

# Obituary of Little Miss Arielle Skye McFadden

Little Miss Arielle Skye McFadden was born January 7, 2026, to Kourtney Rochelle McFadden and Josiah Pierre. Arielle resided with her mother where she thrived. Even though Arielle's time here was short, she knew what she liked: watching basketball, getting baths, listening to music, eating and sleeping; and what she didn't like: diaper changes, lying on her back, being cold, her car seat, getting her hair combed and being swaddled.

Arielle was wise for her age and was very alert. Arielle was able to lift her head up, roll over, sit up on her own, babble (say/know her name), scoot, hold her bottle, loved listening to Michael Jackson, but most importantly, Arielle knew she was loved unconditionally.

Arielle leaves to cherish her memory: her mother, Kourtney R. McFadden, dad, Josiah Pierre; one brother, Jiah T. Pierre; two aunts, Leah S. Pierre and Jasmyne James; two uncles, Corey M. McFadden Jr. and Justin James; grandparents, Quincia L. Boyd ( Johnny Burch), Corey M. (Bunesiha) McFadden Sr., Sharon E. Brown (Thomas) Draper-Pierre and Edson Pierre; great-grandparent, Charles McFadden; god-parents, Ari Hill and Khalil Catlin; and a host of cousins and other relatives.

Arielle was preceded in death by her great-grandparents, Janie Moore and Everlena and Willie Boyd; great uncle, Stanley Elam; and uncle, Quinton L. Boyd.

## Memories



## Order of Service

- Prelude
- Processional
- Scripture Readings.....Dr. Brenda B. Branic  
Old Testament – Psalm 121  
New Testament – John 14:1-6
- Prayer.....Reverend Johnny Ray Noble, Ph.D.
- Selection.....Pastor Nick Wilson
- Remarks.....Ms. Earnestine Brown
- Silent Reading of Obituary.....“Yesterday”  
Selection
- Words of Comfort....Reverend Johnny Ray Noble, Ph.D.
- Committal and Benediction
- Recessional
- Postlude



**Interment**  
*Cotton Cemetery  
Covington, Tennessee*

## Acknowledgement

We, the family of Little Miss Arielle Skye McFadden, would like to thank each of you for your prayers, love, and support during the passing of our loved one. May God bless each of you in a very special way.

# Tributes

To Arielle, January 7, 2026 at 5:46 pm, we became inseparable. It's like we were made for each other. You give me peace. You give me strength. You helped me become the woman I am today. You pushed me to do better for us. Being your mommy is my biggest blessing.

You're smart, you're strong, you're bubbly, you're beautiful and you're an angel. Waking up to you every morning is what I always looked forward to. You wake up with the most beautiful smile. I had so many things planned for you to do and experience. I had your first birthday planned, your first Halloween costume and what we were going to do for your first Christmas. I had things planned for us to continue to make more memories, but the memories we made will forever be cherished. I will forever miss your gummy smile. I will forever miss our talks. I will forever miss us watching basketball. I will forever miss your love. I will forever miss our physical bond. I will forever miss how you made everyone happy. Arielle Skye McFadden. My little baby. My little sunshine. My twin. My pretty girl. I love you to the moon and back. You will always be in my mind and in my heart.

Love, Mommy

It's hard to put into words what Arielle meant to me. I was blessed to know her even before she entered the world, and from the very beginning, she was special. She had a way of bringing joy and making you smile without trying. I would sit and talk to her like she understood everything, and somehow, it felt like she did. Her expressions, her curiosity, and her strong spirit made her unforgettable. I've never met a baby like her. She was truly a pure angel. Though her time was short, her impact will last forever. Rest in divine peace, Arielle, your light lives on in our hearts.

Khalil (Godfather)

Our most precious Arielle, From the time of your conception, you were loved!! With every conversation, we were amazed by how alert you were. The sparkle in your eyes and your radiant smile would illuminate any room and brighten any situation. You reminded us so much of your great-grandmother, Everlena. You are: Angelic, Regal, Innocent(incredible), Energetic, Lively, Loved, Effervescent Your presence will be greatly missed, but you will be loved forever!!!

Great aunts and uncles

You meet grief without introduction, and suddenly, the familiar rhythm of your days is broken by an overwhelming silence. Arielle was the light of our lives by giving us renewed life when she entered this world. She was a joy to watch and inquisitive, too. She made it her business to examine every inch of the room. Grandpa said she was nosy like her mother, but in hindsight, it was her making sure our surroundings were safe. She's our Angel now, watching from above.

The smallest feet left the biggest footprints in our hearts  
-Love Nana


Success has no time limit, and the ability to teach a lesson has no age limit. Arielle taught me how to open my heart and allow myself to be vulnerable. I truly believe Arielle came here to teach all of us that life is short and not to take it for granted. Grandpa will never take anything for granted again as long as I can. You were my angel already before you got your wings  
-Love Grandpa

Arielle (Beautiful Bean) The moment I found out that you were the angel who God created to make me a grandmother (GiGi), I started making future plans for us. I had the pleasure of being right there when entered the world. I actually saw you before your mother did and was allowed to cut your umbilical cord. Arielle, you entered this world with eyes wide open, observing your surroundings. It was at that moment that I said, "She is a different baby." Arielle, you hit milestones beyond comprehension. You held your head up on your own within two weeks of being born, and could sit in one of your toys without assistance by the time you were two months old. I watched you scoot across a bed and stand up while being held. The things you were able to do at two months were mind blowing. God really sent us an angel. One of my close friends made a profound statement to me: You've always told me how advanced Arielle is; she may have been too perfect for this world. Arielle, Kourtney was so proud to be your mother. Every day I watched her love and dote on you. I would listen to you two go back and forth with her talking to you and you babbling (talking) back to her. You two had a beautiful and amazing bond. My memories of you two together will always be in my heart.

Arielle, rest well with your  
Uncle Quinton!  
-Love GiGi

CONTACT US:  
Taylor Street Chapel  
803-778-7799  
Lower Richland Chapel  
803-776-6922  
WWW.LEEVY.COM  
I. S. Leevy Johnson  
Owner

Services Entrusted to  
**Leevy's**  
Chris Leevy Johnson  
Managing Director

JOIN THE ONLINE REGISTRY  
  
Laverette A. Williams, II  
General Manager

# Homegoing Service In Loving Memory of

LITTLE MISS ARIELLE SKYE MCFADDEN



SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2026  
2:00 P.M.

SECOND NAZARETH BAPTIST CHURCH  
2300 ELMWOOD AVENUE  
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

REVEREND JOHNNY RAY NOBLE, PH.D.  
-PASTOR-