

## Order of Service

### Prelude Music

“Something About the Name Jesus”

### Processional

### Call to Worship

Rev. Randolph Hartgrove, Jr.

### Scripture Readings

Diadora Glenn

Old Testament Psalm 121:1-8

New Testament John 14:1-6

### Prayer of Comfort

Catrina Johnson

### Reflections (2 minutes, please)

### Tribute

Catrina Johnson

### Musical Selection

“The Best in Me” Composer Marvin Sapp

### Words of Comfort

Rev. Randolph Hartgrove, Jr.

### Closing Prayer

Pastor Gene McCorkle

### Recessional

“You’re Not Alone” Composer Michael Jackson

### Interment

Armstrong Cemetery  
Gastonia, North Carolina



### Your Daughters

See Ya Later (Thoughts and Feelings)

Hey daddy, when you passed, it rained the next day. Confused and crying, wishing the rain would wash away this pain I’m feeling. I will never forget to “never show my weakness.” But daddy, no matter how hard I try, I find myself breaking down. I will surely cherish all of our memories together (the good and the bad). I know that I am gonna miss you saying, “My daughter and my baby” with so much proudness and pride. Thank you for keeping your promise, daddy, by making sure no matter what, “you were gonna walk your baby down the aisle to my now husband.” LOL. Hearing always asks where my son-in-law at? Or how your son-in-law doing? You will definitely be missed by everyone you’ve crossed paths with. Hey daddy, this is not goodbye, more like see ya later. Love ya always and 4ever your one and only daughter, AKA “Your Baby”



### Floral and Pall Bearers

Family and Friends

### NOTE OF THANKS

We, the family of Mr. Oris Johnson, III, would like to thank everyone for your many acts of kindness shown during the passing of our beloved. Please continue to keep us in your prayers. May God continue to bless all of you.

### ARRANGEMENTS WERE ENTRUSTED TO:

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# *Celebrating the Life* In Loving Memory of **Mr. Oris Alfred Johnson III**



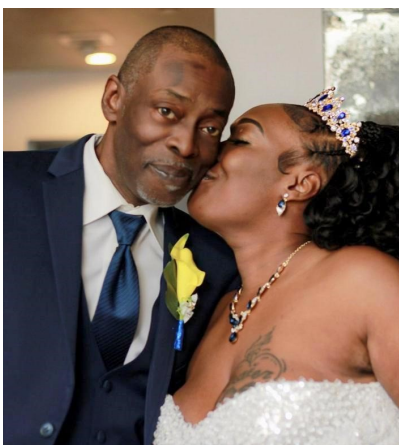
**OCTOBER 19, 1968 - NOVEMBER 18, 2024**

**Gregory Funeral Service Chapel**  
601 North York Street  
Gastonia, North Carolina

**Saturday, November 23, 2024**  
**1:30 p.m.**

**Reverend Randolph Hartgrove, Officiating**





**Oris Alfred Johnson III**, also affectionately known by many other aliases by his family and friends included Puddin' (childhood nickname), P, PJ, Chris and Cowboy. He was born on October 19, 1968, at now known as Caromont Regional Medical Center in Gastonia, North Carolina to Mr. Oris A. Johnson, Jr. and Barbara J. Johnson.

He was educated in the Gaston County School System and attended Ashbrook High School, Gastonia, NC. He worked at Sonny Hancock of Gastonia, NC. He was a very proud father and grandfather. Oris hobbies include working with model cars. His favorite musical artists were Prince and Michael Jackson. He was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents: Mr. Oris A. Johnson, Sr. and Mrs. Connie Mayo Johnson; maternal grandparents: Mr. William A. Gingles and Mrs. Marie C. Gingles and a son: Ja'mond R. Burney.

He leaves to cherish his memories to his parents: Mr. Oris A. Johnson, Jr. and Mrs. Barbara J. Johnson of Shelby, NC; his daughter: Erica L. Hartgrove (Xavier) of Shelby, NC; siblings: Andrea L. Johnson (John) of Kings Mountain, NC, and Alfred G. Johnson (Catrina) of Cherryville, NC; grandchildren: Samaii A. S. Johnson, De'marria J. R. Johnson, De'Andre N. Byrd, and O'Savior J. O. Burdine; fiancée, Kim Brown, and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

