



DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey

July 24, 1984 - November 9, 2025

THE INTRO

DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey, known to many as “DJ Decisive” or “Mann” was born with music in his heart and soul on July 24, 1984 in Portsmouth, Virginia to Chester and Denise Godfrey. His best friend, also his big brother, Dominic Godfrey, paved the way for him, being his guide throughout his entire life. His early life was filled with his village, which provided him with love, wisdom, laughter, and guidance. Our favorite DJ released his final track on his incredible life at the age of 41 on November 9, 2025.

THE MAIN SET

Many knew DeAngelo from attending I.C. Norcom High School and his proud Queen Street beginnings or being a long-term Hardee’s manager, but his truly beloved passion was being a DJ. His career was a series of epic performances, mixing beats and creating a soundtrack for his community. He was known for his signature “Socially Auqward” style and his ability to make every person feel like they were on the dance floor with him. He was creative, determined, humorous, and always there if you needed him. He was the beacon of light that brightened up everyone’s day. We will always and forever have him in our hearts as God welcomes him in Heaven.

THE ENCORE

He is survived by his children, Zamora, Jaylen, Elijah, Emanuel, Kayden, Saleeyah and Jayda; bonus son Jordan Hunter; father Chester (Carlene) Godfrey; mother Denise Godfrey; wife Davida Hunter; brothers Dominic (Shenelle) Godfrey, Ronal Boone, nieces Monique Godfrey, Ty'Reyona Futrell, Aaliyah Page, Leila Torres; nephews Dominic Godfrey, Tavier Futrell and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his grandmothers, grandfathers, aunts and uncles from both sides of the family.

The music never stopped; it just moved to Heaven's Stage. Rest in peace and keep spinning your soul's soundtrack above.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com
<https://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com>

Service

NOV 19. 10:00 AM (ET)

New First Baptist Church Of Taylorsville
2720 Turnpike Rd
Portsmouth, VA 23707-4724
(757) 399-6730

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - December 06, 2025 at 02:47 AM

DB

“ I am still wrapping my head around this. I miss you. I love you Deangelo. You always talked about growing old together, bro. Who am I gonna go to now? I hope that I know you're resting peacefully. We miss you down here man. It was just too early.

Deangelo Barnes - November 21, 2025 at 02:12 PM

KC

“ My condolences to his children and family. Decisive was a very prominent figure in his community as well. Prayers for strength and comfort in the coming days when it gets quiet.
~Kessa~



Kessa C - November 19, 2025 at 10:24 AM

AB

“ Rest in Decisiveness my guy. You were one of the best that ever did it on the ones and twos and you will be missed by many 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

Anthony Ralph- DJ Birddog - November 18, 2025 at 09:53 AM

DB

“ My sincere condolences to the family of DeAngelo Godfrey. DJ Decisive was a gentle, humble, hardworking man. DJ Decisive was my favorite DJ. I first met him at a friend's cookout and he was jamming. He Dj my 50th birthday party and he kept my guests on the floor. I will truly miss him.



Delmarene Barnes - November 18, 2025 at 09:47 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.



November 18, 2025 at 08:34 AM

CR

“ Deangelo, where do I even begin, I still can't believe this is real. But I know God doesn't make any mistakes, so I'm blessed to have had you as my cousin, you were a light that couldn't be dimmed, your hugs always felt like love always, goofing around with you and now you left it to me to be the funny one which was once a dynamic duo is now one. I will , we will definitely miss you and I pray you know that you are loved!!!



Crystal - November 18, 2025 at 06:49 AM

TC

“ Tomeka, Family & Happy Cafe planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.

Tomeka, Family & Happy Cafe - November 18, 2025 at 06:47 AM

TC

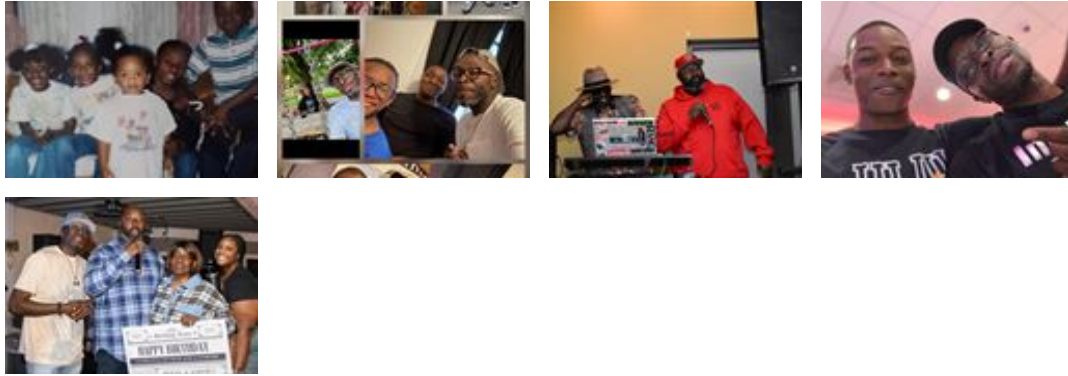
“ Tomeka, Family & Happy Cafe purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.



Tomeka, Family & Happy Cafe - November 18, 2025 at 06:47 AM



“ 31 files added to the album LifeTributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - November 17, 2025 at 09:52 PM

DB

“ My sincere condolences to the family of DeAngelo Godfrey. DJ Decisive was a humble, hard working man. I met him at a cookout and he kept the people on the floor. I had several parties and he was my DJ. He never complained about anything. He will be greatly missed.



Delmarene Barnes - November 17, 2025 at 06:03 PM

AG

“ Alberta Godfrey purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.



Alberta Godfrey - November 17, 2025 at 01:01 PM

WR

“ W Anthony Ratcliffe lit a candle in memory of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey



W Anthony Ratcliffe - November 17, 2025 at 08:47 AM

MW

“ I got an chance to meet D'Angelo little did I know that his mom went to school with me. I admired him not only for being a Dj and his poetry reading but for being my daughter LaShanta true friend. You don't often have a good male friend and went they hung out I didn't have to worry about her. D'ANGELO take your rest and Thank-you for being my daughter best friend one that people couldn't understand ya friendship. And to Mrs. DENISE THANK-YOU for raising an amazing young man that my daughter could called him her true friend and always had her back. He would be missed but his legacy live on.
Mildred Wilson



MILDRED WILSON - November 16, 2025 at 09:27 AM

CM

“ To my favorite DJ, and my favorite male cousin
Words cannot begin to express the shock, the sadness, and the deep confusion your passing has left in all of us. But even in the midst of this heartbreak, your impact and the legacy you left behind speak louder than anything we could ever write.

You were a beautiful light , effortlessly kind, naturally warm, and always uplifting. I have never seen you angry, rude, or unkind to anyone. You moved through life with this consistent sweetness, humor, and joy that made every room brighter. Your purpose was so clear: to entertain, to uplift, and to make this world feel lighter. And you fulfilled that calling with excellence.

I'm going to miss our laughs, our Thanksgiving dinners, our game nights, the trips where you picked me up from the airport, the memes and funny songs we sent each other, and our karaoke duets that always turned into a whole moment. Those memories are treasures I'll carry with me forever.

Although my heart is shattered, I find comfort knowing you're at peace, in God's arms, surrounded by love, and lighting up Heaven's stage the same way you lit up every venue here on Earth. You were the best of the best — and now you're among the best of the best.

Not a day will go by that I won't think of you. You will never be forgotten. Your life, your legacy, and your spirit will live on in all of us.

I love you forever.

Always.

Cousin Crys



Crystal Michelle - November 15, 2025 at 09:20 PM

VH

“ Veryl, Shanel and Shekita Hines planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.

Veryl, Shanel and Shekita Hines - November 15, 2025 at 10:54 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of DeAngelo Ronnell Godfrey.



November 15, 2025 at 10:54 AM

SH

“ No words, same adequate to discuss how profound the impact you had on so many. I will definitely miss our talks about business music, Bartending and any and everything in between. I still look forward to those 2-3 AM memes that we used to send one another just because we had nothing else better to do. Thank you for being a genuine friend and business partner. You are forever loved and sorrowfully missed.

Scharnelle “Bootz” Hamlin - November 14, 2025 at 05:30 PM

TL

“ DJ Decisive was such a talented man and a kind soul. He always knew how to engage the crowd and keep everyone out of their seat with the awesome music he played. You will truly be missed my friend. R.I.H DeAngelo.

Tara & Laycie - November 14, 2025 at 11:16 AM

MS

“ Will be missed keep the music playing in heaven cousin

Marcus sweatt - November 13, 2025 at 10:45 PM

MS

“ You will be missed cousin, keep the music playing in heaven

Marcus sweatt - November 13, 2025 at 08:36 PM

MS

“ Will be miss cousin, you always will be remembered until we meet again keep the music playing

Marcus sweatt - November 13, 2025 at 08:31 PM

QS

“ Words cannot accurately express how sorry I am for your loss. My deepest heartfelt condolences and prayers of comfort, understanding and peace to the entire Godfrey family, his children and extended family as well. He is loved and missed yet we are blessed to know that he is in no more pain and suffering and resting in God's arms smiling and beaming with pride and joy. Im sure his spirit is please to know how much he is really loved and was adored and most of all...missed.

With sincere love from the Sessoms' family.

Qiana Sessoms (Queen Honey)

Qiana Sessoms - November 12, 2025 at 03:59 PM