



Mr. Randolph Wright

March 29, 1961 - July 11, 2024

On March 29, 1961, Randolph Wright was born to the late Guy Wright and Earthie Lee Jordan Wright. He was the youngest of fifteen children. Randolph was baptized at Rising Sun Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Reverend Armested Slayton.

Randolph Wright was a graduate of Forrest City High School and attended East Arkansas Community College. On June 3, 1987, he married his high school sweetheart, Charlotte Fields, and to this 20 year union, two children were born and raised in Jonesboro, AR and Nashville, TN. Randolph worked for FedEx in Memphis, Tn until his relocation back to Forrest City, AR.

Randolph loved any and everything about the game of basketball. He was always ready to talk about the greats and their specific contributions to the NBA league. He was instrumental in teaching both his son and daughter the love of the sport and contributed to their future successes. Randolph was extremely proud that both of his children earned scholarships to play collegiate basketball at Trevecca Nazarene University (MyRanda) and Martin Methodist College (Randolph II).

Randolph was an excellent cook whose dishes brought joy to countless hearts for over 15 years at Hardees restaurants. Refraining from anything pork at home, his favorite dishes usually starred beef in his tacos, spaghetti and chili.

Randolph loved holistic and natural living literature and learning about the Earth's healing properties. He was an avid landscape connoisseur and was keen on a sharp hedge and assisting those who needed a hand at their home. His beloved mother-in-law, Ms. Louise V. Fields was even complimented by a neighbor that "Randolph can cut your ugly yard and make it look good!" Also known for his quick wit and comedic temperament Randolph would be sure to light up a room with laughter. His unique blend of humor, often tinged with a touch of cynicism offered another perspective on life.

Beyond his love for cooking and the outdoors, Randolph had a deep love for music. Whether it was singing a favorite tune while cooking or sharing his insights on classics- his passion for the art was evident to all who knew him. Randolph's favorite musicians and bands being Parliament, Funkadelic and Ray Parker, Jr.

Randolph's legacy of love, laughter and culinary delights will be cherished by those who had the privilege of knowing him.

Randolph passed away on Thursday, July 11, 2024, in Jonesboro, AR with his niece Daphne Willis and other family by his side at St. Bernards hospital.

He is preceded in death by his brothers—John Wright, Guy Wright, Robert Wright, Fenner Wright, Earnest Wright, Sr., Albert Wright, Rolfe Wright, Marvin Wright and Willie Wright.

He leaves to treasure his memories his former wife of 20 years— Charlotte Wright of Nashville, TN; two children—MyRanda C. Jones (Jason) of Houston, TX, and Randolph Wright II of Nashville, TN;

Four grandchildren- Cannon Wright, Maven Rue, Evann Louise and Maxen J.D. Jones of Houston, TX;

Four sisters—Mary Taggart of Jonesboro, AR, Etter Willis, Betty Fleming (Lawrence), and Estella Taggart all of Forrest City, AR; one brother— Paul Wright (Emma); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other family.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Prosperity Missionary Baptist Church
6893 SFC 224
Forrest City , AR 72335

Tribute Wall

SH

“ Sherline A Hooper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Sherline A Hooper - July 26, 2024 at 10:55 PM

MT

“ Moniek Thomas sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Moniek Thomas - July 25, 2024 at 09:06 PM

CW

“ Carolina D Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Carolina D Wright - July 23, 2024 at 09:50 AM

DF

“ Douglas Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Douglas Family - July 20, 2024 at 12:45 AM

AH

“ RIP 🙏🌹

Annette Hall - July 19, 2024 at 09:36 AM

PW

“ Peggy R Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Peggy R Wright - July 19, 2024 at 09:27 AM

KT

“ Kadi Traore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Kadi Traore - July 18, 2024 at 10:44 PM

EW

“ Elise Wilburn-Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Elise Wilburn-Hunter - July 18, 2024 at 09:22 PM

IM

“ Irene Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Irene moore - July 18, 2024 at 07:43 PM

VS

“ Vanessa Spearman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Vanessa Spearman - July 18, 2024 at 05:05 PM

BJ

“ Bobbie Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Bobbie jones - July 18, 2024 at 04:01 PM

LF

“ Love, The Williams Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Mr. Randolph Wright.



Love, The Williams Family - July 17, 2024 at 10:44 PM

JW

“ Jackie White lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Jackie White - July 17, 2024 at 09:41 PM

ST

“ Shirley Williams Thorn sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Shirley Williams Thorn - July 17, 2024 at 01:52 PM



“ Eddie Hodges lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Eddie Hodges - July 17, 2024 at 01:22 PM

SW

“ Sonya Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Sonya Wright - July 16, 2024 at 09:24 PM

SK

“ Shirley A Malone King lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Shirley A Malone King - July 16, 2024 at 09:22 PM

AL

“ Anita Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Anita Lucas - July 16, 2024 at 09:12 PM

DS

“ DIANNE SHINE lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



DIANNE SHINE - July 16, 2024 at 08:02 PM

GR

“ Gloria Brown Ross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright



Gloria Brown Ross - July 16, 2024 at 07:35 PM

GR

Praying for the family! Love yall 🙏

Gloria Brown Ross - July 16, 2024 at 07:37 PM

JH

“ *Juliett Haynes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Juliett Haynes - July 16, 2024 at 04:45 PM

MC

“ *Myranda C. purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Mr. Randolph Wright.*



Myranda C. - July 15, 2024 at 07:35 PM

LJ

“ *Linda Green Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Linda Green Johnson - July 15, 2024 at 05:46 PM

BM

“ *My condolences to the Wright Family. I have known them for a very long time. Randolph was so nice and quiet. He played basketball very well also. May he rest in peace.*

*Betty Maxey
Rochester, NY*

Betty Maxey - July 14, 2024 at 10:01 AM

WF

“ *Wilburn Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Wilburn Family - July 14, 2024 at 09:16 AM

CW

“ *Carolyn Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Carolyn Williams - July 13, 2024 at 09:52 AM

CW

“ *Caarolyn Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Caarolyn Williams - July 13, 2024 at 09:51 AM

CW

“ *Charlotte Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Charlotte Wright - July 12, 2024 at 10:56 PM

DS

“ *DIANNE SHINE lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



DIANNE SHINE - July 12, 2024 at 10:45 PM

NP

“ *Nicole Wright Parchman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Randolph Wright*



Nicole Wright Parchman - July 12, 2024 at 06:56 PM

AH

“ *I will never forget you. May you Rest in Love and Peace.*

Angeline Huntley - July 12, 2024 at 06:11 PM