



## Lonnie Johnson

November 15, 1950 - April 4, 2025

Deacon Lonnie Johnson, a beloved brother, father, and friend, passed away peacefully on April 4, 2025, at the age of 74. Born on November 15, 1950, in Plymouth, Florida, Lonnie was raised by his devoted and beautiful mother, Claudia Mae Purdue, who instilled in him the values of hard work, kindness, and perseverance.

Lonnie was a loyal, faithful Deacon and member of the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church in Plymouth/Apopka, Florida. Deacon Johnson loved attending Sunday school, Bible Study, and all other activities being held at the church. He was a great support and valuable member whose presence will be missed at Shiloh.

Lonnie was a truck driver by both trade and passion. He loved the open road and the places it would take him, finding peace in the journey and pride in his work. Whether rolling down highways or stopping in small towns along the way, Lonnie made connections everywhere he went with his warm spirit and quiet strength.

Lonnie's life was one of humility, love, and laughter, and though he will be deeply missed, his memory will live on in the hearts of all who knew him. May he rest in eternal peace.

Preceding him in death were his mother, Claudia Mae Purdue; his beloved wife, Evelyn Johnson; and son, Eugene Johnson.

Lonnie leaves behind a legacy of love and memories cherished by many. He is survived by his and his devoted daughter, Stephanie Grady; step-daughter, Barbara Johnson; six siblings: Peggy Hagins (Sylvester) of Sorento, Florida, Louvonne Williams (Bobby) of Apopka, Florida, Norris Collins (Latesha) of Rochester, New York, Charles Collins (Sandra) of Plymouth, Florida, Evelyn Jackson (Troy) of Apopka, Florida, and Sharon Collins of Plymouth, Florida; grandson, Aaron Grady; grand- daughter, Shaquita Johnson; and a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, extended family members, and friends who will forever hold him in their hearts.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26.** 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church  
1251 Hermit Smith Rd.  
Apopka, FL 32712

## Service

APR **26.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Laquita Griffiths purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Lonnie Johnson.*



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**Laquita Griffiths** - April 25, 2025 at 03:32 PM

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“ *Rest in peace will always remember you as dad  
Tasha*

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**Tasha Hamilton** - April 23, 2025 at 09:59 AM



“ *Love you Granda wish I could've got to know  
you better as I got older R.I.H*



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**Shaquita Johnson** - April 22, 2025 at 10:14 PM

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“ *Our condolences to the Johnson/Collins Family  
may God be with you during this difficult time.  
Brother Marion and Sister Ernestine Alston*



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**Ernestine Alston** - April 15, 2025 at 02:05 PM

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“ *Janice Wilson lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Johnson*



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**Janice Wilson** - April 09, 2025 at 05:19 PM

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“ 🕊️🙏 *My condolences to Lonnie's Family. Lonnie, I miss you so much. You were the best friend & best neighbor anyone could ever have asked for. You were a Church Man, just like your Mother wanted you to be. I am at peace knowing you are now with our Father & your beloved wife & other love ones in heaven. I will never forget you. Your friend & neighbor. 🕊️ Rest in Peace my friend Lonnie. Love Always, Mustang Sally (your nickname to me)*



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**Libia Ortiz** - April 09, 2025 at 12:23 PM