



## Randall Barry Rankin

May 12, 1949 - November 2, 2013

Randall “Randy” Barry Rankin, 64, of Montgomery, Texas, fell asleep in death Monday, October 28, 2013 at Methodist Hospital in Houston. A memorial service will be held November 2nd at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah’s Witnesses at 4925 Monroe Hwy Ball, LA. Burial following at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Monroe Hwy Ball, LA. Randy was born to Vernon and Vivian Rankin on May 12, 1949 in Olla, LA. He is survived by his mother Vivian, sister Sharon, wife Nadine of 43 years, his five daughters Aimee, Andrea, Piper, Whitney, Taylor, granddaughter Ryan, grandsons Zander, Landen, and Easton. Randy lived in the Pineville/Alexandria, Louisiana area for most of his life. There he started his auto parts business out of the trunk of his car at 18, and Rankin Automotive became a very successful business that later was publicly traded. Randy was extraordinarily gifted with numbers and a salesman that could sell ice to an eskimo. He was an outgoing, lovable person that lit up the room with his contagious smile and laughter. A faithful husband and friend, Randy’s wit, charm, and sense of humor proved to be the right antidote on many occasion. One of the most important days of his life was his dedication and baptism on January 23, 1965 as one of Jehovah’s Witnesses. He had a fervent faith in the Creator, Jehovah God and his son Jesus Christ, which he lovingly inculcated in his children. As a zealous life-long teacher of the Bible, he helped many to serve God and better their lives. Other than his ministry, his favorite pastime was learning and searching for rare antiques and art. His love of music permeated the household with him playing the guitar or

piano, and his girls on the piano and everybody singing. We all now eagerly await the day when our Heavenly Father calls out to Randy in the resurrection, and he will answer. We all miss you Daddy and can't wait to see you again! You are invited to leave memorial condolences to the family at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Randall Barry Rankin*

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November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *For many years I had the pleasure of Randy as a friend, client and as a member of the board of Rankin Automotive. My thoughts and prayers are with his family as they live with his loss.*

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**Ricky L Sooter** - November 02, 2013 at 03:32 PM



“ *Nadine and Family, My family and I would like to express our condolences to you. You will be in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Kelvin, Lisa and Austin Evans*

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**Kelvin L. Evans** - November 02, 2013 at 11:46 AM



“ *Having known Randy and family for many years we will certainly miss our friend but we have faith in the resurrection. We always looked forward to seeing him , Nadine and the girls and will continue doing so in the future. Our thoughts and prayers are continually with the family. The Goudeau family, Pineville, La.*

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**Vinton Goudeau** - November 02, 2013 at 10:07 AM

TK

“ *Nadine, LSU has lost a great fan and the antique world has lost a great treasure hunter and collector. I greatly enjoyed the time I spent with Randy. I will miss him. My condolences to you and the girls. Tom Kennedy*

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**Tom Kennedy** - November 01, 2013 at 06:37 PM

JS

“ *Nadine, Vivian, Aimee, Andrea, Piper, Whitney, and Taylor: Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this sad time. Randy will be remembered fondly by many. We have many wonderful memories of him as an loving family man, successful business man, and attentive Montessori Educational Center board member. Condolences and love from the Smiths in Pineville, Houston, and Pleasanton, California.*

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**Jim and Rosemary Smith** - November 01, 2013 at 04:37 PM

RP

“ *Please accept my heartfelt condolences for your recently loss. Although we never understand God's plans, I pray that He gives you comfort and peace in your time of bereavement. Mr. Rankin was such a pleasure to work with and he was so eagered to learn all that he could about the credit card processing business.*

*You now have a wonderful angel watching over you.*

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**Renee Peters** - November 01, 2013 at 04:22 PM

TD

“ Whitney and Taylor,

*I am so sorry to hear about the death of your father. I have seen and talked to him numerous times when he was in Alexandria. Your Dad was a very nice man. Please pass my regrets to your mother and sisters.*

*Coach Damico*

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**tony damico** - November 01, 2013 at 11:39 AM

EC

“ We are so sorry to hear about Randy. He will be greatly missed. Our prayers are with you, Ed and Jacque Caplan

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**Ed and Jacque Caplan** - November 01, 2013 at 10:53 AM

KK

“ I am so extremely sorry for your loss. May Jehovah provide you peace and comfort during this difficult time.

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**Kelley Hertel Kramer** - November 01, 2013 at 10:09 AM

AG

“ Nadine, girls and Vivian: We were deeply saddened to hear of Randy's passing. Adron worked with him at J.C.Penneys when Randy was 16 years old. I worked for him at Rankin Automotive for several years. It was my favorite place to work because of the people there led by a magnetic personality, Randy. May God bless you in this time. Donna Gardner, Deville, La

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**Adron & Donna Gardner** - November 01, 2013 at 10:00 AM

HY

“ I remember Randy so well. He was a young man when I came into the Truth and always had a smile for everyone. May Jehovah give you peace at this sad time. Fortunately we have this great hope of seeing him again on a paradise earth.

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**hazel yates** - November 01, 2013 at 09:22 AM

RB

“ Ray and I send our condolences to you Nadine and your family. We are truly sorry. We too look forward to the resurrection. We send our love to the family.

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**Raymond and Dea Beauford** - November 01, 2013 at 08:43 AM

KM

“ To the Rankin Family...I am so very sorry to hear of your loss of Randy. I worked with Randy in his credit card processing business as his NPC Gem rep for years. He was a wonderful person and he will be greatly missed here at NPC.

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**Kim Malone** - November 01, 2013 at 08:13 AM

JG

“ Nadine and family, We are very saddened by the death of Randy. He was always so very upbeat and we enjoyed our many conversations with him at the pool and clubhouse. He is with Our Lord now and we pray for him and your family. Please know that we will continue to keep you all in our prayers. Joseph and Donna Guido

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**Joseph and Donna Guido** - October 31, 2013 at 09:21 PM

LD

“ *My prayers are with the family. Was always nice talking to him when he called in looking for assistance. So sadden to hear the news. God Bless the Family.*

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**Larzetta Deloney** - October 31, 2013 at 05:02 PM

CU

“ *We were saddened to hear about your loss. May the sweet fragrance of your memories comfort you. Please know that we are here for you.*

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**Candace & David Unruh** - October 31, 2013 at 03:55 PM

CK

“ *Randy helped us with our business adding that personal touch. He was an awesome help and became a dear friend. We will truly miss him.*

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**carroll and robert knauf** - October 31, 2013 at 03:29 PM

MC

“ *Nadine and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I will miss him so much at the pool. May the Lord give you peace and you will be in my prayers. Marion B102*

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**Marion Collins** - October 31, 2013 at 09:15 AM

MS

“ *Nadine,*

*My condolences to you and your family at this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Murray Sullivan*

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**Murray Sullivan** - October 31, 2013 at 08:41 AM

KB

“ *To the Rankin Family:*

*May the Lord look after your family at this most difficult time. Never lose your faith in God. He will help your family get through this. May Randy's soul rest in peace. Our thoughts prayers are with you and your family.*

*Keith G. Bono, Dana L. Wimberly and Rada T. Bono  
Opelousas, Louisiana*

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**Keith Bono** - October 30, 2013 at 07:10 PM