



### *Proud to be Your Son*

All my life people have told me, you act just like your dad.  
All my life people have told me, you work just like your dad.  
All my life people have told me, you joke just like your dad.  
All my life people have told me, you walk like your dad.  
All my life people have told me, you look just like your dad.  
IF I NEVER SAID IT BEFORE, I'M PROUD TO BE YOUR SON.

I know you might not think I was listening to the stories you told me over and over, and over again...but I was, I heard every word, and can recite most of them by memory myself. I never served in the Army, but I can see you standing there leading the team assigned to the Big Texan, as you said. I never worked construction, but I can see you now, building bridges that support the world. I never bailed hay, but I can see you now, standing on the back of the truck throwing more hay than anyone else. I had a 55-year front row seat to the lessons you taught and wished I had 55 more.

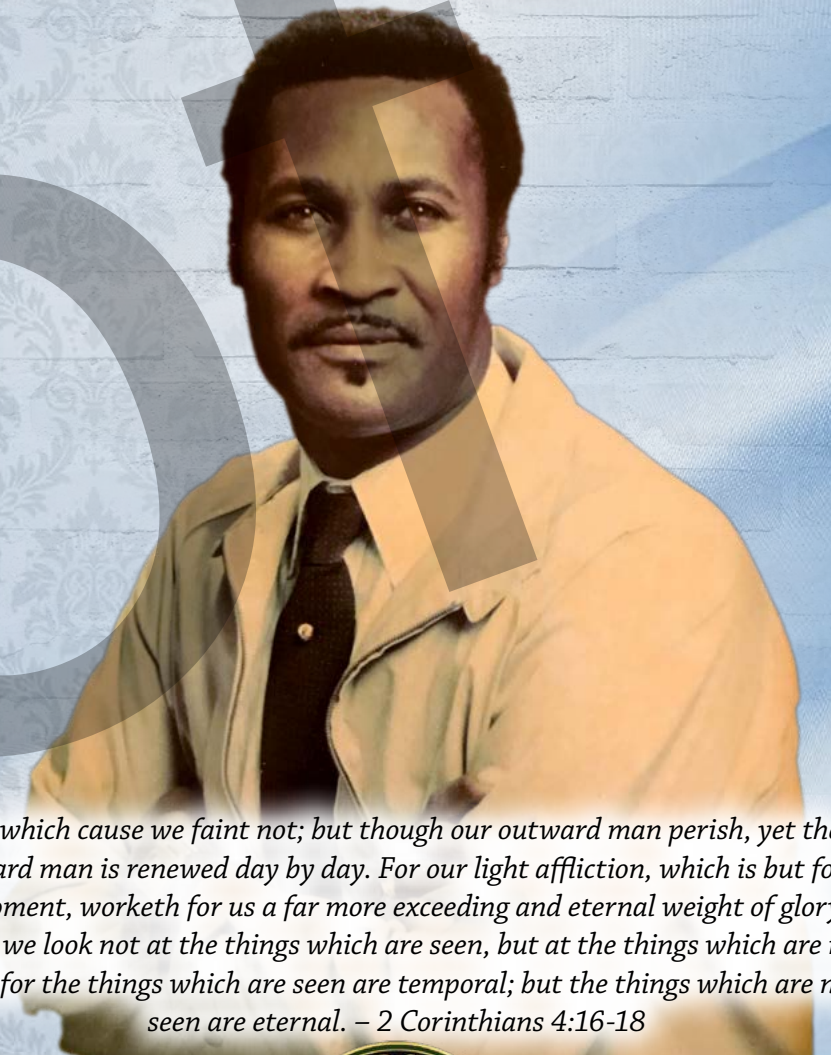
Thank you, Dad for pouring into me the lessons that I'll pass on to my children and beyond. IF I NEVER SAID IT BEFORE, LET ME SAY IT AGAIN, I AM PROUD TO BE YOUR SON.

Love always,  
*Johnnie Jr.*



— Celebrating The Wonderful Life of —

## *Mr. Johnnie* RANDOLPH, SR.



*For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day. For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal. – 2 Corinthians 4:16-18*

*Family Acknowledgment*  
On behalf of the family of Johnnie Randolph Sr his loss has been felt by us all. We just want to say thank you to everyone who sent a prayer, cards, flowers, or made a call. His life here on Earth is finished, but memories can be brought up in recall. Your kind words and sympathy are felt by us all in your endless empathy. Thank you.

*Active Pallbearers*  
Mckenzie Scott | Michael Scott  
Howard Randolph Jr. | Sammy Randolph  
Steve Randolph | Darvis Brandon Sr.  
Bobby Roddy | Byron Randolph  
DeMeris Randolph | Xavier Shaw

*Honorary Pallbearers*  
Fellowship Baptist Church Male Chorus  
Fellowship Baptist Church Deacons

*Resting Place*  
Randolph Cemetery  
3382 Hwy 7  
Chilton, Texas

*Repast*  
Providence Baptist Church  
412 Commerce St.  
Marlin, Texas



*Arrangements especially for the  
Randolph family by*

*Robertson Funeral & Cremation*  
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**FIRST BREATH**  
September 22, 1937



**LAST SMILE**  
June 13, 2021

*Service*  
Saturday, June 19, 2021 | 10:00 a.m.  
**ROBERTSON FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL**  
338 Commerce Street | Marlin, Texas  
Pastor Leo Green, Officiating  
Pastor P J Diggs, Eulogist



## Obituary

Johnnie Randolph Sr. was born on September 22, 1937, to the late Tommie and Leora Randolph, in Falls County, Texas. Johnnie was the eldest of seven children born to this union.

Johnnie attended school at Chilton and graduated from Fredrick Douglass High School and Tarrant County College. Johnnie was an apprentice carpenter, construction worker, bricklayer, mechanic and had various other skills. He learned to do construction work with the Larson Construction Co. in South Texas. After working there for a number of years, Johnnie met and married Nell Jean Scott. Shortly after their marriage, Johnnie was drafted by the US Army and served the country proudly for three years. To this marriage were born two children, Carolyn and Johnnie Jr.

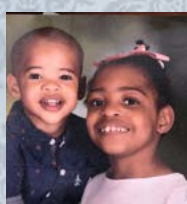
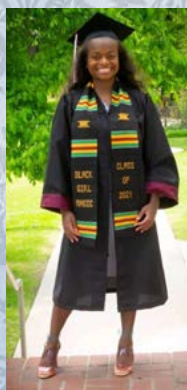
After the birth of Carolyn, Johnnie applied and was hired by General Motors Company in Arlington, Texas, when the family moved to Fort Worth.

Johnnie was known as a hard worker who never met a task too large for him to tackle. Whether it was pouring concrete, laying brick, or any variety of carpentry work, he gave it his all often with pride. Later years Johnnie and Nell Jean joined the Fellowship Baptist Church, under the leadership of the late Pastor D. Evans where he served as a member of the Senior Choir, Male Chorus, and Deacon Board. He later helped to form the New Fellowship Baptist Church, under the pastoral leadership of Pastor P J Diggs, where he served faithfully until his passing on Sunday, June 13, 2021.

Johnnie's quiet humble spirit and perfect smile will be deeply missed.

Awaiting Johnnie in Heaven are his parents, Tommie and Leora; and his brothers, Allen Eugene, Tommie Lee and Howard Earl Randolph.

Left to cherish his memory are his Daughter, Carolyn (Henry) Wyndom of League City, Texas; Son, Johnnie Jr. (Cecile) Randolph of Keller, Texas; and Daughter, Sarah Lister of Dallas, Texas; seven Grandchildren, Crystal, Mariah, Deardre, Rashaad, Bryant, Patrick, and Brandon; nine Great Grandchildren including Leilani and Levi; one Brother, Samuel Randolph of Chilton, Texas; two sisters, Mary Johnson of Fort Worth, Texas, and Barbara (Claude) Anderson of Arlington, Texas; two Sisters-in-Law, Alice Randolph Chilton, Texas, and Mary Randolph Jacksonville, North Carolina, who will forever be a part of the legacy he leaves behind. Others left to mourn are nieces, nephews, cousins, and special lifelong friends too numerous to name.



## Order of Service

**PROFESSIONAL** ..... Clergy and Family

**SONG.....** Gospel Cru

**SCRIPTURES**  
**NEW/OLD TESTAMENT**.....  
 Pastor Tammy Randolph Stewart

**PRAYER** ..... Pastor Durrell Ward

**SONG.....** Gospel Cru

**RESOLUTIONS.....**Please limit remarks to 3 min.

**PULPIT REMARKS** .....Pastor Leo Green

**WORDS OF REFLECTION.....**Family

**SONG**..... Gospel Cru

**SPOKEN WORD.....** Pastor P J Diggs

**FINAL GLIMPSE**.....Robertson Funeral Home

**RECESSIONAL**..... Clergy and Family

