

BROTHER LEWIS RANDOLPH GRAHAM

AUGUST 7, 1956 – MAY 29, 2025 "RANDY"

When We All Get to Heaven, What a Day of Rejoicing That Will Be

BROTHER LEWIS RANDOLPH GRAHAM was born on August 7, 1956, to Gus Graham and Acie Mae Newton Graham; however, he was also the son of his village – those who supported, encouraged, and expected him to succeed in life. Affectionately known as "RANDY," he later acquired the nickname "GUS" in memory of his dad during his later years. He was a lifelong resident of the "Big Valley" community of Madison, Florida.

RANDY was nurtured in a home where Christian values were emphasized and the love for God was evident. Their family was faithful in service at Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church. Under the pastoral leadership of the Reverend James C. Miller, RANDY accepted Christ as his personal Savior and was actively involved in the youth department. Because of his love for singing, he blended his talent with others in the choir. During the next season of his life, he continued to be spiritually uplifted with the Word of God which strengthened his faith and his commitment to the church. He faithfully rendered his service and was very dependable in assisting wherever he was needed.

RANDY received his formal education in the Madison County School System and was a proud 1975 Madison High School graduate. Following graduation, **RANDY** chose to begin his employment career. He worked at the Madison House Factory until its closure and for Johnson & Johnson (currently The Pit Stop) where he was proficient in changing and repairing tires.

To occupy his leisure time, **RANDY** loved to quietly observe nature, maintain his yard, and collect older model cars to cruise around town. Afterwards, he enjoyed settling down to watch westerns and to eat Oreo cookies. Because of his passion for singing, he looked forward to harmonizing with the members of the Madison Community Choir.

BROTHER LEWIS RANDOLPH GRAHAM knew that this world was not his home but rather a temporary residence until the Lord called him from earthly labor to receive eternal rest. In His divine plan, He designated Thursday, May 29, 2025, to grant **RANDY** his Heavenly reward and his seat in the Heavenly choir.

During this period of his transition, may the memories of **BROTHER LEWIS RANDOLPH "RANDY" GRAHAM** bring comfort to his loved ones and that God's grace sustains and embraces them with His everlasting love. Cherishing his life, love, and legacy are his *daughters*: Fontella (Christopher) Monlyn, Jessica Graham, and Cadeja Graham, all of Madison, FL; *son*: Darrell Barfield of Atlanta, GA; *sister*: Alfreda (George) Demps of Perry, FL; *seven grandchildren*; *two great-grandchildren*; many other heartbroken relatives, sorrowing church family, and loving friends.

Beloved family members who preceded **Brother Lewis Randolph "Randy" Graham** in death were his parents: Gus Graham and Acie Lee Newton Graham; sister: Clara Nell Graham Felder; and brother: George Graham. May they all rest in everlasting peace.

THE DIVINE ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude	Madison Community Choir
Processional	Eulogy, Clergy, Mortician & Family
Seating of the Family	The J.P. Moore Staff
The Prayer of Consolation	Minister Montrell Hawkins
THE HOLY SCRIPTURES:	
Old Testament	Reverend Alonzo Fudge
New Testament	
New Testament	
Selection	Madison Community Chair
Selection	Viadison Community Chon
REFLECTIONS & TRIBUTES:	
Family & Friends (3)	Two Minutes Each, <i>Please</i>
Resolutions & Acknowledgements	The J.P. Magre Staff
Selection	Madison Community Choir
WORDS OF COMFORT	Reverend Carlos Presley
Mortician's Brief	Mr. Jamarien "JP" Moore, LFD
SERVICE OF COMMITTAL	
Recessional	

"For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." - Romans 8:38 – 39 KJV

In Loving Memory of Gus Graham

How quickly we forget that time on this side is a limited blessing — one to be cherished, honored, and never taken for granted.

But oh, what a joy to know that with our Heavenly Father, time is no more — only everlasting peace and eternal joy.

There is a time for everything: a time to mourn, a time to reflect, and now — a time to celebrate. Today, we celebrate a life well lived, a father deeply loved, and a soul that has taken flight into glory.

Wipe your tears and lift your hearts, for Gus Graham is suffering no more.

Heaven is rejoicing. The angels are singing.

And his Heavenly Father has welcomed him home.

You will always be in my heart. I'll miss you more than words can say.

With all my love,

Jessica

ACTIVE FLORAL BEARER

Family & Friends

THE FAMILY'S MESSAGE OF GRATITUDE

The Family of *Brother Lewis Randolph Graham* would like to express our deepest appreciation and sincere gratitude to those who have offered prayers, support, and words of comfort during our time of bereavement. Thank you for your love and words of condolence, along with the strength of God, for they have helped us through these difficult days. May God continue to bless you!

We take comfort in 1 Corinthians 2:9 ...

"Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man, the things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

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