Sandy Payton was Director of Music Ministries at Glen Haven Baptist Church for 30 years. She teaches piano and organ, writes and arranges music, and travels, speaking and singing at ladies seminars all over the country. Sandy has accompanied many wonderful gospel singers such as Dale Evans Rogers, Doris Akers, Mark Lowry, Greater Vision, and various other artists around the world. She has traveled the globe singing and ministering through her music. She is enjoying traveling in solo work after her many years with Glen Haven Baptist Church, and teaching choir workshops. Sandy made history as the only person that played the organ as part of Rosie Rozell & the Searchers in southern gospel music tour. She and her late husband John Payton enjoyed their work with many young aspiring artist in their group The Jo San Singers. Kelly Nelon Clark credits her time in that group as a contribution to her future in gospel music. Sandy has remained close to the many artists that came up the ranks with them. Their only child Missy Waldrop has soared in her own right as a musician, soloist and music teacher.

Three years ago Geralf Wolfe invited Sandy to join his tour inspired from the famous Red Back Hymna as a featured soloist that also plays the Hammond Organ. Gerald Wolfe & The Gospel Hymn Tour concerts.

She is a devoted Mother and Grandmother. Her talented daughter Missy along with her husband Jason Waldroup, formerly with Greater Vision accompanied Sandy on her current CD.

Their three children (Abbie, Ella and Jonathan) are already showing signs of carrying on the family tradition in music with Abbie’s leading role in the musical Oklahoma.