



## Louis Lincoln Reynolds

April 9, 1938 - May 1, 2020

Louis Lincoln Reynolds departed this life on May 1st 2020 at age 82. He was born on the island of Jamaica where he was educated and pursued a successful career as a Certified Public Accountant.

He leaves to mourn his wife Cynthia, 6 children, Norman, Donna, Michele, Audrey, Karen and Lou. He also leaves to mourn 12 grandchildren, siblings and a host of nieces and nephews. Louis was predeceased by his first wife Beulah (Rosie).

RIP Louis, Dad, Grandpa/Papa, Uncle Louis, Minister Reynolds.

# Comments

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“ Uncle Louise, our conversations have been far and few apart but when we do connect they are never less than memorable. I am very thankful to God that we had the opportunity to speak about two and a half years ago. Just around the time of Dad's passing. I'm grateful for your thoughts and your williness to assist. Now you can rest in peace. Your legacy lives on.

To the family, I wish I could be there physically to support you as you did for us when Dad passed. But please know that I'm there in spirit and I have you in my prayers.

May God's love enfold you and bring you comfort at this time.

Marie Lisle-Blake - May 14, 2020 at 04:50 PM

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“ To the Reynolds Family:

Our hearts are bittersweet as we mourn the passing of our dear friend Minister Louis Reynolds.

Bitter because we will miss his presence in the earth. Sweet because we have a countless treasure of memories we can draw from. The hilarious times we shared with he and his family in Jamaica and here in the states formed an endless bond that will forever be treasured in our hearts.

When I look at this picture of him I say to myself; yes, that's him: stern, focused and funny. There were times when he tried to keep that strong poker face, that his contagious smile took over and came through to reveal what was truly on the inside. A man of compassion.

We want the family to know that though we are unable to be physically present to join in the celebration of his life, we will be together in spirit to celebrate our friend who has finished his course and will forever be with the Lord.

We love you all and send our love and prayers to the entire Reynolds family. If at any time you need us as you go through the weeks, months and years ahead, please know that we are here for you and continue to pray your strength in the Lord.

Much Love!

Be Blessed!

Bishop Stanley & Pastor Ruth Choate

New England Pentecostal Ministries Church Family

Pastor Ruth Choate - May 14, 2020 at 04:10 PM

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“ First to begin with, let me express my condolences to the family and friends.

I have known Minister Reynolds for the past three decades.

He was a man of high integrity, love his family, caring, and always ready to help those who are in need.

Rest in peace my brother.

**Trevor Hooper** - May 12, 2020 at 06:48 PM

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“ Grandpa, you were a man of your word, faithful, a provider, and a comedian!

Thank you for pouring your light into my mother, aunts and uncles for they would not be who they are, if it were not for you. Today, I look back on all the memories and I hold them dear to my heart.

Your dedication, passion and work ethic will live on in your children and grandchildren.

Thanks for loving me.

**Nicole Jackson** - May 11, 2020 at 05:56 PM

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“ I say goodbye to an honorable, principled gentleman. The light of your creative genius has gone out, but it's warmth continues in the hearts of many.

You've been a true friend to the very end. Your loving, unwavering support through a very dark time in my life, and continued friendship through 34+ years, evidenced your uncompromising integrity and friendship. I couldn't have asked for better.

I will always cherish those very long telephone conversations--2-3 hours on any given Sunday evening was never enough time to say all that could be said. We certainly had the gift of gab . Even in early April when your breathing was labored, we still enjoyed a lively (and unexpectedly lengthy) discourse. You assured me then, as you did earlier this year, that you were at peace and completely ready to be with your beloved Lord and Savior.

You never made it back to Miami a second time, but I'm happy we were able to see each other in person when I visited with you in that nursing home. You were as sharp, witty, hopeful and encouraging as you've always been. I cherish the memories of our times together, and I'm happy that you've found the rest your soul so long had craved.

"You have fought the good fight, you have finished the race, you have kept the faith. Now there is in store for you the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award you on that day . . ." (2 Tim. 4:6-7) (NIV).

See you in glory my friend.  
The Honorable Lornette Cunningham-Reynolds.

Lornette Reynolds - May 10, 2020 at 02:37 PM

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“ Gone, but not forgotten! You had your way with words and although sometimes you gave me pause, at the end of the day I had to admit "you are who you are and there's no changing you".

The stories of your childhood and how you exceeded expectations bring a certain pride to me. It is that drive that brought you to where you were before you became ill. That same drive that you instilled in your children and other family members.

Rest in peace Uncle Louis, your big sister and little brother are happy to be with you again.

Love always  
Janet

Janet Chin-See - May 08, 2020 at 06:37 PM

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“ Louis, I am comforted by the fond memories of your sharp wit, your generosity and your understated brilliance. I will be forever grateful to your family and to God for having shared you, one of God's most well crafted creations, to enrich my life as you have done so many others... You called me your doctor but I called you my brother and friend. As my career developed I could always go to the grandstand where you were ever present cheering me on. Thank you... thank you... thank you.

Dr. Delroy Jefferson - May 08, 2020 at 02:51 PM

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Lou Reynolds - May 07, 2020 at 08:19 PM

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“ Hi Uncle Louis,  
You have gone off to get plenty of well deserved rest and relaxation. Thank you so much for being there for dad over the years. He thought a great deal of you so much so that he named me after you. I understand that you have always done it your way, a legacy of which you can be proud. Recently I had the wonderful pleasure of speaking with Donna and Audrey. I promise to do my best to stay in touch.  
With admiration and appreciation.  
Louis Lincoln A. Foster

Louis Foster - May 07, 2020 at 01:56 PM

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“ It is in these moments that we are reminded how frail we are and that time waits on no one. My Dad was strong willed to a fault which sometimes made for amusing moments...if you were not at the receiving end of it! My family and I will always cherish the memories we had with him.

Enjoy the other side, Dad.

I love you.

Norman

**Norman** - May 07, 2020 at 01:31 PM



“ I had a very long, life-changing and spiritually uplifting relationship with Louis, my departed friend and brother in the Lord.

Lou, as I would call him, had a great sense of humor and we both could discover the "funny" side of every situation.

Although my elder by just one year, Lou taught me many things from accounting/business to christian living, for which I shall be eternally grateful. The one that stood out most was his teaching on Tithing. As a landlord, my tithe formula was 10% of net rental. Lou said "not so my brother, the Lord blessed you with the gross rent and therefore your tithe formula should be 10% of gross rent". My giving to the Lord was transformed and I am the happier for it.

God made each of us "unique" but He made Louis "very, very unique" and blessed him with much wisdom.

As he sleeps in Christ until resurrection day, may we all take hope in Jesus' promise in John 14: 1-3.

On behalf of the Anderson family, condolences are hereby sent to his devoted wife, children, grandchildren and other members of his family.

Raymond Anderson (Friend)

**Raymond Anderson** - May 09, 2020 at 06:37 PM

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“ This is still surreal for me. We spoke about so many things including death and your fearlessness for death because you were ready. We would speak for hours and the conversation would not lack any need for a new topic. So many times you would say things and I could not help but tell you that you and your brother are the exact same people...it's the Reynolds blood and you would laugh. I felt like daddy was still here when we had our conversations; so very similar in the things you did and say. You never missed a moment of asking about my siblings and their families, neither about mine. I have never left from your presence when you were here or from a call without a word of encouragement and blessing. Long meters was what you referred to us as...because we talked forever. I write now with tears but also joy of the moments we had. I will miss you but I know you are in a better place...a place you spoke about and a place you were ready to be. Rest well Uncle Louis! Love you always!

To my cousins and their children - Nikki and I are here. Just very sorry that travel ban has placed a restriction on us but please know that we are praying for you and sending our love your way.

**Dawn Reynolds Smith** - May 07, 2020 at 01:23 PM

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“ My dear Uncle Louis,  
I have such fond memories of you growing up as a kind and gentle man, with one of the nicest smiles I've ever seen. You were always there for my father, whether in person or having long phone conversations. I know he'll be happy for your company and to walk together once again. You will be greatly missed.  
Maria Foster-Pottinger



**Maria Pottinger** - May 07, 2020 at 09:05 AM

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“ Uncle Louis,

Thank you for the memories whether they are my own, daddy's or Dawn's. When I think of you I smile, sometimes I even let out a good chuckle not because the thought is always funny but because it's authentically and unapologetically you. You will be missed. Now go catch up on the last 20 yrs with your brother and drive each other crazy trying to win some debate on a topic absolutely no one else cares about but you two. Uncle Alvin will be in the background humming when he feels like he's being forced to choose a side.

Love,  
Nikki

Ms. Cynthia, Norman, Donna, Michelle, Audrey, Karen, Lou & your families: I'm thinking of you guys. Love you all.

**Nicola Reynolds-Murray** - May 06, 2020 at 09:39 PM

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“ I appreciate my dad's drive and work ethic. His confidence made him comfortable with any audience. He believed in providing for his family and that anything was achievable no matter how difficult it may seem as long as you put your trust in God. These are the lessons and principles that I have learned and tried to implement in my life. There are many compliments, achievements, and successes I could name that would represent dad's life but none speaks more to the title of father than his 6 children. As a father of two children, one of which is now a young adult, I have great appreciation for a what it takes to provide for them and give them a path forward into their life. Thank you for the many lessons learned in several different ways. They have helped to shape my character and become the person I am today. Rest well dad!

Love,  
Lou



**Lou Reynolds** - May 06, 2020 at 04:52 PM



“ My sincere sympathy too the family!

**Julia Shepherd** - May 06, 2020 at 09:00 PM



“ Praying a d standing with the Reynolds. i have many memories my trips to Jamaica n learning so much from listening and watching Bro Reynolds carry his life, his determination to care for his family always God first. Rest in Peace

**Leticia-Letty** - May 06, 2020 at 11:57 PM



“ Though I did not know Mr. Reynolds in the close circles that intimate family relations and friends enjoy, I can say without any reservation that from my more remote orbit as the occasional visitor; even from a distance this man commanded a great degree of respect for the manner in which his faith informed his life and marked his children whom I knew to a greater extent as excellent men and women.

My most profound condolences to his family. We grieve but not as they that no hope, but look for a better better resurrection when we awake in HIS likeness.

GBY

Tony Ricketts

**Tony Ricketts** - May 07, 2020 at 10:50 AM



“ A strong man of God has gone home i will remember him as a very intelligent man that raised awesome children .

**Jay Jackson** - May 07, 2020 at 08:32 PM



“ I thank you that in my time of greatest need you showed the love of a father and a grandpa. It meant the world to the girls and I. Rest In Peace Dad. We love you.



Michele Holloman - May 06, 2020 at 04:09 PM

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“ I've spent the last 22 years memorializing my Mom and the best of who she was, I'll do the same for you now Dad.  
As I saw the picture of Dad behind his desk with books open, computer and midnight light burning, I instantly remembered sitting in his chair pretending to be the boss. The work ethic and drive you showed us is reflected in all of us. I know you were proud of our achievements and you can rest peacefully knowing we've worked hard to pass it on and that the drive to achieve is alive in the next generation.  
If you believed in something you'd fight for it, fund it, give long dissertations to support it, and I mean long, very long. Passion for your belief was never lacking. As we say goodbye Dad, your life's journey and achievements will be measured not by where you ended, but from where you started, and what you started. You had much to be proud of that will continue in your name. Godspeed Dad.  
Love,  
Karen



Karen Reynolds Reehling - May 06, 2020 at 12:37 AM

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Gerard Frater - May 06, 2020 at 12:16 AM



“ Uncle Louis, you and Aunty Rosie were extremely protective of your daughters and I was the first brave young man to try that minefield of trying to date your daughter Audrey. you made me "earn my lunch". You were initially tough on me with earning your trust with dating and ultimately marrying your daughter. Having children of my own I understand why you were so protective. Over the years we built mutual respect and love for each other. The last time we spoke was about a week from your death. Prior to our conversation you asked me for a chunk of time for us to talk and you told me that you did not have long left on this earth. I enjoyed that conversation and keep replaying it in my head. We mutually expressed our love for each other. I admire you ambitious drive to succeed and you encouraged me to do the same. When I earned my Master Degree, I remember you said, "well that's great, but when are you going to start pursuing the Doctorate?". Thank you Uncle Louis for allowing me to get to know you and share in your life. Your son-in-law, Gerard RIP.



**Gerard Frater** - May 05, 2020 at 10:33 PM

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**Cynthia Reynolds** - May 05, 2020 at 09:44 PM



“ Hon, you are gone, but you will not be forgotten. May you Rest In Peace.

**Cynthia Reynolds** - May 05, 2020 at 10:00 PM

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“ Grandpa, you were an amazing provider and teacher. You were clever and a man that never accepted anything below standard. I am so blessed to have been able to spend time with, and learn from you. Thank you for taking care of my mother and helping her be the woman she is today. While I am so sad to have lost you, I find peace in knowing you are finally at rest.

Sleep in Peace Grandpa

**Danielle Jackson** - May 04, 2020 at 10:31 PM

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**Donna Reynolds Jackson** - May 04, 2020 at 09:25 PM



“ 82 years on this earth is a blessing! You were able to leave a legacy of 6 children and 12 grandchildren. You also left many memories, some I laugh at, some I smile at and others, let's just say that they are memories.

I am thinking of how much you loved coffee ice cream, Juicy patty and my split pea soup. I am thinking of how you never let anyone push you around or take advantage of you. I think you know that a few of your children are a lot like you in that respect. Ha-ha

I know that you are safe in the arms of God where peace, rest and joy abounds!!

You will always be my father, RIP.

**Donna** - May 04, 2020 at 09:38 PM



“ Hey Daddy, It's Audrey, the 4th of your 6 kids. Your passing has left me doing a lot of reflecting. We had a good relationship most of the times, and I think I got to know all sides of you. It's hard to believe you are gone!

In my time of reflection, I went way back and I repeatedly saw how much of you is in all your kids. Your contributions to making us who we are is undeniable and I appreciate that! I will honor your memory the rest of my days by seeing the good in all your off-springs and loving and supporting them as we build a legacy you can be proud of. Your girl, Audrey loves you forever and forever!

**Audrey** - May 05, 2020 at 09:50 PM

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“ 6 files added to the album Audrey Reynolds Frater



**Audrey Frater** - May 04, 2020 at 05:22 PM