



## La'Naya "Nana" Michelle Simmons

February 10, 2022 - April 9, 2023

La'Naya "Nana" Michelle Simmons, age 1 year 2 months, was taken into the arms of God on Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023. She was born on February 10, 2022 in Chicago, the daughter of Darrell Simmons and Lakasha Rover.

La'Naya was a sweet and happy baby who always had a smile on her face. She loved her pacifier. She also loved to play, shake her head "no", and kick her feet. She was loved by her family and will be missed by her four brothers. "Words are not enough to express the unconditional love that exists between a mother and a daughter."

La'Naya is survived by her mother, Lakasha Rover; four brothers, LaTrell Davis, La'Mari Walker, LaRell Simmons, and her twin LaQuinne Simmons; her grandpa, Sammie Rover; two grandmothers, Theresa Dunlap and Krisiti Rover; five aunts, Shermell Shaw, Tyesha Johnson, Quanesha Rover, Deshia Rover, and Kennedy Williams; three great aunts, Linda Ellis, Toni Petty, and Anita Faye Thomas; and her great grandmother, Mary Ellis.

She was preceded in death by her father, Darrell Simmons.

Visitation will be held from 11:00 AM until the time of the 12:00 Noon funeral service on Thursday, April 20, 2023 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. Her grandpa, Pastor Sammie Rover, will officiate the service. Cremation rites will be accorded following the services.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **20**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

APR **20**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Katie Chigaros Martinez-Axe lit a candle in memory of La'Naya "Nana" Michelle Simmons* ”



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**Katie Chigaros Martinez-Axe** - April 14, 2023 at 05:57 PM



“ *Kathleen Martinez-Axe lit a candle in memory of La'Naya "Nana" Michelle Simmons* ”



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**Kathleen Martinez-Axe** - April 14, 2023 at 05:55 PM