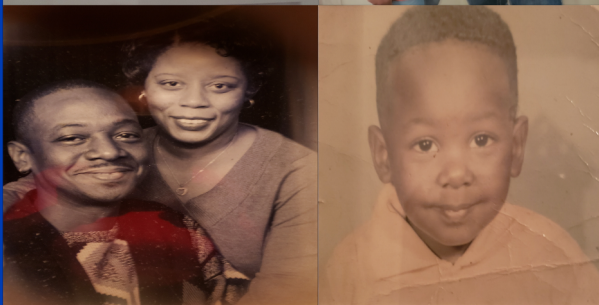


Precious Memories



Honorary Pallbearers

Charles Drumgo
Kenny Johnson

Ronnie Lloyd
Joe Jackson

Acknowledgment

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a flower piece, if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you said the kindest words, that any friend could
say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that
day. Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much - Whatever the part.

~The Burkes Family~



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*In Loving Memory
Of*

Ronald Patrick Burkes



Sunrise: November 13, 1965

Sunset: December 28, 2022

Service

Saturday, January 7, 2023 - 10:30 A.M.

Stanmore Chapel

1105 M.L.K. Blvd
Longview, TX 75602

Rev. Johnny Brown- Eulogist

Obituary

Ronald Burkes was born November 13, 1965, in Kountz, Texas to the late Fredrick Burkes Sr. and Ruthie Lois Drumgo- Shelton.

He attended school in San Jose, California and finished in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Fredrick Burkes Jr.

He was united in marriage January 10, 2003.

Ron leaves to cherish his memories his wife Leona Marie Burkes of Longview, TX; two daughters Koree Burkes of Oklahoma City, OK and Ella Newman (Chris) of Longview, TX; two sons Gordon Haynes of Longview, TX and Don Paul Haynes Jr. of Hemphill, TX; one niece Ranetta Euwing (Mitchell) of Longview, TX; one nephew Terrance Burkes of Longview, TX; six grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, aunts, uncles, and a host of relatives and friends.



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard him call;
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work and play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way;
I found that place at the close of day.
If my parting has left a void.
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared a laugh, a kiss;
Ah yes, these things, I too will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savoured much;
Good friends, good time, a loved ones touch.
Perhaps my time seems all too brief;
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now,
He set me free



Order of Service

Processional
The Ministers, Pallbearers, & Family

Cunningham Funeral Directors in Charge

Scriptures:

Old & New Testament.....Rev. Kenneth Pruitt

Prayer.....Rev. Jimmie D. Butler

Solo.....Sedrick Johnson

Eulogy.....Rev. Johnny Brown

Presentation.....Cunningham Directors

Parting View.....Cunningham Directors

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