



Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"

February 3, 1965 - September 24, 2019

UTICA - Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B", age 54, passed away unexpectedly and went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, September 24, 2019.

Born in Utica on February 3, 1965, Bryson was the son of the late Chester "Chet" LaFrance Jones and Evelyn "Lady E" Bush Stenson. He also knew the love and guidance of his pop's, the Rev. Johnny Stenson who taught him the importance of the virtues of responsibility, respect, and how to be a man. As a legendary D.J., Bryson was blessed with the musical talents he inherited from his mom. Raised and educated locally, he was a graduate of Utica Free Academy and in more recent years attended MVCC. He continued his education because he always wanted to have knowledge at his disposal. A man bestowed with a big heart, "Big B" loved, has been loved, and was a father figure to many. He was a good and protective partner to his love Shimeen Nicole Bell.

Because of his love of music and his bright, original style, Bryson found his vocation as a self-employed D.J. working at nightclubs, weddings, "Sweet16" parties, and any other occasions that would be supercharged by the songs and sounds that "Big B" brought to the celebrations. He could satisfy and rock a crowd! He was iconic, effortless, flawless, and magical in his performances. He was humble of heart and had his act together. He was also a D.J. at Utica Phoenix Radio 95.5/FM where he worked as a technical engineer, sound man, and background and support man but his two time slots were legendary. He was truly passionate and devoted during his 40 years in the profession and he

exited this world on the top of his game. Music was his life, and it brought everything together for him. He loved many genres and was well-versed when he prepared for a “gig”. If you were in attendance, you always got his best because “Big B” healed hearts and brought out the best in others. Social, outgoing, and a “jokester by nature”, his personality was his “calling card”. His aura was amazing, generating good vibes and a charisma that touched so many souls. He was renowned and larger than life.

Bryson was blessed with a mom who taught him the perfect balance of love and compassion, yet she corrected his actions if they were awry, and only a few words or a look served to straighten out the situation. As a loving son, he worked hard to emulate her. She made her son feel secure, and her grandchildren as well. As a single dad, Bryson raised two sons, by his side, and as a parent, he made sure that they showed respect. He supported their decisions, suggested alternative choices when necessary, and gave them approval of their goals which meant the world to his boys. He treasured the day-to-day memories of them, including “hoop on the door with a sock as the ball”, Saturday morning cartoons, and the famous egg melts he made for them, memories that will remain a part of their hearts forever. As a grandpa, he gave his grandbabies his time and his love, showed them fun times and sleepovers, and made great memories for them, filled with affection.

“Big B” loved the majesty of nature and the outdoors and was amazed by the interesting nuggets of knowledge he picked up from programs on the Animal Planet station and the Science Channel. He played basketball at church leagues, Steuben Park, James and Steuben Street, Quinn’s Playground, and Martin Luther King School, “Rock Creek”. Children looked to “Big B” as a big brother, a father, and a friend. He fulfilled that role and picked up the moral responsibility of a paternal role model, and he did it well. Many years ago, he recorded a song entitled, “Get Up and Get a Job!” As a radio station personality, he was able to advertise the website he created with live stream capability so his fans would be able to access his time slot. It was a rewarding accomplishment achieved through his efforts, promotional skills, and

technological talent. After his mom's passing, Bryson embraced a personal spirituality and found solace and support in the Cornerstone Plymouth Church. Through his music and positive mindset, he made family occasions special. Bryson was a lifelong member of St. Paul's Baptist Church. He had a great love for the Lord and believed in the power of prayer. As the patriarch of his family, he carried out his responsibilities with good will and grace.

Bryson was blessed to be the father of six children. His two sons that he raised and the partners they have now chosen, Bryson Vickery and Robin Archer, and Trevor Collins and Vanessa Bray; and Alyssa, Ali, Kwame, and Chris. He also leaves numerous grandchildren, including Trevayah Collins, Khloé Collins, Rehema Archer, and Rarity Vickery; his Pops, the Rev. Johnny Stenson; his siblings and their loves, Leona Pollard, Delores Collins and Willie "Woodrow", Fredrick "Fred" Collins, Pamela "Pam" Collins, Cheryl and Bill Norris, Celeste Collins, Kevin and Daretta Collins, and Ray, and Steve; his partner in life, Shimeen Nicole Bell and her son Jayden; three men that he considered his additional sons, Jamel Davis, Jesus Roman, and Raymond Roman; step-daughter, Marissa Green; a host of nieces including, Shannon, Sabrina, Alicia, Tiffany, Tameka, Linia, Evelyn, Brittany, Kayla, Cherise, Dezerae, Jalisa, Delores, Shakeema, and Tamara; and a host of nephews including, Alex, James, Ian, Dorian, Charles, DaVaughn, Dorell, Fredric, Kristopher, Richard, Mario, and Kevin, Jr.; great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, aunts, especially Sheila J. Bush Burns, and uncles. "Big B" had many wonderful friends, but it would be remiss if the following were not mentioned: Mike Johnson, Mark McKenzie, Jerome McKinsey, Mark "G" Brooks, Reese Vines, Cassandra Harris-Lockwood, and his co-workers at the Radio Station. He was predeceased by his aunt, Geraldine Davis.

The family wishes to thank the many friends, associates, and the community at large, especially those of the Utica Phoenix/95.5 FM the Heat, for the outpouring of love and support.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 4:00 – 6:00 at Cornerstone

Community Church, 500 Plant St., Utica. Big B's Home Going Service and Celebration of Life will commence on Wednesday at 6:00 at the church immediately upon the conclusion of visitation. Interment will take place in New Forest Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

"Music gives a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and life to everything".

...Plato

"The Family of Bryson K. Collins 'aka' DJ BIG B"

With A Special Thanks from

Bryson Vickery & Trevor Collins

There are not enough words to truly express how thankful we are for ALL the love, kindness, respect, and sympathy that was extended to us at Bryson's K Collins "Celebration of Life"

service. Thank you ALL for taking the time to attend, traveling both far and wide. It will always be remembered, and our hearts are filled with gratitude.

To Reverend Mike and Reverend Clark...Thank you for your counsel, guidance, wisdom support, and use of the church facilities. Thank you for your thoughtful and meaningful words spoken during the eulogy and sermon at Bryson's "Celebration of Life" service. You brought light and comfort to our family and friends.

To Eannace Funeral Home...We were blessed to have you as our funeral Director. Thank you for helping us through the process from beginning to end. Thank you for your patience, taking our numerous calls, and addressing all our needs. A special thank you for going above and beyond to accommodate us. We could not have done it without you.

To Cassandra Harris...Thank you for the beautiful eulogy and the wonderful announcement of the newly named "Big B Studios" in dedication to Bryson. It means more to us than you'll ever know.

To the Choir, thank you for the beautiful and inspirational songs. Every selection was anointed and heartfelt. To the musicians, ushers, pallbearers,

food preparers, and volunteers, thank you so much for your support. A special thanks to Kayla, Cherise, and Jalisa for taking the initiative to maintain order during the service.

A heartfelt thank you to Mark McKenzie and Mike Johnson for your contributions in honor of 'Big B'. You were so very special to him along with his many other friends.

We appreciate ALL of the memories that were shared, the flowers, cards, meals, visits, and phone calls from everyone.

Your support was appreciated beyond words. Our hearts are forever warmed. With Love..... "THE FAMILY"

"Every life is noted and is cherished.....
and nothing loved is ever lost or perished."

Cemetery Details

New Forest Cemetery at the convenience of the family

2001 Oneida Street
Utica, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Cornerstone Community Church
500 Plant Street
Utica, NY 13501

Funeral Service

OCT 2. 6:00 PM (ET)

Cornerstone Community Church
500 Plant Street
Utica, NY 13501

Tribute Wall

WH

“ How did I not know this? I was just speaking to a mutual friend about the time I got too much of a buzz on and was on my way walking home because Lord knows I had no business driving, and as I staggered, I hear this dance music and the longer I walked, the louder it got until Bryson apparently noticed the shape I was in and stopped the music and called me over. He had a couple of women in the crowd, give me time, attention and even prayer because I told them that I just experienced a great loss in my own life.... and had many other issues going on at the same time so I went out drinking that evening to forget... **BIG MISTAKE!** Long story short, once I sobered up by dancing and enjoying the kindnesses I was shown, I realized that I knew Bryson. We had gone to school together from Miller School to UFA and grew up only a couple of streets apart. I never drank again after that day. I never say, "Rest In Peace" when people pass on from this life. I say, "See you in Heaven one day, Bryson." You play the music and we'll all dance!

Wendy (Perry) Harding - March 15, 2022 at 08:37 PM

MP

“ I still miss him every single day rest easy up there DJ Big B and take care of my mom for me up there you were an amazing friend and an easy person to talk too when I was feeling down



Miranda Perham - March 21, 2021 at 12:47 AM

DC

“ We do all the way back to UFA. Bryson was a good & cool Brotha. We shared a love for music. If I didn't have it I knew DJ Collins would. My condolences to his family & friends. R.I.P. Brotha.

Donald Curry - February 03, 2020 at 05:13 PM

M(

“ Marques Elliott (Geese) lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Marques Elliott (Geese) - October 21, 2019 at 03:48 PM

TL

“ T Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



T Lewis - October 08, 2019 at 05:51 PM



“ Sending Prayers & Love To the family of "BIG B"

"BIG B" Had nothng but love and admiration for the Pioneers of Hip Hop And i personally enjoyed meeting B and sharing the stage with him as well !!!



G Robinson - October 04, 2019 at 09:48 AM

BC

“ Our deepest sympathies during your time of loss, our thoughts/prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Beretta USA Corp.



Beretta USA Corp. - October 03, 2019 at 01:04 PM

GM

“ Praying for the love and peace of God's to guard your hearts during this time of transition for Bryson. to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord.



Gary Mims - October 03, 2019 at 09:13 AM

LC

“ Our sincere condolences to the entire family, friends and family listeners.



L. Carretero - October 03, 2019 at 12:19 AM

RJ

“ My condolences to the family and love ones. Bryson was a lifelong friend, mentor, and brother.



Robert "Bobbo" Wells Jr - October 02, 2019 at 06:45 PM

GE

“ *GE lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



GE - October 02, 2019 at 11:26 AM

~F

“ *~Mark, Katrina and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B".*



~Mark, Katrina and family - October 02, 2019 at 11:08 AM

RB

“ *My deepest condolences to the family of Bryson. He was a great DJ, but more importantly, a great man! R.I.P Big B*

Ren Bryant - October 02, 2019 at 09:39 AM

JU

“ Sending prayers of comfort and peace to all family, friends and loved ones that have been effected, including myself, by this unfortunate and unexpected passing, as only God knows how. You've put nothing less than smiles on people's faces you've encountered along the way with your gift of music from generation to generation and genuine spirit. You would always tell me you've been spinning records for so long it's funny how my mother was pregnant with me dancing to your music, so it was no surprise I came out dancing. You were and will always unforgettably be an icon in our community. This is undeniably a difficult time felt by Utica right now. You are considered family by many and loved by all. Praying God gives us all strength to get through this one. Peace and blessings



Justina - October 02, 2019 at 08:17 AM

TB

“ Tanya Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Tanya Bryant - October 02, 2019 at 01:47 AM

TB

“ With Deepest Heart Loving Memories of The World Greatest Friend Dj all THE Above that have touch the impact and lives of so so many people world wide Gone but not Forgotten My Prayers Are And Will go Out To The Family Of Bryson Collins Dj Big B and Family in This Alex Pollard Jr. * Family, & All Djays

Tanya Bryant - October 02, 2019 at 01:40 AM

AC

“ Anthony Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Anthony Carter - October 01, 2019 at 05:39 PM

MH

“ What a legacy to leave behind. A legacy of laughter, light, music and DANCING. Who's not happy when their dancing? What a gift. Rest is paradise.

Monique J. Heyward - October 01, 2019 at 05:29 PM

KA

“ My condolences go out to Shimeen and Jayden and to the rest of the family! Praying for you all during this most difficult time! RIP Big B



Kathy Appleton - October 01, 2019 at 09:06 AM

RL

“ Roseanna Locorini lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Roseanna Locorini - October 01, 2019 at 07:57 AM

AM

“ Aaron Reed Montanez lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Aaron Reed Montanez - October 01, 2019 at 02:58 AM

VB

“ Valarie (Cubbage) Blackshear lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"




Valarie (Cubbage) Blackshear - October 01, 2019 at 02:37 AM

ML

“ Michele Leuthauser lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Michele Leuthauser - October 01, 2019 at 12:21 AM

 Nicole Harris

“ Me and my sister Denise have many good childhood memories. Praying for strength for the family.



Nicole Harris - September 30, 2019 at 11:07 AM

LP

“ Lynn Pugliese lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Lynn pugliese - September 30, 2019 at 03:01 AM

LE

“ Peace and Love to the family for this is what Big-B shared with all of us was Peace and Love.

Louis X Elliott - September 30, 2019 at 02:25 AM

TB

“ Tanya Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Tanya Bryant - September 29, 2019 at 11:25 PM

TB

“ My Deepest sympathy and heart felt feelings & prayers and Strength im sending out to Family & friends Of Bryson Collins DJ Big B it has been an honor and Pleasure for the time and impact you have played upon my life still shocking on this seem so unreal because i just seen u on July 26 2019 you did a Welcome Home Party for me @ My Request of You along with Family & Friends who ever to come out on this day to Celebrate with me and You did your thing just like He said he would I had A Blast @ New HARTFORD Town Park Words just cant exspress how i feel & Prior to I am Resident in New Jersey I would always tune on the radio show let you know im on And you give me Shout outs over the air and really touch me and made my day I will never forget you You have Gained Your Angel Wings God said Well done My Good & Faithful Servant keep Rocking on High @ The HEAVENLY Gates Rest Easy My Friend I Call You Family Never will forget U Bryson DJ Big B And Prayers & Strength to Family & Friends in this Time May God be With All of U

Yours Truly Tanya Bryant

In this Alex Pollard jr and Family & All Djays



Tanya Bryant - September 29, 2019 at 11:15 PM

MR

“ R.i.p big B my brother may you be watching over us now you will never be forgotten nor replaced you was one of a kind your talent was unreal and the smile and laughter that you put on many faces will never be forgotten we all love you may you be at peace in paradise now rest my brother my friend love alway and forever maria



Maria roland - September 29, 2019 at 10:16 PM

CS

“ *Deepest condolence to the Collins family. You will truly be missed. Yr friends Ronald Tarver Sr. and Christine Smith*



christine smith - September 29, 2019 at 08:46 PM

RW

“ *Bryson will truly be missed not only was he an excellent DJ. But he has been my friend for many many years you will truly be missed!! My prayers to your family!! Rosie*



Rosie Wynder - September 29, 2019 at 08:22 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to Big B's family ..I'm so sorry chuck*

Irene Luckina - September 29, 2019 at 08:08 PM

DT

“ WOW still hard to believe this has happened. I remember in 2013/2014 somewhere during that time - I was going to take some time off from DJing due to a death at another DJ event. Wasnt my event but just knowing the situation kind of caused me to want to quit for a while. Beside that I had separated from my now X-wife so I was feeling kind of down. Bryson got at me and said him and a few other DJ's wanted to do a few events and he would like for me to join them. His exact words were "You're too much of a good DJ to quit". So we met at Denny's here in Rome - Me, Bryson, JMC, and DJ Crush. Bryson was always bringing DJ's together and his love for music was extraordinary. Bryson aka "DJ Big B" was Utica and his legacy will always be remembered. I'm glad that we got to have our last event together July 6th, got a chance to talk and we were looking forward to getting together for a few future things. I can go on for days but in closing, RIP my dude - You will be missed. 1 love.



DJ Tone - September 29, 2019 at 07:34 PM

SN

“ Serena Northern lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Serena Northern - September 29, 2019 at 06:28 PM

VG

“ My condolences to the family, go way back to Miller school, Kemble school and UFA, was the center of attention, will miss running into him on my visits home, he always said something silly to make me laugh,



Vivian Tucker - Atlanta Ga - September 29, 2019 at 06:27 PM

JS

“ R.I.P. BIG B NEVER BE FOR GOTTEN

JODY SHINGLER



Jody Shingler - September 29, 2019 at 04:40 PM

IA

“ May your light shine brighter beyond this life as an inspiration to us here below. We are forever in memory to you thru song and dance bringing Good times in our life. Healing and comforting engery to all family and friends.



Ilesha Alpheaus - September 29, 2019 at 01:35 PM

BB

“ Much love Big B ,We all love and miss you Bryson💙🙏315



Bobby Bounce - September 29, 2019 at 01:04 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B".*



September 29, 2019 at 11:47 AM



“ *Life is so funny, how someone outta nowhere just comes into your life. For a season. Well, how long is a season? I have no idea. You know when this person is there to mentor you in Love that they had, and show compassion in a love that you have, and helps you rekindle the love that you had years ago. Walking side by side with you there, getting you almost to a point where u would love to be. There at every bekon call, assisting you teaching, explaining, sharing his knowledge to you and in that season having such such such a friendship, and POOF, its gone from the physical world and enters into the Spiritual word, never to be gone, or forgotten .DJ BIG B, MY MUSIC SEDOSHI, GAVE ME THE TOOLS MENTALLY, AND INSPIRATION TO GET BACK INTO WHAT I USED TO DO YEARS AGO, WHICH WAS DJ. He would always say ON Hot lunch Mix. My man DT, AND I DON'T MEAN DETECTIVE. i WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER YOU, AND I JUST WANT TO SAY THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING. iN CLOSING, THE NIGHT BEFORE Big B's passing he was at my house, for a few hours helping me on the computer, we ate had a beverage or two and he performed on my equipment better than I have even seen him. even when on the radio, We broke bread, laughed talked, It was like in Jesus's time, The LAST SUPPER. LAST TIME I SAW MY FRIEND, AND MENTOR. R I P+++++++ My BROTHER FOR YOU SET UTICA AS FAR AS MUSIC, ON THE MAP.*



Dwight Tullis - September 29, 2019 at 10:41 AM

 Olivia Jones

“ *Olivia Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Olivia Jones - September 29, 2019 at 10:03 AM

MB

“ *Prayers and condolences to the Collins family and fond childhood memories from the Blackshear family, may you Rest In Peace*

Mary Blackshear - September 29, 2019 at 09:16 AM

RS

Wow this one really hurts not knowing if we were actually related by blood but we where in God's eye ur music will liv on in all of us for years to come rest n the UTI's heaven's bruh definitely gone way to soon but never ever will u be forgotten by any of us family friends or foe till we meet again homie 4life my brother from another mother muc lov

Ronald I Collins sr - September 29, 2019 at 10:12 AM

PW

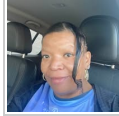
Rest In Peace my Dear Bryson.

Peg Waterman - September 29, 2019 at 10:40 AM



SPECIALPRAYERS TO YOUR FAMILY AND YOUR FRIENDS AMEN++++++

Dwight Tullis - September 29, 2019 at 10:43 AM



I REMEMBER WHEN YOU WAS ON WMODLIVE AND ME AND FRESH WOULD MAKE REQUESTS AND YOU WOULD BLEND IT AFTER PLAYING INDIVIDUALLY AND SAY IT'S A BATTLE MUCH LOVE ALWAYS AND FOREVER!!!

Alisa D. Johnson - September 30, 2019 at 11:09 PM

CG

“ Christine Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



christine green - September 29, 2019 at 07:19 AM

SS

“ Sheila Story lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Sheila Story - September 29, 2019 at 06:42 AM

KS

“ Bryson you were more than a friend . You were a wonderful person inside and out you made me a part of your family thank you I'm ok knowing your with you mom and my gramma eating yellow cake and frosting it was your favorite I'm going to miss all our times together Live and miss you like crazy



Karen Sterusky - September 29, 2019 at 06:35 AM

TK

“ RI.P BRYSON YOU WILL BE MISSED I WILL SEE U ONE DAY KEEP THE MUSIC GOING IN HEAVEN. YOU KNOW I LOVE TO DANCE TO YOUR SOUND SO I'LL MAKE SURE I HAVE MY DANCING SHOES READY WHEN I GET THERE. Will ALWAYS LOVE AND MISS YOU BRYSON. PRAYERS GOING UP FOR THE COLLINS FAMILY. U WILL BE MISSED ALWAYS YOU WILL FORVER BE IN MY HEART SOUL N MIND MY DEAR FRIEND.



Tabatha kinard - September 29, 2019 at 05:58 AM

EE

“ Ebony Ellis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Ebony ellis - September 29, 2019 at 02:48 AM



You will be truly missed DJ Big B Swayyy play that piano. My Condolences to his family blessings love Heavenly Prayers Uplifted Sweetheart ❤️👊🏿🎵🎶🎤👉

Mini Mini Solomon - September 29, 2019 at 03:49 AM



My Condolences to his family blessings and friends stay strong within these difficult circumstances peace out DJ Big B 🙌🏿🎵🎶❤️ from my family Mignonne Solomon aka mini mini Solomon 🙏🏿🎤

Mini Mini Solomon - September 29, 2019 at 03:52 AM

JB

“ R.I.P. Big B you will always be our #1 DJ..
My condolences to your family.



Joni Bartlow - September 29, 2019 at 12:55 AM

AB

“ Big B! There are so many memories of you from my youth all the way to my adulthood. Everytime I hear certain songs it brings me back to a place where you were the DJing; West Street Festival, Club Broadway's., Djing for SUNY Morrisville reunion, and even helping with the music for DIVA Nation, you were a true pioneer in our city. Rest my brother and do it in peace. Sending love and light to the family and friends.

Alberta Bell - September 28, 2019 at 11:45 PM

LY

“ Laura Felton Yager lit a candle in memory of
Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



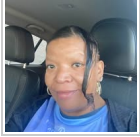
Laura Felton Yager - September 28, 2019 at 10:40 PM

RN

“ Deepest condolences too the entire
family...God Bless you all , You will missed
Big B!



Rochelle Moore - Nichols - September 28, 2019 at 10:06 PM



“ *Alisa D. Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Alisa D. Johnson - September 28, 2019 at 09:31 PM



“ *My family and I send our deepest condolences to the family of Bryson.*

*Keith (Bookie) Bowens and Family
Akron, Ohio*

Keith (Bookie) Bowens - September 28, 2019 at 09:19 PM



“ *Dorothy Holloway lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Dorothy Holloway - September 28, 2019 at 09:15 PM



“ *Darlene Branch lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Darlene Branch - September 28, 2019 at 08:55 PM



“ *May u rest in peace Bryson. Prayers and condolences to the family*

Tina Silano - September 28, 2019 at 08:39 PM

JO

“ *May you RIP Bryson. My condolences to the family.*



Joyce - September 28, 2019 at 07:58 PM

WF

“ *You will be missed dearly your love and smile was infectious genuine we want to thank you for all you've done. You've made my sister birthday cd's last minute with no hesitation helped show us how to work those electronics for her to play rest on brother see you in the morning on the other side.* ❤️❤️❤️😭😭😭😭🙏🙏🙏🙏👑💕💪



Workman family - September 28, 2019 at 07:53 PM

RK

“ *Raintree Kinard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Raintree Kinard - September 28, 2019 at 07:51 PM

CW

“ *Carolina Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



carolina williams - September 28, 2019 at 07:42 PM

KM

“ *Kesha Murrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Kesha Murrell - September 28, 2019 at 07:33 PM

RL

RIP bryson and sincere condolences to your family..sip.god received another 🙏

Ruthie liggins - October 02, 2019 at 12:54 PM

Mioshi
Cromwell

“ *Mioshi Cromwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Mioshi Cromwell - September 28, 2019 at 07:26 PM

DP

“ Bryson, you have surely left your mark on everyone who was blessed to have been in your life. Your love and commintment's to your family, friends, and community, will be remembered for decades to come. Rest easy, bro, rest easy. You have definitely earned your wings. 🤍🙏🤍

Deborah Parrish-Montanez - September 28, 2019 at 07:24 PM

DP

“ Deborah Parrish-Montanez lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Deborah Parrish-Montanez - September 28, 2019 at 07:17 PM

DP

“ Deborah Parrish-Montanez sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Deborah Parrish-Montanez - September 28, 2019 at 07:17 PM



“ Donna Jean sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Donna Jean - September 28, 2019 at 07:01 PM



“ *Donna Jean lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Donna Jean - September 28, 2019 at 07:00 PM



“ *Melanie Pierce lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Melanie Pierce - September 28, 2019 at 06:37 PM



“ *Irma Quinones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Irma Quinones - September 28, 2019 at 06:33 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to the family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all! Sleep well my long time friend 🙏🏻😊*



Sherisse Wells - September 28, 2019 at 06:14 PM

GB

“ Gail Banks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Gail Banks - September 28, 2019 at 06:06 PM

BF

“ Brenda Fudge lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Brenda Fudge - September 28, 2019 at 06:03 PM

KW

Our deepest condolences to the family. We are thinking and praying Gods comfort during this difficult time 🙏 we will keep the memories of Bryson BIG B Collins in our hearts ❤️ Keith & Angela Webb, Memphis Tn

keith webb - September 28, 2019 at 06:35 PM

LJ

“ I am still in disbelief that you're gone I am lost at words may God comfort your family during this difficult time you have gained your wings fly high my child hood friend may you rest in peace

Lisa A Jenkins - September 28, 2019 at 06:03 PM

SH

“ *Sheila Holliman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Sheila Holliman - September 28, 2019 at 05:43 PM


Michelle Marie

“ *Michelle Marie lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



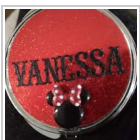
Michelle Marie - September 28, 2019 at 05:40 PM

SH

“ *R.I.P to a good kindhearted guy ima gonna missed u so much Bryson Collins.Hes is a loving fun guy sleep easy my friend.*



Shirell - September 28, 2019 at 05:35 PM



“ *Vanessa Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Vanessa Jones - September 28, 2019 at 05:27 PM

LD

“ *Lori Denmark lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Lori Denmark - September 28, 2019 at 04:13 PM

Tonya Smith

“ *Tonya Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Tonya Smith - September 28, 2019 at 01:21 PM

Tee Marie

“ *You will definitely be missed Bryson.. Over 30 yrs of knowing you.. So many memories, laughs and cherishable moments. Such a memorable dj amongst our 315 community , great uplifting father and fun full of life friend. Sending my prayers to the family & close friends- we all love you Big B -TeeMarie*



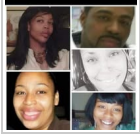
Tee Marie - September 28, 2019 at 01:13 PM

EL

“ *Edna Liggins-Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Edna Liggins-Martin - September 28, 2019 at 12:13 PM



“ *My sincerest condolences to the Collins/ Pollard families. Prayers of comfort to all the families. Big B you will be missed* ❤️🙏



Dawn Winston - September 28, 2019 at 11:58 AM



“ *R.i.p you will be missed BIG B* ❤️

Kola Kam - September 28, 2019 at 11:27 AM



“ *Felicia Greene lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Felicia Greene - September 28, 2019 at 10:50 AM



“ *Bryson loved music! He had a way of knowing which songs to play at the right time. He would mix songs from different genres, that you wouldn't think to play together. He certainly had a gift. He was a artist. I loved dancing whenever he deejayed. I knew I would be on the dance floor all night! He was also a caring person and a great listener. He will definitely be missed.*

Cherie Hobson - September 28, 2019 at 09:39 AM

LS

“ *Linda Spratt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Linda Spratt - September 28, 2019 at 07:26 AM

MD

“ *Marion Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Marion Davis - September 28, 2019 at 07:19 AM

TA

“ *Toni M Aubain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Toni M Aubain - September 28, 2019 at 06:21 AM

SL

“ *Su'Rita Lanaé lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Su'Rita Lanaé - September 28, 2019 at 04:27 AM

SL

*I would like to send my condolences to the family of Bryson "BIG B" Collins. Sleep in PEACE, B. Su'Rita
#UticasMasterDJ*

Su'Rita Lanaé - September 28, 2019 at 04:31 AM



“ *From Cali me n the girls are sending nothing but love!! We love n miss u Bryson!! I'm gonna miss u calling Tati lip gloss😭😭😭 SIP my dearest friend*



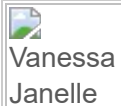
Tara Simone - September 28, 2019 at 12:47 AM

KB

“ *Katrina Boykin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Katrina Boykin - September 28, 2019 at 12:26 AM



“ *Vanessa Janelle lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



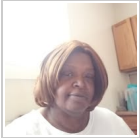
Vanessa Janelle - September 28, 2019 at 12:16 AM



“ *Mary Guarascio lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Mary Guarascio - September 28, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Tyesha Peace lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Tyesha Peace - September 27, 2019 at 11:47 PM



“ *#LONGLIVEDJBIGB always had the party's lit and every event you ever played at. Going to miss seeing you on live at the radio station. I hope you're up there watching over your boys and all your loved ones and most of all keeping heaven blessed with all the remixes possible. :(until we meet again fly high my friend*



Jesntini - September 27, 2019 at 11:16 PM



“ *Bryson you truly will be missed! Friends for always! My condolences to the entire family and may the good Lord bless you all and give you strength during this hard time! With all my love Rosana Morales Reed! "Hey Mr. D j keep playing your songs all night" n God's heavenly kingdom!*



Rosa Morales - September 27, 2019 at 11:15 PM

PW

“ *Pamela Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Pamela Ward - September 27, 2019 at 10:30 PM

PW

“ *Pamela Wardb lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Pamela Wardb - September 27, 2019 at 10:29 PM

RH

“ *We send our prayers to big b's family*



Rose and Reggie hardy - September 27, 2019 at 10:16 PM

MH

“ *Melissa And Vincent Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Melissa and Vincent Hall - September 27, 2019 at 10:13 PM

KM

“ *Thank you Bryson for keeping our boys when I could not..thank you for letting me back in their lives!! Thank you for not poisoning my name to them when you had every right to!! Thank you...enjoy the party up there..tell Ma I said hello..RIP Big B*

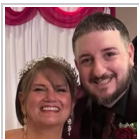
Kimberly Mincey - September 27, 2019 at 09:28 PM

IR

“ *Irene lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Irene - September 27, 2019 at 07:23 PM



“ *Theresa Mancuso lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"*



Theresa Mancuso - September 27, 2019 at 05:50 PM

CP

“ Cynthia Patterson-Bivens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bryson K. Collins aka "Big B"



Cynthia Patterson-Bivens - September 27, 2019 at 04:58 PM

RS

Rip Bryson. God bless your family during this time of grief.

Rose Pearson Simmons - September 28, 2019 at 09:03 AM