



*Celebration
of Life for*

Charles "Randolph" Holly

Sunrise
March 6, 1936

Sunset
July 16, 2010

Saturday, July 24, 2010 - 2:00 p.m.

PROMISE LAND BAPTIST CHURCH
11792 Moneta Rd. • Moneta, Virginia 24121

Rev. Carl Anderson, Pastor

Reflections Of Life

Life has a single beginning, but a multiplicity of endings; we do not know the day, hour, the minute or the way of our departure; nor do we know the mystery of the Master, who makes no mistakes with His own creations.

Charles “Randolph” Holly was born on March 6, 1936 in Jenkinjones, West Virginia to the late Mae Belle Casey and Tat Holly.

He was educated in the West Virginia Public school system and was a graduate of Gary District High School. He accepted Christ at an early age, and was a member of Mt. Plain Baptist Church in Evington, Virginia.

As a young man he relocated to Paterson, New Jersey, and later served in the United States Army stationed in France. After his discharge from the army he was employed by Van Guard Plastics in Hawthorne, New Jersey.

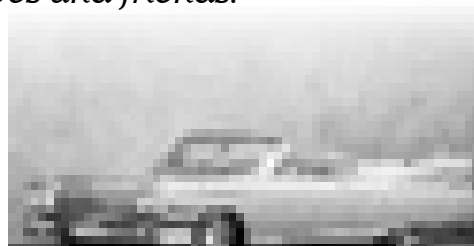
In 1986 He relocated with his wife Willie Mae and their Children to Huddleston, Virginia where he was employed by Rubber Tech until he retired. He and his family were devoted members of Haven of Rest United Pentecostal Church where he served as an Honorary Deacon. He loved the Outdoors and country living, he truly enjoyed hunting and fishing with his children and grandchildren. He and his wife, Willie Mae were devoted parents and loved being surrounded by their children and grandchildren. Their home was a warm and welcome haven for anyone needing a helping hand. He will be truly missed by all who knew him and loved him.

He was predeceased by his wife, Willie Mae and one son, Shelton, his parents, Mae belle Casey and Tat Holly, two brothers, Rudolph Brown and Wayne Brown; his beloved uncle, Dennis and aunt, Helen McDaniel and aunt, Alice Kelly.

On July 16, 2010, God called Charles Randolph home.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his mother, Clara Draper; five sons, Levi, Jessie, Anthony, Tysonn and Charles and his wife Evelyn); six daughters, Charmaine, Margaret (Vanessa) Muindi and her husband, (Francis), Melody (La’shell) Hurt and her husband, Carlos, Cynthia, Judie Cook and her husband, David, all of Virginia and Carolyn Carter of Paterson, New Jersey; seven brothers, Emmanuel Brown, Everett Draper and his wife, Linda, Ronnie Draper, Anthony Draper and his wife, Constance, Casey Draper and his wife, Trisha, Frank Draper and Craig Draper; three sisters, Sheila Williams and her husband, James, Carolyn Robinson and her husband, James, Alice Greer, all of Toledo, Ohio and Carolyn Moon and her husband, Charles of Huddleston, Virginia; sisters-in-law & brothers-in-law, Dorothy Mason, and her husband Benjamin Mason of Paterson, NJ, John Manning and his wife, Mable Manning of Irvington, NJ and James Ray Manning of Paterson, NJ; twenty-seven grandchildren and twenty-five great-grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Farewell
Cadillac
Kid
From John Lee



We Love You Granddad

We love and honor you Granddad
With all our hearts, so we will never forget you
You are a part of our happiness
Cherished and respected

Our Love for you is strong and everlasting
You always seemed so caring and wise
You gave to all of those who needed
Your great generosity and sacrifices changed so many lives

It has transcended the life you lived
And has not only filled our hearts with happy memories
But also has inspired us to be better
To be more like our Granddad

A person of prayer and faith
A true friend that you could depend on
A caring and compassionate soul
A devoted mother and a cherished wife

Our love you shall have always
For supporting each and every one of us
And giving us encouragement
Telling us right from wrong
For always being there for us
Helping us weather the storm

You will be greatly missed
But we won't be sad
You are in a better place now
We love and miss you Granddad

Love, your Grand Children

(Written by Lozarius)



“Together Again”

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to extend sincere appreciation to everyone for their acts of support and thoughtfulness.

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Order of Service

Presiding Clergy Pastor Nicole Bonds Callands

Organ Prelude

Hymn Haven of Rest Adult Choir

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Rev. McKinley Taylor

New Testament Dr. Rev. Mamie Lee

Prayer of Comfort Minister Joyce Towns

Selections Haven Of Rest Adult Choir

Acknowledgements Dawn Carter

Reflections of Life Keilia (Keeda) Moore-Ellis

Remarks

Special Tribute from his daughter, Melody Hurt

Eulogy Elder Anthony Bonds

Haven of Rest United Pentecostal Church • Bedford, Virginia

Recessional

Interment
Homestead Memorial Gardens
Greenville, North Carolina

Special Tribute to Our Father

Carolyn- Dad I love you so very much you were my all, whenever I was felling down I know that I could call on you to brighten up my day. I am truly going to miss you, you were everything to me.

Judie- Pops, know that I truly miss and love you. It was my joy to spend the last two months of your life with you, we had good laughs at breakfast and dinner time. Rest well Pops.

Jessie- To my Dad, I love you so much, I am truly grateful to have had a Dad like you. I am going to miss you Pop.

Levi- To my Dad and My best friend I am going to miss fishing, working on cars, listen to you messing up songs and you getting mad when I correct you when we used to ride in the car. Man I am truly going to miss everything about you .

Melody (La' Shell) Pop I love you, I am going to miss you , you were more than just a father to me you where my Best friend and I am going to miss you. I love you Dad, I know that earth doesn't have a sorrow that heaven cannot heal. I can't wait until I see you again.

Charles (Shalove)- To my King, my one and only father you were a great man and a true role model to me, everything that you showed me made me into the man that I am and I am overwhelmed with joy to have had you in my life. You will always be in my heart. I love you pop.

Margret (Vanessa)- I love you so much, I thank God for a Father like you Every day. I am going to miss you Pop you were there for me, whenever I need you, and I am truly thankful.

Charmaine- To my father I love you so much not a day goes by that I don't think about you, you are truly the best thing that happened to me. You weren't just my father you were my Confidant. I am going to truly miss you Dad I love you so much.

Cynthia - Enow Enow I am going to miss my father, I loved him very much, and he was truly an inspiration to me. You were my right hand man everything that I have done was with you in mind and I am thankful that I was able to have you as my father.



A Father's Love

A Father's Love is
Being happy for his children
When they are happy
Being sad for his children
When they are sad
Being together in good and bad times.
A Father's Love is a source of strength
A Father's Love is
Being honest with himself at all times
Being honest with his children at all times
Talking, listening, and respecting the truth and never pretending
A Father's Love is the source of reality.
A Father's love is
An understanding so complete that he feels
As if he is a part of his children
Accepting his children just as they are
And not trying to change them into being something else
A Father's love is the source of Unity.
A Father's love is
The freedom to pursue his own desire wild
Sharing his experiences with his children
The growth of his individuality along with
The Growth of his children individuality
A Father's love is the source of success
A Father's love is
Knowing that his children will always be with her
Regardless of what happens
Missing her children when they pass
But knowing that they are near in his heart
A Father's Love is a source of security
Most of all a Father's love is Forever!!!

Love, your Children