



## Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright

January 24, 1963 - January 15, 2023

Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright, 59, of Peoria, Illinois transitioned to his heavenly home at 10:31 am on Sunday, January 15, 2023 at his home surrounded by his family.

Johnny was born on January 24, 1963 in Scott, Mississippi to Johnny and Ruby (Erving) Wright.

Johnny was an entrepreneur. He was skilled at many types of trades including mechanics, carpentry and plumbing. He loved to fix things and would often times take things apart just to put them back together. In his spare time, Johnny loved fishing and being with his family and friends. He was a soft-spoken person whom all that knew him would listen intently when he spoke.

Johnny leaves to cherish his most precious memory his four sons, Quandel Wright, Dominic Wright, Isaiah Bassett and Johnny "Levi" Wright; seven daughters, Atonya Krigner, Debracca Wright, Sharnitha Krigner, Chaquita Krigner, Nicole Krigner, Misty Krigner and Shawda Krigner all of Peoria, IL; two brothers, Sammie (Trina) Wright of Fort Wayne, IN and Charles Mitchell of Mississippi; six sisters, Eunice Wright, Mary Wright and Sandra Wright all of Peoria, IL, Beatrice (Ervin) Sturdivant, MS, Debora Wright and Joyce Wright all of Metcalf, MS; 34 grandchildren and a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends who loved him. He is preceded in death by his parents; sister, Shirley Wright; two grandsons, LaBron Wright and Dennis Porter, Jr. and one granddaughter, Destiny Porter.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am on Tuesday, January 24, 2023 at Sovereign Grace M.B. Church

with a visitation one-hour prior beginning at 10:00 noon. Pastor Larry Johnson of Galena Park Baptist Church will officiate. Johnny will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [SimonsMortuary.com](http://SimonsMortuary.com).

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE (Central Time). Due to Covid-19, social distancing is encouraged to be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services.

\*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

\*It is our responsibility as Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

# Cemetery Details

## Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St  
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sovereign Grace M.B. Church  
1505 W. Martin Street  
Peoria, IL 61605

## Funeral Service

JAN 24. 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM (CT)

Sovereign Grace M.B. Church  
1505 W. Martin Street  
Peoria, IL 61605

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright*



**Simons Mortuary** - January 24, 2023 at 03:24 PM



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright*



**Simons Mortuary** - January 23, 2023 at 06:12 PM



“ *Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Johnny Donnell Wright*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Burial at Lutheran Cemetery*



**Simons Mortuary** - January 24, 2023 at 03:24 PM

LJ

“ We thank our heavenly Father for sharing Johnny D. Wright with us, he will be greatly missed.  
My prayers and condolence go out to his family and friends with words of comfort. John 14:1-4, “Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. 2 In My Father’s house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. 4 And where I go you know, and the way you know.”  
I know words can not take away the pain of losing a loved one, let these words comfort you and your family,  
May the grace of God and the sweet communion of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ rest rule and abide with you forever Amen. Ps. 30:5b. “Weeping may endure for a night, But joy comes in the morning.”  
Lovingly Submitted  
Pastor Larry Johnson

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Larry Johnson - January 23, 2023 at 09:11 AM

VG

“ Vicky Gagliardi lit a candle in memory of Johnny Wright



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Vicky L Gagliardi - January 21, 2023 at 08:25 PM

VG

“ My friend I will miss you RIP

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Vicky L Gagliardi - January 21, 2023 at 08:25 PM

MP

“ Nancy Pittman lit a candle in memory of Johnny Wright



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Nancy Pittman - January 21, 2023 at 05:53 PM

NR

“ Nelley Rasberry sent a virtual gift in memory of Johnny Wright



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**Nelley Rasberry** - January 18, 2023 at 06:01 PM

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“ Nelley Rasberry lit a candle in memory of Johnny Wright



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**Nelley Rasberry** - January 18, 2023 at 06:01 PM

EY

*Praise God for Donnell Wright life and witness. Sending my deepest sympathy. I am praying that God comforts you all like no one can ever do. I pray that God gives you the strength to live life like Donnell Wright would want you to live. Words cannot express my deepest sympathy for you all my family and friends. I do ask God to comfort you during this time of pain and sorrow.*

*Humbly Submitted  
Evelyn Young, Peoria, Illinois.*

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**Evelyn Young** - January 19, 2023 at 02:39 PM