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Expressions of Gratitude

The Family of the late Mr. Roy Bell Varner extends sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness, love and sympathy shown during our time of bereavement. May God bless each of you is our prayer.



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Celebration of Life for

—MR. ROY— BELL VARNER

Friday, August 23, 2024 | 12:00 P.M. (EST)

Davis Memorial Mortuary Chapel

305 W. F. Burns Drive | Valley, Alabama 36854

Rev. Robert L. Carter, *Officiant* | Dr. Raymond Cochran, *Pastor/Eulogist*



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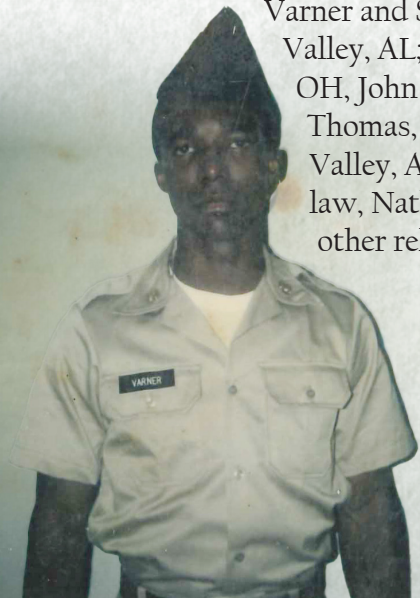
Obituary

Mr. Roy Bell Varner was born January 23, 1950 in the Riverview Community of Valley, Alabama to the late Ms. Ruth Mae Varner and Mr. Norman Thomas, Sr. He confessed Christ at an early age and joined Bethlehem Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Tom Davidson.

He was educated in the Chambers County School System graduating from Rehobeth High School in the Class of 1969. After graduation, Roy proudly served his country in the United States Army and received an honorable discharge. Roy was the “Town’s Barber”. He did not have a barber shop, but he would come to your home if you called him, and cut your hair.

He was preceded in death by his siblings: William Thomas, Bobby Thomas, Shirlene Thomas McCullough, Mary Helen Thomas Stiggers, Betty Ann Thomas Harper, James Edward Thomas, Jessie Lee Varner, and Terry Thomas. Roy was called home to be with his Heavenly Father on Thursday, August 15, 2024 at East Alabama Medical Center in Opelika, Alabama surrounded by his family.

He leaves to cherish his memories: a daughter Tameeka LaShay; four sisters, Mary (Dr. Raymond) Cochran, Phenix City, AL, Shirley Ann Varner and Sherby Avery, and Rose Marie Thomas all of Valley, AL; four brothers, Albert Frederick, Cleveland, OH, John Lee Varner, Jr., Phenix City, AL, Norman Thomas, Jr. and Dennis Lee (Evelyn) Thomas both of Valley, AL; sister-in-law, Ella Mae Varner; brother-in-law, Nathaniel Harper; and, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.



Order of Service

Processional

Musical Selection.....Sis. Jennifer Lowman

Scriptures

Old Testament Dr. Janet Dixon

New TestamentRev. John Frederick, Jr.

Prayer of Comfort

Musical Selection.....Congregation

ReflectionsDeacon Willie “Bo” Dunn
Rehobeth High School Class of 1967
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Musical Selection..... Rev. Robert L. Carter

Eulogy Dr. Raymond Cochran, *Pastor*

Recessional

Interment with Military Honors

Fairview Cemetery
1335 River Road
Valley, Alabama 36854