## Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

#### Pall Bearers

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### I Am Not There

Do not stand at my grave and weep,
I am not there. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the snow on the mountain's rim,
I am the laughter in children's eyes,
I am the sand at the water's edge,
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle Autumn rain,
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight,
I am the star that shines at night,
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.



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# Homegoing Celebration for Mr. Darryl Ray Saunders "Big D"



Tuesday, January 24, 2012 2:00 PM

Clark S. Brown & Sons Funeral Home 727 North Patterson Avenue Winston-Salem, North Carolina

> Reverend Dr. Leon Cole, Jr., Officiating

# **Obituary**

Mr. Darryl Ray Saunders was born Super Bowl Sunday, January 30, 1983, the youngest son of Gwendolyn Saunders and James Ray Monroe. "Big D" as he was known to his friends and family, passed away peacefully in his sleep, two weeks shy of his 29th birthday on January 17, 2012.

Darryl was a 2001 graduate of Mt. Tabor High School. He worked at Domino's Pizza and Atrium Windows and Doors in Welcome, NC. He began his career at Steak and Shake Restaurant as a counter person and worked his way up to 3rd shift Assistant Manager.

In addition to his parents, Darryl leaves to behind to cherish his memories his future wife, Shanna Young; 2 brothers: Larry L. Saunders and Dennis Ray (Kenya) Cole; sister, Chantia L. Saunders; two nephews and two nieces who were raised like brothers and sisters and will greatly miss their "Uncle": Alex Saunders, Michael Edwards, Asia and India Baines; grandmother, Celeste Monroe; three aunts: Josephine (Paul) Gambil, Linda Thompson and Brenda Thompson; a very close cousin, Yetesha Thompson; two great aunts: Alice Royster and Gracie Stimpson; host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.



# The Day You Left Us

The day you left us was heartbreak and sorrow
The day you left us we saw no tomorrow
The day you left us we didn't understand
The day you left us God had you by the hand
The day you left us your family and friends came together
The day you left us we will remember you forever

# The Order of Service

Processional

Family Visitation 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Scripture Readings

Reverend Aron Watlington

Old Testament

**New Testament** 

Prayer of Comfort Dr. Johnny D. Johnson

Selection Ms. Faye Hines

Remarks Family and Friends

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Eulogy Rev. Dr. Leon Cole, Jr.

Recessional

#### Interment

**Evergreen Cemetery** 

#### Family Acknowledgement

Whatever the part you played to console our hearts by means of flowers, food, cards, phone calls, or just a visit: to all of you for sharing with us the life of one we loved so dear from the beginning to the end.

The Family of Darryl Ray Saunders