



## David Rogers Horton

December 11, 1936 - March 23, 2024

David Rogers Horton, age 87 of Cedar Bluff, passed away Saturday, March 23, 2024 at his home.

A funeral service will be held 2:00PM Thursday, March 28th, 2024 with Pastor Shawn Turner officiating at Mt. Olive Baptist Church burial will follow at Cherokee Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends from 2:00PM till 7:00PM, Wednesday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will include Darius Turner, Desmon Turner, Collin Clifton, Elijah Clifton, Clarence Richardson, and Patrick Wedgeworth.

He is survived by his wife; Dorothy Aker Horton, son; Jeffrey Aker, daughters; Jerelyn Turner, Regina Creamer, Beverly Aker; sister; Edith Jeanne Cooper, 9 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren, and a host of friends and other loved ones.

Mr. Horton is the son of the late Ira Dallas & Ida Bell Horton and a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital or Mt. Olive Baptist Church (1920 Co Rd 55 Centre, AL 35960.

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Perry Funeral Home Directing

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **27**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Perry Funeral Home  
1611 Clarence E Chesnut Jr Bypass  
Centre, AL 35960  
(256) 927-3222

## Funeral Service

MAR **28**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Mt. Olive Baptist Church  
1920 Co rd 55  
Centre, AL 35960

# Tribute Wall



“ My daddy has been gone for eleven days now and I’m always thinking of how he was always helping others. As a little girl, I went and watched him go to the older ladies in the community homes and he would wash dishes, sweep and mop the floors, cut their grass, fix leaking faucets or running toilets. What ever needed to be done, he did it. He also drove them to appointments if they needed a ride and he was available. When I got older, he assigned me that task. I thank the Lord that he taught me how to care for others and to be of help when someone was in need.

I read in my baby book how he gave me my first broom on my first birthday. I’ve never seen or read that until I was look at pictures. He started teaching me as early as one year old. He was a stickler about keeping a home swept, mopped and vacuumed. My daddy taught me so so much.

He made sure that I read my Sunday School lesson every week, ironed his clothes, shined his shoes, wash the car on Saturday’s before church and so much more.

I’m forever grateful for every lesson my daddy taught me. I will never forget you daddy. I miss you daddy and I LOVE YOU always!!

Your Little 1,  
Jerelyn

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**Jerelyn Turner** - April 03, 2024 at 02:11 PM

ML

“ To my loving family:  
May God hold you close and keep you strong.  
As this day has arrived I pray for you. Love &  
prayers always.

Love,  
Myrs



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**Myra Law** - March 28, 2024 at 10:50 AM

WR

“ Family: My condolences to each of you in the passing of Bro David. Met him some years ago at Mount Olive Church. He was a friendly person and always nice to meet and talk to him. May God bless and comfort each of you. Wendell O Rakestraw, Woodsbend Community

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**Wendell O Rakestraw** - March 26, 2024 at 03:45 PM

ML

“ To my loving Uncle David who showed me how to clean fish. He also let me shoot a shot gun and rifle. He never did like my coffee. He always said it was too strong. Uncle, rest in heaven and whenever I think of you, I'll send you a cup of my special blend of coffee. Love you always and forever.  
Love,  
Myra Law

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**Myra Law** - March 25, 2024 at 02:24 PM

KR

A Man of Integrity and Godly Character whose family was raised the way a family should be!! Thank you all for the awesome privilege of serving him and you all as well. His laugh will echo in my spirit for years to come Love in the Lord!! Bro. Ken

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**Kenneth Roberts** - March 25, 2024 at 05:10 PM

SM

I met David many years ago thru my Brother in Law Aldrich Horton. It was a blessing to be a part of his life. He attended Martin family gathering many times. I am the sister to Naomi Horton.

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**Shirley Martin-McIntosh** - March 27, 2024 at 02:23 PM

JR

*Family, a message of comfort. You are not alone; many thoughts are with you in this hour. And I concur, "a man of integrity has gone home." Met David and his family from my birth. Our family lived just down the road and around the curve then on what is now fondly known as "Reese Street." Growing up he was almost like family to us. So, you (family) are in our hearts from north, south, and west. We hope you find comfort in knowing that others care and share with sympathy. Now, praying that you find the brighter days you deserve ahead, and until then, I'm certain as BELIEVERS, your strength will carry you through.*

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**Jan Reese-Kelley** - March 27, 2024 at 07:06 PM

V.

*Sorry for the loss of Uncle David..although we hadn't seen each other in awhile..he was always in our thoughts..V.Horton*

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**V.Horton** - March 28, 2024 at 02:49 PM