

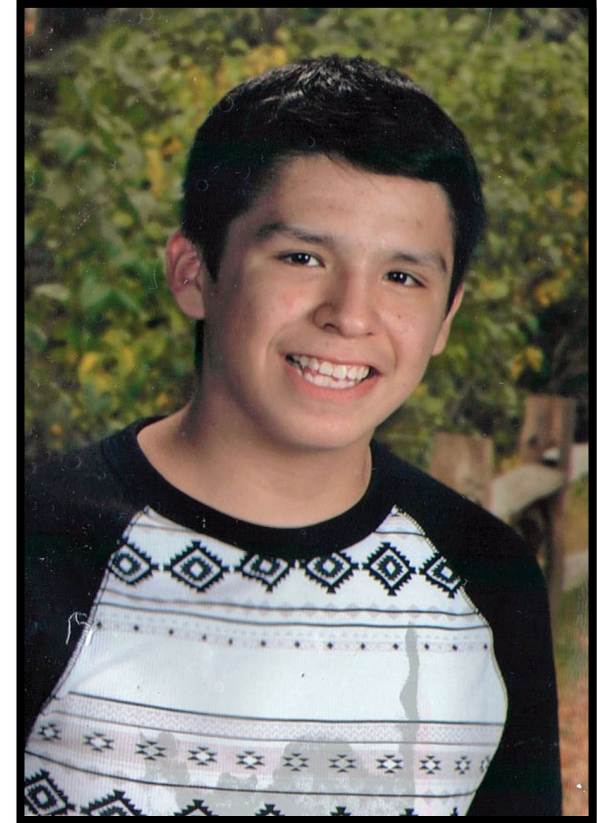
Kalen Jade Nestell Sr. was born September 7, 1999, to Roberta Brown & Wade Nestell Sr. He began his journey to the spirit world on September 11, 2025, at home, with his grandmother Wanda Thomas.

Kalen, also known as (pooh-pooh), a nickname given to him by his older brother Taylor when he was a baby. He attended school in Minnewauken. He loved playing basketball & was on the Woodlake traveling team during the summers. He stayed with his coach, Dennis Smith, during the traveling season. He loved spending time with his friends, siblings, and his children. Kalen is the Godfather of Khloe Whisper Nestell. In 2022, he met the love of his life Raylene Cordova.

He is survived by his mother, Roberta Brown; siblings, Taylor (Castle) Nestell, Kobe Nestell, Winona (Cecelia "Angel") Nestell-Hosie, Kenyon (Rustina) Longie, Leyton (Sydney) Nestell & Wade Nestell Sr; special cousins, Sean-Deja WalkingEagle, Nathaniel Twohearts, Jaelyn Twohearts, Julia Twohearts; children, Kalen Nestell Jr., Kayden Nestell, Kameron, Aiden, Braymoni, Kaioni, Brayziah, Cordova; love of his life, Raylene Cordova; grandmother, Cathy Twohearts; grandpa, Daniel Nestell; special aunt, Jonelle "Jemellie" WalkingEagle.

He is preceded in death by his father, Wade Nestell Sr., grandmothers, Julia Rita Twohearts, Joyce Thomas, Marilyn Thomas, and Anna Thomas; grandfather, Robert Brown Sr.; his beloved papa, Fred Longie Sr.; cousin, Durell Keo; favorite uncle, Kendal Youngbear, and best friend, Ashton Thompson.

In Loving Memory



Kalen Nestell

Wiiyukta Hoksina

SEPTEMBER 7, 1999 – SEPTEMBER 11, 2025

A Hug From Heaven

Don't be sad - I'm here with Jesus.
Don't be sad and please don't cry.
I'm right here ... I've never left you ...
Don't you know that love can't die?
I am safe and warm and happy
As I've never been before,
Seeing Jesus face to face was more
Than I had bargained for.
As you speak, I'm right beside you.
As you walk, I'm by your side
Close your eyes and you'll see clearly
That my Spirit has not died.
Everyone's on earth for reasons
Man can't fully comprehend
But in heaven, I've seen clearly
Justice triumphs in the end.
Understand my love surrounds you
In a way you cannot see
Feel it, sense it, trust it's presence
Have some patience. Let me be.
Do not waste another moment!
Give to God complete control
Of worries that concern you
And your heart and mind and soul.
Wake each day in joyful gladness
Knowing we're not far apart.
Look to Jesus for the answers ...
He will heal your broken heart.
But above all, please remember
There's no need for you to cry.
I'm right here! I've never left you!
Don't you know that love can't die?
- Contributed by J. Mattson

Celebrating The Life Of *Kalen Jade Nestell*

Wiiyukta Hoskina

September 7, 1999 – Devils Lake, ND
September 11, 2025 – Fort Totten, ND

VISITATION & PRAYER SERVICE

Wednesday, September 17, 2025
Visitation 5:00PM-7:00PM
Prayer Service 7:00PM
Crow Hill Rec. Center, Fort Totten, ND

FUNERAL SERVICE

Thursday, September 18, 2025
10:00AM
Crow Hill Rec. Center, Fort Totten, ND

OFFICIATING

Fr. Paul Schuster & Pastor Jim Harris

SPECIAL MUSIC

All Drum Groups

PALLBEARERS

Dennis Smith ~ Rick Smith ~ Rodrick Demery
Steven Redfox ~ Freddie Redfox ~ Cecelia Nestell-Hosie
James Robertson III ~ Timothy Cloud

HONORARY BEARERS

Oliver Gourd, Sean Gourd, Dulin Longie, Koltin & Darwin Threeirons,
Jake Yankton, Trayvon & Tronis McKay, Frank Gourd, Gionni
Robertson, Carlee Robertson, Joseph Gourd, Daryel & Rodger
Charbeneau, Shirissa, Kayla, & Shylene Buckles, Amy, Fred Jr, &
Woody Longie, Clinton "Andy" McKay, Clinton Keo & children, his
favorite dog, Mafia Rose Cordova, Jore Thomas, Misty Keo, Hailie Keo,
Sherrie Martin, Stephanie Ignacio, Trevor Yankton and Leigh
Nestell. Sorry if we have forgotten anyone at this very difficult time.

BURIAL

St. Jerome's Catholic Cemetery, Fort Totten, ND

Arrangements by
Evans Funeral Home – Carrington & New Rockford, ND
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