



Amaury James Pierce

August 5, 2004 - March 10, 2024

Amaury James Pierce was born August 5, 2004 in Orlando, Florida to parents, Valenta Encarnacion and Victor Pierce. He attended Florida Virtual School and was very studious. He was constantly on the Honor Roll and received various educational accolades such as the Presidential Educational Award for his academic achievement.

Above everything else, Amaury loved God and his family. He had a special bond with his big brother Adrian, whom he really looked up to and had a great admiration for.

Amaury also had a love for baseball. He played travel ball and one of the highlights of his baseball career was earning the MVP Award at the Ballparks of America Tournament.

A true dreamer with countless aspirations, Amaury had a plethora of potential and could do anything he'd put his mind to. He taught himself to play piano and the guitar and wanted to be involved in every aspect of the music industry when he was growing up. He also began creating a clothing line with religious artwork.

Amaury James Pierce was predeceased by his Uncles: Fabian Pierce and Willie Pierce, Jr.; and Aunt, Cassandra Pierce-Thomas.

He leaves to cherish his precious memory...Father, Victor Pierce of Gifford, Florida; Mother, Valenta Encarnacion of Apopka, Florida; Brother, Adrian Pierce of Apopka, Florida; Paternal Grandparents: Victoria Hudson and Willie Pierce; Maternal Grandparents: Cristobal and Ada Encarnacion; Uncles: Lamar Pierce, Jere Pierce (Latoya), Josiah Pierce, Candtobal Encarnacion (LaToya), and Keith Pierce; Aunts: Denise Pierce, Vanessa Pierce, Kendra Pierce, Cristy Encarnacion, Joann Camacho, Kimberly Humphrey (Shawn), and Taylor Pierce; and a host of cousins, other loving relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703
(407) 886-3388

Service

MAR **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
834 S. Orange Blossom Trail
Apopka, FL 32703

Tribute Wall

JO

“ May you feel God's love and the love of those around you during this incredibly difficult time V. We love you.



Jody - March 25, 2024 at 07:17 AM

MB

“ Margriet Kiomie Sarah Meg Sezelle Brian planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Amaury James Pierce.

Margriet Kiomie Sarah Meg Sezelle Brian - March 22, 2024 at 03:07 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Amaury James Pierce.



March 22, 2024 at 03:07 PM

EJ

“ Eric Jimenez lit a candle in memory of Amaury James Pierce



Eric Jimenez - March 21, 2024 at 03:49 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Amaury James Pierce.*



March 21, 2024 at 09:35 AM



“ *MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Amaury James Pierce*



MONICA DENISE SCOTT - March 20, 2024 at 03:38 PM



“ *Lilyan R. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Amaury James Pierce.*

Lilyan R. - March 20, 2024 at 06:40 AM



“ *MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Amaury James Pierce*



MONICA DENISE SCOTT - March 19, 2024 at 09:13 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Amaury James Pierce.



March 19, 2024 at 09:00 PM



“ Aunt Linda, Jen, Dani, Erin, & families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Amaury James Pierce.



Aunt Linda, Jen, Dani, Erin, & families - March 19, 2024 at 04:53 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Amaury James Pierce.



March 19, 2024 at 08:40 AM



“ Michelle Daley & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Amuary James Pierce.

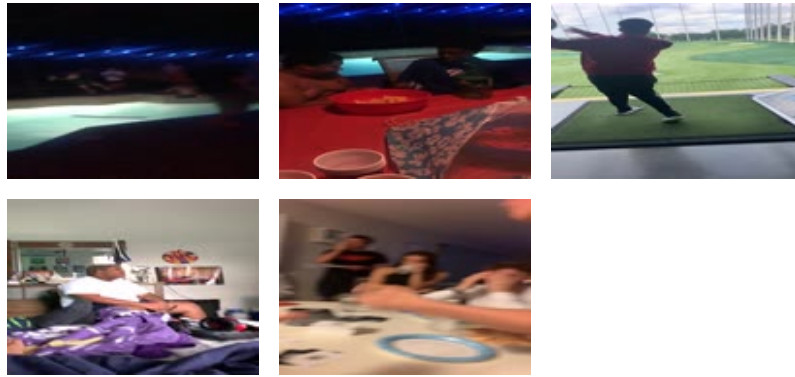
Michelle Daley & Family - March 19, 2024 at 08:40 AM

“ One of my earliest memories in life was when I moved to a place called Apopka during first grade. Little did I know with such a change, would come one of the most purest, real, funny, fun, caring, relaxing, most beautiful friendships I think I will ever be able to have, and it's truly a blessing from God I got to experience that with Amaury. I only ever remember meeting 2 kids my age when I first came to the baseball field for t-ball and being a new kid I didn't have friends and that all changed when I met a kid name Amaury and Roberto. From that point on, a friendship blossomed that was so beautiful that I'm glad I got to have that in my life cause not many people get to experience that. I remember all the travel ball days spending so many weekends for tournaments and weekdays for practice together, in which, we were slowly but at the same time quickly growing up with each other. I also remember the day and excitement I felt when one morning Roberto told me he had to show me something then we walked to the courtyard and I see Amaury in the courtyard with his black adidas jacket and his camo cargo pants and us being so hyped the trio was finally united and he finally was able to go to the same school as us in middle school after we were talking abt it for so long. From there we were able to hangout at school and see each other almost everyday, to then moving on to high school and spending the most time and the most memorable time with all of our friends and also with just me him and Roberto, and this is something I cherished and loved so much. All the sleepovers we had, when Amaury would bring his PlayStation and tv just so all 3 of us could play at the same time while we stayed up so late eating snacks, listening to music, and also playing so much basketball. Then when covid hit and we didn't have to go back to school, those entire 2 years and also the last year in high school we spent a crazy amount of time together with All of our friends, playing basketball at Ponkan or Roberto's house from the morning till the night, having more sleepovers, going on rides in the golf cart, going to the beach, playing video games, and watching musicals that no one wanted to watch but Amaury cause he loved singing and I would sit and watch with him because him singing it made me sit through it and tolerate it lol, and when we were in the car, Amaury

would always ask for big time rush and every single time Amaury would sing like there's 40 thousand people watching him. And also a huge chunk of time spent together wasn't even in person, but playing video games. The amount of time we all spent playing the game for years and years was something that was just so fun, and hilarious that only few could understand that feeling, we would stay up till 3am or even later just playing video games with each other or at many times just talking about life especially once we got older. The memories made over just that alone are so beautiful and hold a special place in my heart as well. Fast forward to after graduation and the 2.5 years after high school, and still one of the constants in my life was still having Amaury in my life as one of my greatest friends. This young man was always such a kind, caring, respectful, intelligent, and very talented soul, with such a unique and infectious laugh that when he laughed everyone did and that's the light he brought to people. I'm so proud and happy that Amaury finally started chasing his dreams of streaming and making music before he passed and taking the time and putting in the work in for bettering himself, and I'm so glad that amaury sent me his songs even if it was to just get feedback on them or things he was thinking about changing, and when Amaury would stream, especially at night I'm so grateful and glad that even if it was just for 10-15 mins that I would chill on his stream just catching up and talking about life and him showing me the things he was up to on stream and the music he was making and also the people he was meeting in the online community as well. Everytime it was mothers day, Father's Day, or one of my sisters birthdays, Amaury always and I mean always made sure that I told them that he wished them a happy birthday and that he cares about them because that just the person he was and that's the type of love he had for my family as well, and as my family had for him. Just a month ago , I came to him about something I was interested in doing and being the great friend he has always been, Amaury gave me all the information and knowledge he had on the subject and gave me an idea where to start, and a couple weeks ago, I FaceTimed him late at night and showed him what I had been working on, and he was very supportive and also honest at the same time, and a couple days

later Amaury out of his own will, gifted me something very very special that would allow me to expand and create my ideas, and he walked me through how to be able to use it, and I almost have no words to express how much that meant to me. It truly hurts me and pains my heart so much that I won't physically be able to show Amaury the progress I have made just from his gracious act, which was to propel me forward and help make the process and learning part easier. There is still so so much I have to say and so many countless experiences and occasions I can talk about, but there wouldn't be enough room for that on here. This beautiful friendship should be the defining and true testament of how a friendship/brotherhood is and should be. Just because we might not be blood doesn't mean I don't consider him my family because that's what he is to me, and my family as well. As friends especially on the level that we were, we are able to see people for their true self and love them for it no matter what. Sitting here and doing this is something I never thought I would have to do, and it is really numbing and so painful mentally and physically especially on my head and heart thinking that someone you have grown up with and spent so much time with that has always been so close is no longer here no more. However, I have to thank the Lord and tell him how grateful I am for putting Amaury in my walk of life and having him here through it all. Amaury had such big dreams and aspirations and was such a talented kid that I know he would've been able to reach his dreams had he still been here and I don't have an ounce of doubt about that in my body. I truly am certain his spirit is with me and all his loved ones and family. I am truly and deeply sorry and offer my condolences to his family and all his loved ones, especially his mother Valenta, grandfather Chris, and his brother Adrian. I will continue to pray every night for God to guide them and show them light through this really dark time. And for you Amaury, I love you so much bro, and I promise I'm gonna do this for you bro. I wish I could've told you all these things I loved about you while you were here, but I already know you knew without me having to say it, and we both know how much I cared for you as you did for me. I love you again bro and I'm so thankful that I was able to be apart of your life as I'm thankful you were apart of mine❤️ I'll see you in heaven

when the time comes my brother.



William Cabrera - March 19, 2024 at 12:05 AM

YW

“ *Your cousins, Lizbeth & Rilynn Williams purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Amaury James Pierce.*



Your cousins, Lizbeth & Rilynn Williams - March 19, 2024 at 12:04 AM

WF

“ *Will & Cabrera Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Amaury James Pierce.*



Will & Cabrera Family - March 18, 2024 at 12:20 PM

BR

“ Our deepest and most sincere condolences to the entire family! Amaury was one of the 1st ppl my son met when we moved to Apopka (end of 1st grade) at the baseball fields. They played baseball for years together, was at the b-day parties, school. It was a friendship that blossomed, genuine and everlasting. Amaury was always soft-spoken, respectful, sweet, kind and had a beautiful smile and that's how we will always remember him. Our family is heart-broken and share in your grief, God Bless the Encarnacion family and may he give you the strength you need in these most difficult times. Love, The Cabrera Family



Brenda - March 18, 2024 at 11:55 AM

TF

“ The Hank Parker's Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Amaury James Pierce.



The Hank Parker's Family - March 17, 2024 at 05:00 PM

DA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Damian - March 16, 2024 at 07:56 AM

DA

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Damian - March 16, 2024 at 07:53 AM