



Rev Johnnie Lee Brown

August 15, 1956 - May 14, 2024

Rev. Johnnie Brown

Was born on August 15th, 1956, to the late Jesse and Tessie Brown, in Magnolia, Arkansas.

In his early years, he was employed by Freeway, later named TXI as a truck driver. Johnnie loved the Lord so much that he accepted his calling to spread the word. Johnnie became ordained in October of 2015. Johnnie was enrolled in the United Theological Seminary from August 2007-June 2011.

From 2017 to current, Johnnie was the Senior Pastor at the Antioch Baptist Church in Minden, LA.

Johnnie was also the Assistant Pastor to Senior Pastor Cleon Warren at St. John Baptist Church of Homer, La.

In earlier years, Johnnie was the Senior Pastor to Pastor C.W. Murphy at the Friendship Baptist Church of Haynesville, LA. Johnnie's mission was to bring souls to Christ. He was a dedicated pastor with experience in counseling, preaching, and teaching. He was dedicated to his congregation and discussed many opportunities for his church to excel.

The Lord saw that Johnnie was getting tired and called him home on May 14, 2024.

Johnnie⁴⁶ is survived by his children: Cedric (Destiny) Brown of Lancaster TX, Annette (Johnny) Mumphrey of Forney, TX, Rita (Calvin) Dupree of Cedar Hill, TX, and Alvin (Shawnaa) Flanigan of Magnolia, AR; Brothers: William (Shebra) Brown of Desoto, TX and Jessie (Stephanie) Brown of Balch Springs TX; Grandchildren: Cali, Tevin, Derrion, Princess, Akia and Kandyse; Great grandchildren: Madison, Ariyah, Amare, McKenzie and MyKyrie; Special friend: Coretta Ford, and a host of nieces, nephews, clergy associates and friends.

Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, May 18th, at 3:00 p.m., at the St. John Baptist Church in Homer, Louisiana. Interment will follow in the Pine Hill Cemetery in Emerson, Arkansas. Rev. Cleon Warren, Eulogist.

A visitation will be held Friday {May 17th}, from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m., at R.L. Reed Funeral Home in Magnolia, Arkansas.

“For precaution due to the COVID-19, Masks are Encouraged but Not Required While Attending the Services and During Visitation Hours. However, wearing masks ensures safety for you and others. Thank you.”

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

R.L. Reed Funeral Home
100 Hwy 79 North
Magnolia, AR 71753
(870) 901-3536

Celebration of Life

MAY 18. 3:00 PM (CT)

St. John Baptist Church
1940 St. John Road
Homer, LA 71040

Tribute Wall

MC

“ *Michael & Mary Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown* ”



Michael & Mary Clayton - May 22, 2024 at 09:14 AM

AE

“ *Arnetta Easter sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown* ”



Arnetta Easter - May 20, 2024 at 06:28 PM

KG

“ *Kelly Gentry lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown* ”



Kelly Gentry - May 17, 2024 at 04:43 PM

JO

“ *Joe Oliver lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown* ”



Joe Oliver - May 17, 2024 at 09:40 AM

MP

“ *Mary S. Pickings lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown*



Mary S. Pickings - May 16, 2024 at 04:00 PM

PF

“ *Perry Henry & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.*

Perry Henry & Family - May 16, 2024 at 03:20 PM

PF

“ *Perry Henry & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.*



Perry Henry & Family - May 16, 2024 at 03:20 PM

EF

“ *Get your rest Rev. Brown. We are going to miss you so much. You were one of the most kindest and caring person I know. I will forever remember you and that smile. Even through your sickness u still managed to smile and carry on. Prayers to your family from ours*



Eulonda Ford - May 16, 2024 at 12:54 PM

DY

“ *Darlene Young lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown*



Darlene Young - May 16, 2024 at 12:49 PM

SF

“ *The memories that I have are vast when it comes to Johnnie and my friendship. But, the one I will always remember was when he and I were going to Minden, Louisiana (5-6-24). That day felt like old times, we laughed and talked that whole day, and he (Johnnie) seemed to have a wonderful glow about him and a smile like never before, little did I know that would be the last time that I would see him, my heart is truly breaking right now. We've laughed together cried together and prayed together and we've always been special to each other. Go now my friend take your rest, you've earned it. To God be the glory. To the family of Reverend Johnnie Brown mere words really can not express the love that I have for this family. May God continue to bless and watch over you all during sorrowful time. My sincerest condolences*
Sherrie Ferguson

Sherrie Ferguson - May 16, 2024 at 12:00 PM

KL

“ *Karen+Kennedy Eaton and Jamie Levingston purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.*



Karen+Kennedy Eaton and Jamie Levingston - May 16, 2024 at 01:59 AM

LB

“ Love Always, Xavier & Skylar Brown purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.



Love Always, Xavier & Skylar Brown - May 15, 2024 at 07:23 PM

NH

“ Nina Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown



Nina Hamilton - May 15, 2024 at 01:58 PM

LB

“ RIP COUSIN JOHNNIE 🙏❤️

LATANYA DOTIE BELK - May 15, 2024 at 12:07 PM

AM

Praying for the Brown family

Ambra Montgomery - May 15, 2024 at 11:28 PM

FF

“ From All Kids of Aunt Allie Mae Ford planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.

From All Kids of Aunt Allie Mae Ford - May 15, 2024 at 11:53 AM

FF

“ *From All Kids of Aunt Allie Mae Ford purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown.*



From All Kids of Aunt Allie Mae Ford - May 15, 2024 at 11:53 AM

LR

“ *Praying for Bro. & Sis. Brown n the family.*

Larry n Mary Ross - May 15, 2024 at 06:39 AM

LT

“ *Lora Thomas lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown*



Lora Thomas - May 15, 2024 at 12:15 AM

DH

“ *DEARLEAN HUGHES lit a candle in memory of Rev Johnnie Lee Brown*



DEARLEAN HUGHES - May 14, 2024 at 05:32 PM