PALLBEARERS

Jerry J. Brant, Sr., Daniel B. Brant, Sr., David D. Brant Steven A. Brant, Sr., Talus Brown, Sr., Alfonso Respess, Sr.

FLOWER ATTENDANTS

The Sustainment Center Church

EARTHLY PLACE OF REST

Edgewood Cemetery 4519 N. Edgewood Drive Jacksonville, Florida 32219

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

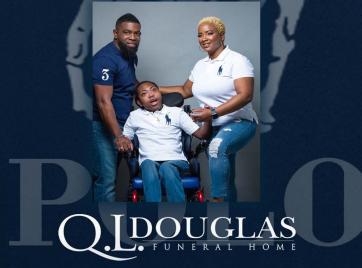
A heartfelt and special thanks to all of you for the phone calls, text messages, cards, visits, monetary gifts, acts of kindness, prayers, and the support that you've shown us in this time of great loss. We are extremely grateful for family and friends like you that help make this time just a little bit easier.

Special thanks to Bishop Kenneth Groover and the Greater Refuge Temple Church family for opening your doors to us and extending your hospitality to us; from a family to a family. Also, to the Sustainment Center Church, the church who loved Quad the most, we love you.

Our son, Quad's journey has brought us all together today to celebrate a life well-lived. It is unrefutably evident that you loved him as well.

Thank you for showing up.

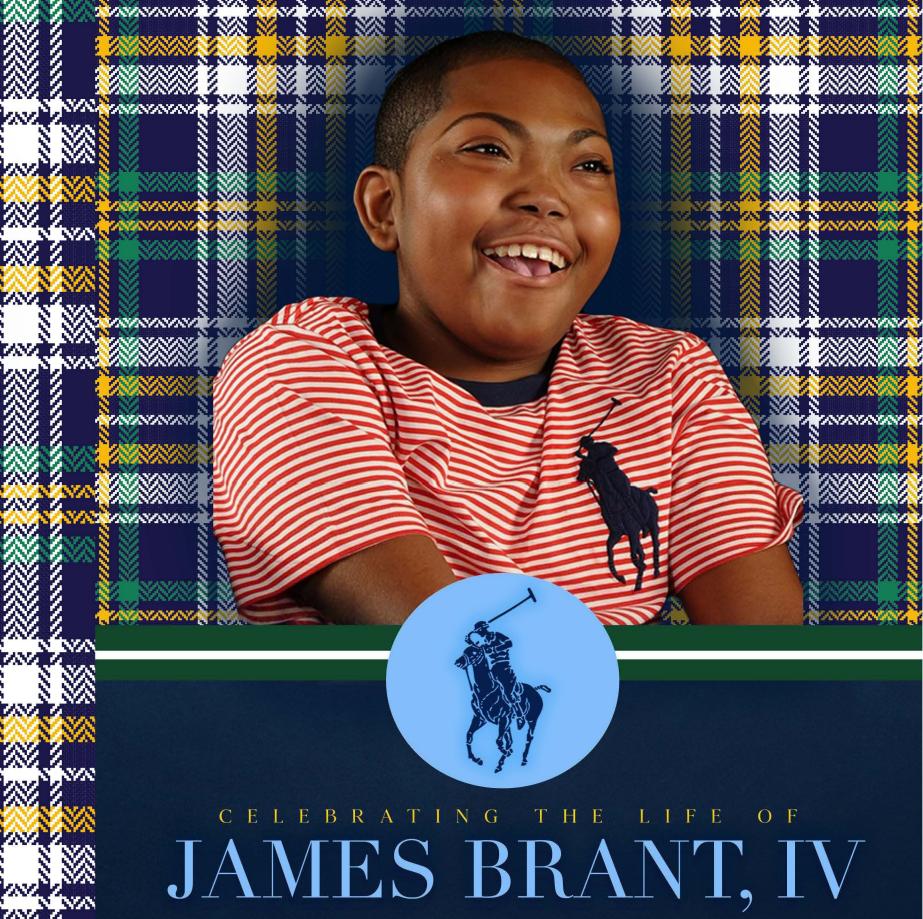
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 - 11 AM GREATER REFUGE TEM<u>PLE</u>

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"To every thing there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven:" Ecclesiastes 3:1

"A time to be born..."

This incredible gift of God named James Brant, IV, affectionately known to everyone as "Quad", was born on Thursday, July 13, 2006, at 7:45am to his proud parents, Pastor James Brant, III and Lady Alneshia Brant. Born with many medical complications, Quad's parents never considered him a child with a "disability", but rather a child having "a different ability." He, along with his parents, were affiliated with the Families of HoPE, Inc., an organization formed to address the needs and awareness of families and children diagnosed with holoprosencephaly (HPE). His unbelievably jubilant heart, along with his infectious and contagious laugh and smile, was indeed his distinct trademark.

Quad was educated in the Duval County Public School System and was attending the Mount Herman Exceptional Student Center where he attended since kindergarten and would be entering his senior year this fall. He was always known for his "swagged-out dress game" which mainly consisted of Ralph Lauren Polo, Jordans, and Nike. He was awarded "Best Dressed" at his school numerous times and had taken the attention of nearly all the staff and personnel of the school.

In addition to school, church was one of his favorite places to be and being in the presence of God brought such an excitement to him. More recently, because of sickness and hospitalizations, Quad was not always able to get to the worship place. However, he would still be in worship watching online with the same excitement as if he was present in the sanctuary.

Quad was an avid watcher of the television show, "Tyler Perry's Meet the Brown's", which was the only show he would watch from sun-up until sundown. Mr. Brown was without a doubt his favorite character. All those who came to see Quad would have to watch because the channel of his television never changed.

Quad, throughout his life, displayed remarkable resilience and strength. Although multiple hospitalizations, surgeries, numerous daily medications, etc., he remained faithful to this fight with a smile and a sense of humor.

"And a time to die..."

On Sunday, July 23rd, Quad was called home to rest and departed this life to live with the Lord forever. Preceding him in death: his grandfather; Bishop James Brant, Jr., aka "Papa", his grandmother; Lady Vanessa Polite, his great grandparents; James Brant, Sr., and Thelma Louise Brant, and two uncles, Randy Polite and William Lamar Brant, aka "Uncle-Daddy". He leaves to celebrate all his precious moments and memories: his parents, James and Alneshia Brant, his uncles and aunts; Alfonso Respess (Ashley), Jackie, Jerry (Dishan), Daniel, David (Ciara), Steven (Jessica), Jerome, and Ray, his grandmother; Dr. Denise Brant, his grandfather; Bishop Alphonso Polite; special aunts, Kanya Ferrell and Janiece Henry-Wilson; special God-parent; Bishop Joseph Edge (India) and Shadreika Lane-Hill (Alex), and a host of cousins, family and friends from far and near.

HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 | 11:00AM

Pastor Leo R. Stoney, Celebration Presider

| Processional/Parting View | |
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| Closing/Farewell | His Favorite Song, Alpha & Omega |
| Selections | The Celebration Voices |
| Invocation | |
| Reading of the Holy Scriptures Old Testament New Testament | |
| Selection | The Celebration Voices |
| Wolfson Children's Hospital VP of Medical Affairs Mount Herman Exceptional Student Center UF Health Pediatric Outpatient Rehabilitation PedsCare/Community Hospice Special Video Tribute | Lady Michella Daniel In Lady Michella Daniel |
| Selection | |
| Words of Encouragement(2 mir | nutes please)Apostle Lillie Tuggerson Bishop Ervin A. Jones, III Bishop Lewis Williams & Dr. Bernadette Williams Apostle Willie R. Mincey, Jr. |
| Special Thanks & Reflections | |
| Acknowledgements & Resolutions | Lady Vanessa Dubois |
| Selection | The Celebration Voices |
| Words of Comfort | Bishop Joseph R. Edge |
| Recessional | |