

Homegoing Celebration for

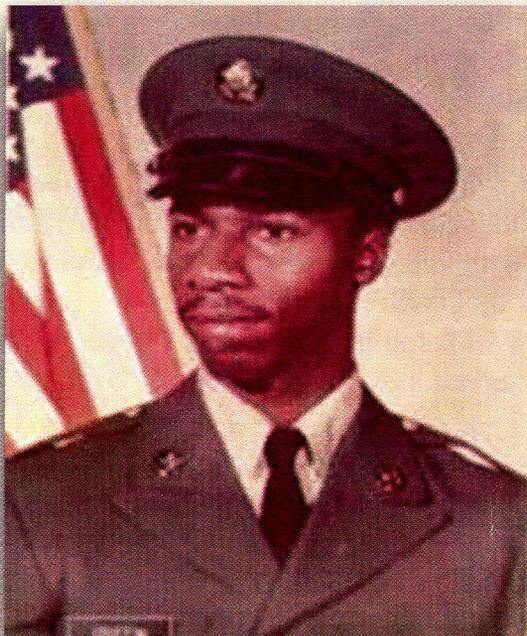
Master Sergeant

Randy

Breno

Griffin

March 27, 1955 – January 3, 2011



Saturday, January 8, 2011
12:00 P.M.

Westside Missionary Baptist Church
Decatur, Alabama

Apostle Karockas Watkins, Officiating
The Reverend George Smith, Pastor

Obituary

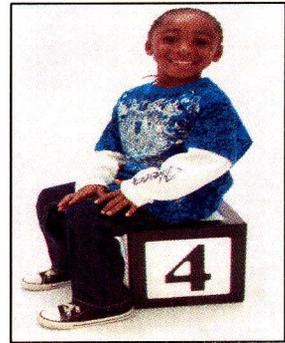
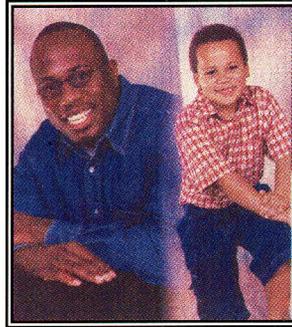
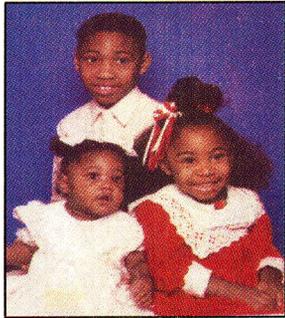
Mr. Randy Breno Griffin life's journey began on March 27, 1955, as a gift from God to the late Alonzo and Ophelia Fitzgerald Griffin of Oakville, Alabama. On Monday, January 3, 2011, God whispered and called him to rest at his residence in Decatur, Alabama. He confessed hope in Christ at an early age and joined Gibson Chapel Methodist Church, where he was a faithful member and a steward. Randy was preceded in death by his parents, one son, Jeremy McKinley Black and one brother, Leonard Stover.

He was a 1973 graduate of Speake High School in Lawrence County, Alabama. He received his certification as an electrician from Calhoun Community College. He was a retiree with 28 years of dedicated service from Delphi Corporation. He was also employed by DMS Technologies for the past two years. He was a member of Reagan Number 69 Masonic Lodge and Obra Chapter Number 148 Order of Eastern Star where he served as Worthy Patron.

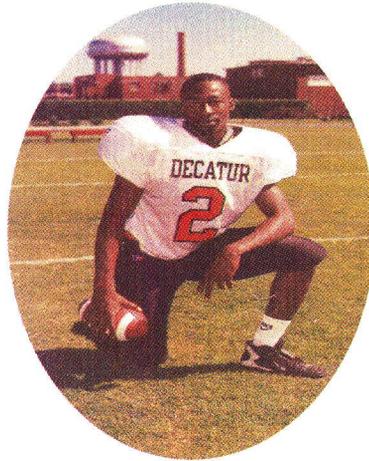
Master Sergeant Griffin served his country in the active Army Reserves for 37 plus years. He was assigned to the 13th Battalion Unit on the Redstone Arsenal.

In our hearts dwell a memory that will never be erased and a feeling of thanksgiving to God for having been privileged to share in this beautiful life of love and devotion. He leaves to cherish his precious memory the mother of his children, Jacqueline Griffin; two sons, Adrian Taylor and Randy Griffin; two daughters, Soquetta Griffin and Amelia Griffin all of Decatur, AL ; three grandchildren, Gabriel Vernon, Jamia Allard and Jeremy Strong; one brother, Gregory (Linda) Griffin of Oakville, AL; three uncles, Marvin Fitzgerald of Oakville, AL, Oscar Fitzgerald and L.V. (Laura) Griffin both of Cleveland, OH; two aunts, Arkey Williams of Cleveland, OH and Elsie Fitzgerald of Oakville, AL; two devoted friends, Noy Hamilton and Vivian Allen, godmother, Fannie Mae Pointer and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends.





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MEMORIES



A Loving Father Is A Gift From God

*A father who's loving and gently and kind,
Living each day with his children in mind is a gift
From the heart of God.*

*A father who's asking for guidance
Through prayer,
Listening and helping and
Just being there.
Planning the future with wisdom and care,
Is a gift from the heart of God.*

*Celebrating this day with a than-you prayer
For you and hoping you know how
Very much you're appreciated*



Church Membership
At
Gibson Chapel C. M. E. Church
Oakville, Alabama

The Reverend Robert Yarbrough, Jr.
Senior Pastor

Order of Service

Processional

Selection.....Choir

Prayer.....Minister Doris Baker

Scripture.....Old and New Testament.....Minister Janet White

Solo.....Dr. Claudette Owens

Tributes-

- LTC Raphael D. Bruce
13th BN Commander
- SFC Charlie Douglas
13th BN
- Mr. Butch Wiley
Delphi

Selection.....Choir

Obituary.....Read Silently

Solo.....Mr. Michael Strong

Eulogy.....Apostle Karockas Watkins

Solo.....Mrs. Jackie Griffin

Closing Prayer.....Elder Keith Williams

Recessional.....Musical Tribute.....Dr. James Reginald Jackson

Pallbearers

Donald Davis ~ David Bass ~ Billy Ray Freeman
Don Fitzgerald ~ Raymond Fitzgerald ~ Ronnie Fitzgerald

Pallbearers for Burial

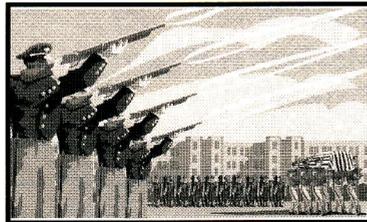
The United States Army Honor Guard

Flower Bearers

Cousins and Friends

Dove Service and Military Honors

Lindsey Cemetery
Oakville, Alabama



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to thank each of you for your kind acts of sympathy. Words can never express the gratitude that fills our hearts. We pray God's richest blessings on each of you.

Reynolds Funeral Home
www.reynoldsfh.com