AND TO CHERISH THEM FOREVER. I THANK YOU AND WILL ALWAYS LOVE AND CHERISH THE TIMES WE SHARED. REST IN PEACE A

July 21 at 3:56 AM

TP

**Tiffany Patterson** posted:

Thinking about you today baby as i do everyday i tell u i love you and i can hear you saying it back I miss you just wanted you to know it

July 17 at 1:11 PM

AN

**Angie** posted:

Aminah u will be missed by so many people but u will always be missed by me!!!

July 15 at 3:28 PM

AN

**Annie** posted:

AMINAH I LOVE YOU SO MUCH AND MISSES YOU DEARLY. I NEVER WOULD'VE THOUGHT THAT THERE WOULD COME A DAY THAT WE WOULD BE AWAY FROM EACH OTHER. AMINAH IT REALLY HURTS ME THAT YOU WAS DIAGNOSED WITH YOUR BRAIN TUMOR RIGHT BEFORE MY BIRTHDAY AND YOU PASSED RIG

July 14 at 4:55 PM



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FJ

**Frank And Lou Ella James** posted:

Aminah will surely be miss by us. We will continue to pray for the family in the days and weeks to come.The James family, Frank Jr. Lou Ella Audrena Frank III

July 10 at 2:20 PM

LW

**Latonya Walker** posted:

You are one of gods special angels. May you have peace and happiness everlasting.God Bless You!Latonya Walker,And Family

July 10 at 12:44 PM

JG

**Japera Oyeleye- Griffin** posted:

Aminah I'm really going to miss you there is not a day that I dont think about the good times we had together I think about the times that you would come over to my house and lay in the bed with me or even lay on the couch and watch TV. There were times w

July 10 at 11:04 AM

MT

**Mary Terrell** posted:

Oh, My Aminah, I miss you so much you and I were best friends. As,I sit here thinking about all the time we spent together I am blessed. Everyday your brother and I spend quality time together, just like you and me us to. Heaven has a special "angel" and

July 10 at 10:46 AM

LP

**Latrice Patterson** posted:

Hi my name is latrice and i was aminahs cousin by marrige and she was a fun and adventures young lady she was also a very buttiful cousin to hang around i wasnt with aminah her hole life but it seemed like it becuse aminah ,anne ,and i were always hanging

July 7 at 3:13 PM



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TP

**Tiffany Patterson** posted:

I keep thinking that this is all a dream and that as im sleeping your going to call me too early in the morning like you use to I miss you sooooo much That you know I love you.. you know that also because we never got off the phone without saying it to e

July 7 at 10:32 AM

VT

**Vanessa Tooley** posted:

Aminah you will truly be missed!!!!!!luv Vanessa, Jasmine, and auntee Bessiefrom Chicago.

July 7 at 8:24 AM

MB

**Ms. Brenda** posted:

My heart is so full little girl. As the tears slip down my face there is yet a smile in my heart. The joy you brought to my life was so kind and loving and spirit-filled and I am so proud of the young lady that you became. I am a better person, a bette

July 7 at 7:23 AM

MA

**Mother Adams** posted:

Little Angel Your visits to Chicago turned the whole blook on its ear. We couldn't wait until you got here and hated to see you go. This time is different, now you rest in God and our hearts celebrate your homegrowing. You were loved by so many – and t

July 7 at 7:02 AM

MC

**Marcus "Big Cuz" Curry** posted:

My family and I were blessed to have even known you. May God uplift your spirit and allow you to continue to be the little Angel you always were here on earth. May God continue to bless and heal the family during this time. I love you all!!!

July 5 at 2:54 PM



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CS

**Cocoa Strickland** posted:

Dad(Howard),Mary,and Brenda u all done a wonderful job with the help of the Lord raising a beautiful young lady. Aminah was a very spoiled child from birth and even after her death she still got want she wanted. Heaven is rejoicing with Aminah's presence.

July 5 at 2:36 PM

GR

**Gidget Richardson** posted:

Mary, You raised a beautiful respectful young lady. I met Aminah in kindergarden at Sherwood Elem. She and Erica became best friends. She and Erica could talk all night on the phone. The times when she would spent the night I would let them stay up all ni

July 5 at 2:13 PM

EJ

**Erica Jones** posted:

I will never forget you Aminah. You are my best friend in the world. We talked about everything. I will remember you forever. You ere the best friend ever. I could tell you anything. We had so much fun. I will love you forever.Erica

July 5 at 2:06 PM

AH

**Ashlee Hudson** posted:

You will truly be missed.Your classmates Ashlee Hudson,Kaylah Johnson, KAitlyn HArdin, and Tiyana HArdin.WE LOVe You and will miss you

July 5 at 1:04 PM

NS

**Nakia "Big Niece Jello" Strickland** posted:

Minah I miss and Love you so much...You're memorial was a memorial to remember...Baby Girl I Love You and can't wait to see you in HEAVEN "Encourage Yourself"

July 5 at 11:57 AM

EB

**Elnora Blackledge Lee** posted:

Aminah,we will always miss you

July 5 at 11:34 AM



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AG

**Aunt Juanita Greer** posted:

God always provide us with things and people in our lives. Aminah was one of the special ones that God put here. She always had a special way about herself that would make anyone love her who came in contact with her. Her smile would light up a room, her

July 5 at 11:00 AM

SM

**Sonji Malbrough** posted:

Aminah was a child with a beautiful spirit. I specially recall the day we spent talking at Aunt Juanita's house July 2009. Just to hear this lil woman talk you would have thought that she was well beyond her 10yrs of age. I'll never forget her. Mary you h

July 5 at 10:46 AM

AT

**Auntie Taki** posted:

Boo you got your wish! There were motorcycles everywhere and some of them came a long way just to honor you by showing how much they were touched by your spirit. The street was packed with all kinds of bikes. I'll be working hard here to see you agai

July 4 at 1:31 PM

JT

**Justean Totten** posted:

Mary, I am so glad that I got to meet Aminah and enjoy her sweet sweet spirit. I know the heavens are rejoicing and to God be the glory. Call me whenever you need a friend, you know I'm up all night. Aminah, is and was a very sweet and kind girl, she will

July 4 at 10:49 AM

JK

**Justyce Knowles** posted:

Aminah, I miss you already. I will always remember talking on the phone to you and having a good time together. Thank you so much for being my friend. You have touched my life more than you know. I know you will always watch over me. I know you are in h

July 4 at 10:38 AM



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AA

**Aarion** posted:

Im goin to miss u Aminah u were fill with laugh and joy everytime i saw u. u might be gone bt u never4gotten

July 4 at 9:46 AM

GD

**Geraldine Davis** posted:

Aminah you will be missed by many. I will always remember you smile and your fiesty you always had about. Rest in Peace Little one. Heaven is rejoicing!!!

July 4 at 9:43 AM

AD

**Auntie Nataki Oyeleye-Dowdy** posted:

The love of an aunt to a niece is precious and dear. Aminah, you will always be remembered as the "grand-baby" and that meant so much to us to have you. I always called you my booby! We would talk about crazy things all the time. I can even remember you a

July 3 at 2:26 PM

TB

**Tom & Eunice Black** posted:

Heaven is rejoicing today.

July 3 at 11:35 AM

KS

**Kolisha Strickland** posted:

I am really a lost for words in the loss of my baby sister Aminah. She is no longer suffering and in pain anymore. We know that Aminah is in God's care but the memories will forever be in our hearts. We love her and miss her deeply.Love Kolisha "Cocoa

June 27 at 3:08 PM

JM

**J. Moore** posted:

To the Family Of Aminah Ashanti Patterson,So sorry to learn about the lost of your Dear Loved One, Aminah. Please know that so many people share your grief with you to help you through this difficult time of sorrow. Please accept my deepest condolen

June 25 at 7:36 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Aminah by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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