

God saw you were getting tired and a cure was not to be,  
So he put his arms around you and whispered, "Come with Me."  
A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands at rest,  
God broke our hearts to prove to us,  
He only takes the best.

*Pallbearers*

Cory Cornish • Donte Bryant • Derick Brown  
Larry French • Torey Brown • Roy Rogers

*Flower Bearers*

Dee Cornish • Shauna Prince • Alberta White

*Interment*

Five Miles Cemetery  
Hennepin, Oklahoma

Services under the direction of:

**TEMPLE & SONS FUNERAL DIRECTORS, INC.**

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*Acknowledgment*

The family of Jennie Kendrick, Jr. wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness shown to them during their season of bereavement.

*In Loving Memory*  
*of*  
*Jennie Kendrick, Jr.*

**SUNRISE**

April 22, 1941

**SUNSET**

November 17, 2019



**HOMEGOING CELEBRATION**

Tuesday, November 26, 2019

**NEIGHBORHOOD MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

997 N. Douglas Blvd.  
Midwest City, Oklahoma 73110

Rev. Curtis Baker, Pastor

Rev. Kermit Kendrick, *Officiating*

## Obituary

Tennie Kendrick, Jr. was born on April 22, 1941 in Katie, Oklahoma. He was the second of six siblings born to Tennie and Virgie Kendrick.

Tennie Jr., as a child, attended Sweet Home Baptist Church in Katie, OK where his family were members. Later in life, he accepted Christ. He attended elementary school in Katie, OK. He later graduated from Elmore City High School. Among all of his siblings, he was known for being a hard worker who would help his father and cousin Peaches farm the land. He enjoyed hunting, fishing camping and growing large vegetable gardens.

In 1962, he was united with his wife, Verlene Cohee in matrimony and moved to Oklahoma City and raised three children. Over the years, Tennie Jr. started his career with Harrison's Garage, Oklahoma City, OK. He built his reputation as an auto mechanic and then ventured out to start his own business — Kendrick's Garage. He later worked for United Transport for many years until the company closed and then he continued to pursue his passion in auto mechanic's until he retired.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Tennie, Sr. and Virgie Kendrick; four sisters: Molly M. Perry, Antoinette "Ann" Smith, Genophy Ross and Joyce Faye Brown; two sons, Warren Kendrick and Tony Kendricks; and daughter-in-law, Paula Kendricks.

Tennie Jr. leaves to cherish his memory, his two children: son, Karl I. Kendricks of Albuquerque, NM and daughter, Cordelia F. Pickens of Mansfield, TX; siblings: Shirley Braxton of Las Vegas, NV, Sharon Tugwell, Doris Stevenson (Freddie) and Kermit Kendrick (Alberta), all of Midwest City, OK; daughter-in-law, Velvet Kendrick of Lone Grove, OK; five granddaughters: Brittany Parker, Catera Pickens, Cala French (Larry), Miriah Brown (Torey), and Lajohna Dawkins; three grandsons: Deondre Kendrick, Donte Bryant, and Marcuchio Downing; numerous great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.



## Order of Service

Musical Prelude . . . . .	Orinthal Wandick
Processional . . . . .	Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family
Selection . . . . .	Alberta White
Scripture Reading	
Old and New Testament . . . . .	Minister Brent Cornish
Prayer . . . . .	Minister Brent Cornish
Selection . . . . .	Velvet Kendrick
Resolutions/Acknowledgement . . . . .	Alberta Kendrick
Remarks ( <i>Please limit to two minutes</i> )	
Selection . . . . .	Derick Brown
Homegoing Message . . . . .	Rev. Freddie Stevenson
Video Tribute	
Parting Glance . . . . .	Temple & Sons Funeral Directors, Inc.
Recessional . . . . .	Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family