



Randy Pennington

June 3, 1970 - January 17, 2021

Randy, Randall Dean Pennington, 50 of Huntington, WV went to Heaven January 17, 2021. He was born June 3, 1970 to the late Charlene Hughes Vaughan and Robert Pennington. He is survived by his loving wife Melony of 28 years and daughter, Brooke and son Taylor. His sisters Tammy Pennington (Kelvin Rodman, Kim Trotter) and Staci Johnson. A special cousin, Jenny Lynn Young. Beloved father and mother in law Danny and Joyce Arthur. Brother in law Allen (Stacey) Arthur. Nieces Alyssa Pennington and Haley Johnson. Nephews Chris (Christina) Pennington, Arron Pennington, Chad, Chase and Trenton Arthur. Great nieces Mya and Amelia and a great nephew Tyke. And Allyson Heck and Joey Keith whom he called his kids. Randy first attended New Beginning Apostolic church at the age of 13 as a bus kid. He continued to attend there faithfully for the rest of his life. He worked whole heartedly for the Lord and served in many ways from singing in the choir, the praise team, solos, Sunday school teacher, usher, youth leader, and a church camp dorm father for 20 years on Holy Hill. Randy was employed at Red Cross for 30 years. He was a collection specialist and team lead but there was no job too great or small. He was a true leader. He was loved by every volunteer and donor who ever met him. It has been said that some would only donate when Randy was there to take care of them. He was loving and caring and had a contagious smile. He never met a stranger and has made many friends through his life time. Too many friends to count but three of his closest friends were his life long coworker and dear friend Angie Fischer. Life long

school friends Christy Scarberry and Pat Thacker. Randy lovingly went by many titles, a tour guide, a cruise director, a team member, and we loved the way he took care of us. He prided himself by being a leader and running a tight ship but his greatest accomplishments were being called Melony's Honey and Brooke and Taylor's Dad. You will be greatly missed. We love you. Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 PM on Saturday, January 23, 2021 at New Beginning Apostolic Church, 1002 25th St, Huntington, WV with Bishop Norman Mills, Pastor Todd Mills and Bishop Edwin Harper officiating. The family will receive friends from 11:00 AM until 1:00 PM service time on Saturday at the church. LIVE STREAMING of Randy's Funeral Services may viewed at <https://facebook.com/Acts238church.com> . Henson and Kitchen Mortuary, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Rd. Huntington, WV is caring for the family. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting www.hensonandkitchen.com .

Previous Events

Visitation - Following COVID-19 Guidelines

JAN 23. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

New Beginning Apostolic Church
1002 25th Street
Huntington, WV 25703
<https://www.facebook.com/Acts238Church>

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Tribute Wall



“ *Henson & Kitchen Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Randy Pennington*



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - January 22, 2021 at 02:20 PM

DW

Devastated by the loss of a long time friend. Thoughts and prayers to the entire Pennington family 💕 🙏

Daniel and Stacey Whitmore - January 23, 2021 at 12:14 PM



“ *Randy Pennington*

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM


Morgan
Castle

“ *Randy was my favorite Red Cross worker. I worked with him once a month for the past 2 years. He always made me smile. I am so sorry for your loss, he will be missed.*



Morgan Castle - January 26, 2021 at 08:39 PM

DS

“ Donald Smith lit a candle in memory of Randy Pennington



donald smith - January 24, 2021 at 09:20 AM

SL

“ Melony, I am so sorry for your family's tremendous loss. I guess I've known Randy since 1985. Which was my first year at church camp, and my first year getting saved. My friend Libby and I would visit 25th street on youth nights (which I think were Tuesdays back then). After church we would usually go to McDonald's. Many times Libby would give Randy a ride home on our way back to Wayne. He was always fun to be around, and made us all laugh. I married and moved away for many years after that. Then in the early 2000's we moved back to the area for a short while and my oldest son Kyle was 8, and getting ready to be away for his first time at church camp on Holy hill. I was worried till I found out Randy was his dorm father. I'll never forget Randy letting Kyle use his cell phone to call home and let me know he had just received the gift of the holy ghost. My niece also received it that year. I didn't get to be around Randy in the later years, but I kept up via Facebook, and you could always tell how much he loved God, church and his family. I know he will be greatly missed by all, because he never met a stranger, and everyone loved him. He's left a lasting memory and legacy for all who were honored to know him. Rest in peace my friend.

Shellie Stephens Leep - January 23, 2021 at 02:37 PM

RC

“ Sorry for the loss of Randy. Sending prayers your way.

Richard Cremeans - January 23, 2021 at 09:37 AM



“ *Mrs. Fields Nibblers® Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 23, 2021 at 01:36 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 22, 2021 at 11:41 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 22, 2021 at 11:09 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 21, 2021 at 07:56 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 21, 2021 at 12:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 21, 2021 at 07:47 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*

Deborah Crews - January 20, 2021 at 08:28 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.*



January 20, 2021 at 07:31 PM

PJ

“ So sorry for the family's loss



Pam Justice - January 20, 2021 at 02:40 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.



January 20, 2021 at 02:22 PM



“ Met Randy at the ARC and we had good times working together. One of my favorites was his high pitch screams to scare the crap out of me and a few others. Prayers for his family for comfort and peace. Fly high Randy!!!

Teresa Atkinson - January 20, 2021 at 10:36 AM

DR

“ I grew up with Randy in church. He was a great person, father, husband and friend. I am saddened of his passing. Jesus needs more angels, Randy has gained his and moved on from this terrible world. I will miss you friend. Rest in the arms of Jesus brother. My condolences to Melony and the kids, love you all.



Donald & Sky Rockett - January 20, 2021 at 07:35 AM

JC

“ We got to meet Randy last summer while you all was camping such a great person Melony always talked so good of him you all have ao many wonderful memories of him Love to you all Judy

Judy cazad - January 20, 2021 at 06:45 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Randy Pennington.



January 19, 2021 at 09:44 PM

RT

“ Randy was an amazing person and a great friend I've known since the early '90's. I don't ever remember a time he didn't have a big smile on his face or a joke in his extensive repertoire of funny which he was most willing to share freely! We both loved cars (especially big cars...his black LHS and any of the 6 LHS's I owned over the years come to mind) and cologne (he never had less than 3 bottles of quality scent in the door map pockets of his car). He loved his family...Melony, Brooke, and Taylor immensely and never failed to update me on how they were doing any time we spoke. Deepest sympathy and sincerest condolences to them for their most tragic loss. My heart is heavy but I am confident in the knowledge he is with the Lord and all of those who have gone on before him. I pray that God comforts the Pennington Family and all those who loved Randy. RIP, Randall Dean! You will be missed greatly, my friend!

Rusty Thornburg - January 19, 2021 at 05:49 PM

DL

“ I never met Randy, but I've known Melony since 1984 when she and her family moved to Mississippi for a year or two. Randy contacted me on Facebook several years ago looking for an old friend of his wife's...that was me. We friended on Facebook and so did Melony. I have watched from a distance this couple share so good memories and I'm glad they had each other. Even though I've never meet Randy in person, my heart breaks for his loss and knowing what his family will be missing in the days to come. God be with you all in this time. My deepest condolences and prayers.

David Long - January 19, 2021 at 09:55 AM

BB

“ Melonie, Brooke & Taylor,

We are very sorry about Randy. Prayers for peace and comfort. He will be missed by so many.

Kenneth and Beverly Belcher

Beverly Belcher - January 19, 2021 at 01:18 AM



“ I am sorry to hear about your loss sending lots of prayer's to you and the family.



Brenda Fetty Leake - January 18, 2021 at 07:40 PM

PS

“ I have many memories of Randy but my favorite is him sicking the good morning song to me to make me laugh. I loved working with him on blood drives. My heart will always remember his smile. Test in piece my friend.

Pam Sweet

Pam Sweet - January 18, 2021 at 07:31 PM