



## Deacon Ronald Barrymore Cousins

August 28, 1952 - April 29, 2012

Born on August 28, 1952, Ronald Barrymore Cousins, was the son of the late Wilbert Herman Cousins, Sr. and the late Lillian Arthea Dotson Cousins. Ronald's brother, Tyrone Cousins, predeceased him. Ronald went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, April 29, 2012.

Ronald attended Richmond Public Schools. He worked for Manhattan Cab Company, a pharmaceutical company and several other employers.

Ronald accepted Christ at an early age, and was baptized at Timothy Baptist Church, which is now New Timothy Baptist Church Ministries. He was an active member who loved the Lord and he loved his church family. He was ordained as a Deacon on Friday, April 27, 2012.

Ronald was affectionally known to many as "Whale" as in the "whale" of the ocean and the "whale" of the sea. His favorite pastimes were shooting pool, playing bingo, listening to his music and visiting his favorite barbershops. He loved spending holidays with his family. Downtown was one of his special places to visit.

He leaves to cherish his memory stepmother, Almeda N. Cousins; four sisters, Lillian C. Lampley (Dennis, Sr.), Marie R. Cousins, Darlene Nunery and Mamie Nunery; four brothers, Wilbert H. Cousins, Jr. (Daisy), Vernon B.

Cousins, Sr. (Sandra), Everett D. Cousins and Ellis E. Cousins, a devoted cousin, Minnie B. Purdue; a devoted friend, Bernadine Hurt, a host of nieces, great nieces, nephews, great nephews, cousins and a host of other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Cemetery

1401 S. Randolph Street  
Richmond, VA 23220

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

**MAY 3.** 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Avenue  
Richmond, VA 23222  
(804) 321-4200  
info@marchfh.com  
<https://www.marchfuneralhomevirginia.com/>

## Family Hour

**MAY 3.** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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MAY 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

The New Timothy Baptist Church  
3 W. Marshall Street  
Richmond, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Deacon Ronald Barrymore Cousins*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!*

**Ms Springer** - May 02, 2012 at 03:28 PM



*Deacon Ronald Cousins was my 1st cousin. Will miss not seeing him in and around the VCU hospital . We will all miss him but we know where he is, safe in the arms of the Lord.*

**joyce marie venerable smith** - May 03, 2012 at 09:24 PM



*Ronald is my brother. I always looked forward to your calls in the middle of the night when Im dead aleep, and transporting him back and forth to the grocery store. You will be truly missed.*

*Your brother Vernon*

**Vernon B. Cousins Sr.** - May 08, 2012 at 08:21 PM

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*Uncle Ronald, I will miss you coming over to my parents house for Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners. During the blessing while everybody heads were bowed and eyes were closed, you were the only one at the table who started eating. You will always be remembered in the Cousins family. Rest In Peace uncle.*

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**Eric Cousins** - May 08, 2012 at 08:26 PM



*“ We the March Family and 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.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - May 01, 2012 at 02:39 PM