



Mr. Marvell McCoy

April 15, 1970 - February 12, 2026

Marvell McCoy, 55, of Peoria, departed this life on February 12, 2026, at his residence. Marvell was born on April 15, 1970, in Chicago, IL to Maze Walker and Bernice McCoy. Marvell lived most of his life in Chicago before relocating to Peoria.

Marvell met Tanoya Alexander, and in their union birthed Lyrah Alexander (19). Unfortunately, on February 12th, Marvell's untimely demise occurred while being in a long-term relationship with Latillery Thompson.

In 2016, Marvell graduated from a job partnership program. Shortly after, he was employed with a cleaning company working as maintenance personnel. Also, Marvell often helped friends complete home remodeling projects.

Marvell found pleasure in doing various yard tasks and repairing things in the household. He also enjoyed spending time fishing. There were times you could even find Marvell in the kitchen enjoying cooking. His favorite color was red, and he took fashion very seriously. He was passionate about dressing well from head to toe.

Most importantly, what mattered to Marvell were the special moments created and the time spent with his daughter, Lyrah. Rest in Peace Marvell a.k.a Poon, a.k.a Cicero.

Marvell leaves to cherish his precious memory: His mother: Bernice McCoy of Chicago; one daughter: Lyrah Alexander of Peoria; one brother Frank (Keyonna) Jackson of Chicago; one sister: Elaine Jackson of Chicago; two nephews: Legend Jackson and Tyler Jackson of Chicago; a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends who will miss him dearly.

Marvell was preceded in death by his father Maze Walker, who passed when Marvell was a young child.

A Celebration of Life Service will take place on Friday, February 27, 2026, at T.W. Parks Colonial Chapel (201 N. Mac Arthur Hwy Peoria, IL 61605) at 2:00 p.m. with visitation commencing one hour prior at 1:00 p.m. Pastor Linda Butler will present the eulogy.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

T W Parks Colonial Chapel
201 N. Macarthur Hwy.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-6323
<http://www.twparkscolonialchapel.com>

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *RIP My Nephew Marvell McCoy*
Prayers to your Mom and Family



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