

# *In Loving Memory*

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The family of Donnie Humphrey would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for the love, support, and kindness shown to us during this difficult time. Your prayers, comforting words, visits, calls, and acts of generosity have truly meant the world to us.

A special thank you to our extended family and friends, for standing by us with unwavering support. Though our hearts are heavy, we find comfort in knowing that Donnie was surrounded by love. May God bless each of you for your

kindness and compassion.

With love and appreciation,

-The Humphrey Family



## Donnie "Sonny" Humphrey

FEBRUARY 12, 1952 — FEBRUARY 19, 2025

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2025

5:00 - 7:00 PM

SANDERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL



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# OBITUARY

Donnie Humphrey, affectionately known as "Sonny," was born on February 12, 1952, in Wayne County, NC, to Daniel Floye Humphrey and Mary Elizabeth Harvey Humphrey. He transitioned from this life to his eternal rest on January 19, 2025.

Donnie was raised in Wayne County before moving to Johnston County at a young age. He received his formal education in the Johnston County Public School System, graduating from North Johnston High School.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Mary Humphrey; stepfather, Cassie Hinnant; father, Daniel Humphrey; baby sister, Brenda "Rose" Humphrey; and three brothers: Demorris "Jim" Humphrey, Anthony "Red" Humphrey, and Billy Wadworth.

Donnie will be deeply missed by many. He leaves behind his beloved wife, Carolyn Humphrey, and stepchildren: Monique Davis, Kendrick Davis, and Torrell Small. He is also survived by his sister, Bonnie Bennett (Ronald); brother, Danny Humphrey (Neese), both of Kenly, NC; sisters-in-law, Gloria Humphrey of Smithfield, NC, and Carolyn Wadworth of Goldsboro, NC; brother-in-law, Willie Roger (Barbara) of Micro, NC, and a host of nieces, nephews, and cherished family friends will miss him dearly.

## Broken Chain

We little knew that morning  
that God was going to call your name.  
In life, we loved you dearly,  
in death, we do the same.  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
but you did not go alone,  
for part of us went with you  
the day God called you home.  
You left us peaceful memories,  
your love is still our guide,  
and though we cannot see you,  
you are always at our side.  
Our family chain is broken,  
and nothing seems the same,  
but as God calls us one by one,  
the chain will link again.

