

Casket Bearers
Family & Friends

Family Expression

The family of Ray Tinsley would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your condolences and sympathy during this difficult time. We appreciate your thoughtfulness and thank you most sincerely for your kind expressions of sympathy during this time.



A Professional Service By
Ainsworth & Young Funeral Home
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In Memory Of



Ray Von Tinsley
February 14, 1945 - October 30, 2025

Obituary

Ray Von Tinsley, known as “Pimpin Ray,” which was his nickname from a previous chapter of his life, that always brought a smile to his face.

He was born on February 14, 1945, a Valentine’s Baby, in Lufkin, Texas, to the late Willie Tinsley and Rosie Young Tinsley.

Ray attended Booker T. Washington High School and later went to the Abilene State School. He eventually moved back to Wichita Falls, which he considered his home.

He enjoyed sharing stories from his life with family and friends, and he loved to see them laugh. Ray frequently traveled to Dallas to visit relatives and friends.

He passed away peacefully on October 30, 2025, in Wichita Falls. He was preceded in death by his parents, Rosie Johnson Matthew Johnson and Willie Tinsley, as well as his siblings, Betty Sloan, Charles Tinsley, and Daniel Starks.

Ray leaves behind cherished memories for his sisters, Rosie Surney, Ellia J. Nobles (John Nobles), and Melvin Knox (Lillian Knox), along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.



Order of Service

10 AM Saturday, November 8th, 2025

Kingdom Life Ministries

Apostle Samuel Abbott - Officiant

Processional

Selection

Desiree Thomas & Praise Team

Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading

Prayer

Praise Dance

Ta-Tonisha Young

Expressions from Family & Friends
“Limit 2 Minutes Please”

Silent Perusal of the Obituary
Soft Music

Selection

Desiree Thomas & Praise Team

Words of Comfort
Apostle Samuel Abbott

Parting Glance
Matthew Ainsworth & Staff

Committal / Dismissal