



Oliver Randolph Derricotte

June 5, 1949 - August 15, 2025

With heavy hearts, we share the passing of our beloved Oliver Randolph Derricotte—known to all of us as Randy—who was born on June 5, 1949. Randy was the devoted son of Gladys and Randolph Derricotte and a lifelong Washingtonian who carried the warmth of his hometown everywhere he went. As a boy, he loved the simple joys of summer—swimming at East Potomac Park, laughing with friends at Calvary Recreation Center, and enjoying the neighborhood pools. He was proud to learn how to drive as a teen and became so trusted behind the wheel that he served as the designated driver for the President of a local union for nearly two decades.

Randy had a joyful spirit and a kind, easygoing nature. He never missed a family gathering and always made it a point to call on your birthday—if he didn't have your number, he'd call someone who did, just to send his love. He had a remarkable memory and could recall stories from childhood and the names of friends from long ago. Making friends came naturally to him—and keeping them did, too.

He was especially dedicated to caring for his mother when she was diagnosed with dementia, doing so quietly and without complaint. His love showed in his actions—like stepping in to take his great-nephew Daniel to school when needed, or cheering for his favorite team, the Washington Commanders, even as he playfully rooted against his mother's beloved Cowboys.

Randy leaves behind a family who loved him deeply: his sister Denise Derricotte, brother Wayne Derricotte; nieces Pamela Scott (Abraham), Tisha

Adeleke (Tola), Tyrene Derricotte, and Kimberly Campbell; cousins Barbara White and Luke White; and a host of extended family and cherished friends. He was preceded in death by his brother Stanley Derricotte, his sister Michele Peyton, and his parents, Gladys and Randolph Derricotte.

Randy was a constant presence in our lives—steady, kind, and full of heart. Though he may no longer be with us, his love and gentle spirit will remain woven into the fabric of our family. We will carry him with us always.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

From the Heart Church Ministries
5055 Allentown Road
Camp Springs, MD 20746

Memorial Service

SEP 2. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TA

“ Uncle Randy, your passing was definitely a shock. The remarkable parts of life aren't just the day we're born or the day we die, but how we lived the dash in between. Thank you for the way you cared for your mom—my grandmother—in her later years. I never once heard you complain, say you were tired, or that it was too much. You simply did what needed to be done. You were funny, humble, kind, and always considerate. We will miss your constant presence in our lives.

Tisha (Tee) Adeleke - August 27, 2025 at 10:37 AM

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“ Randy we love you so much. Words can express my gratitude. You were like the grandfather that I never had. I rarely was ever told no by you. You were ALWAYS here for me. I'll never forget you. Losing you hurt me more than I can imagine dude. I hope you're at peace. Job well done Unc. We love you 🥺

Faith Brown - August 25, 2025 at 02:37 PM

PS

“ To my Aunt and Uncle Wayne, I know this is a blow to you guys too.....Another sibling has left, but I know that God got you both and will hold you closely!!

Pam Scott - August 25, 2025 at 09:03 AM

PS

“ Uncle Randy was my friend and uncle thru Marriage. But he been in my life for nearly 35 years. A great man, straight up honest man and just an all-around cool dude. We miss you!! Randy. Abraham & Pam

Pam Scott - August 25, 2025 at 09:00 AM

PS

“ So, miss my Uncle Randy who was like a DAD to me. This just seems so unreal, but I thank God for his life, and the years God gave him.

Neice,
Pam

Pam Scott - August 25, 2025 at 08:57 AM

DD

“ My brother Randy, I wish miss you dearly. The laid back spirit and the calm demeanor. You will be missed at the family gatherings. Love you always. Denise



Denise Derricotte - August 25, 2025 at 08:55 AM

AB

“ Unc Randy I miss you very much and glad you was in my life

Abraham - August 23, 2025 at 01:01 PM

PS

“ To my beautiful Uncle/Dad you are so missed. I just can't believe you are gone and I thank God for you and your life. Love you to the moon and back!!!

pamela SCOTT - August 23, 2025 at 12:55 PM

JD

“ I am sending my condolences to the Derricott family during this difficult time. God will take you through. Randy was such a kind, pleasant person and always available to take me and Michele Peyton to airport when we needed go. I will keep you in my prayers.

Jeanette Devins - August 23, 2025 at 12:12 PM



“ We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - August 21, 2025 at 04:09 PM