



Acknowledgement

The family of the late Mr. Timothy Leon Butler, Sr. acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness, prayers, cards, telephone calls, flowers and words of comfort extended to us during our time of bereavement. Special thank you to: Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Bethel No.1 Missionary Baptist Church, St. Mark A.M.E. Church, the Doctors, Nurses, First Responders and Supporting Team, Staff of UAB Hospital, Madison Hospital and Huntsville Hospital for all the exceptional care rendered to Timothy. May God bless you all.

Celebrating the Life
of
A Wonderful,
Father, Son,
Brother and Friend



Timothy
Leon
BUTLER, SR.
"Tim"

Palbearers
Classmates and Cousins

Floral Attendants
Classmates and Cousins

Final Arrangements Entrusted to:



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Wednesday, April 26, 2023 - 12:00 noon

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2501 Carmichael Avenue NW - Huntsville, Alabama 35816

Reverend Dr. Eric Peoples, Officiating

Saturday, April 29, 2023 - 12:00 noon

Garden Hills Cemetery
1218 Frederick Road - Opelika, Alabama 36801

Reverend Jonathan Benton, Officiating



Obituary

Mr. Timothy Leon Butler, Sr., son of Mrs. Beatrice Floyd Butler and the late Mr. James Butler, was born January 16, 1969 in Opelika, Alabama.

At an early age, he confessed his life to Christ and united with St. Mark A.M.E. Church in Opelika, Alabama where he was a member of the Choir, Usher Board, Young People Department (YPD) and attended Missionary Society meetings as a young boy. He later united with Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Huntsville, Alabama.

"Tim" as he was known by family and friends, graduated from Opelika High School Class of 1987. After graduating, he attended Alabama A & M University in Huntsville, AL, before transferring to the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Later he attended Beauty and Barber School and received his Master Barber Certification in Mobile, Alabama.

Tim started cutting hair in 1989 to make extra money while attending college; he enjoyed it so much, that in 1994 he purchased that shop and renamed it Paradise Barber and Beauty Salon in Huntsville, Alabama. Over the course of thirty-four years, Tim established relationships with countless people in the community and his clients became his extended family. Some of his clients would go visit him although they did not need a haircut. They enjoyed the barbershop atmosphere and decided to form a prayer group where they prayed and discussed scriptures in the Bible. They loved him and he loved them. Paradise Barbershop was his 2nd home. His determination and motivation to work was a testament to the love he had for his clients.

Tim was also a member of the small business association of Huntsville; they sponsored the annual 4th of July Citywide Picnic which was one of many events they supported. He was an avid UA football fan. Tim enjoyed playing his guitar, fishing, grilling (ribs and chicken), staging his aquarium, watching the Andy Griffith Show, and proudly supporting his son Tim Jr., also known as "Man" during his academic and athletic events. "Man" was Tim's heart. There was no limit to his devotion and commitment to supporting "Man" through his endeavors.

On Friday, April 21, 2023, he departed this life at Huntsville Hospital in Huntsville, Alabama.

He leaves to cherish his precious memory: son, Timothy Leon Butler, Jr. of Tuscaloosa, AL; a stepdaughter, Jhay Fletcher of Boston, MA; loving mother, Beatrice Butler of Opelika, AL; one sister, Dr. Erica Butler of Montgomery, AL; devoted nephew, Scout Todd of Montgomery, AL; three aunts, Carol Josephine Walker of Detroit, MI.; Doris Moss and Bessie Preston both of Opelika, AL; three uncles, Otis (Johnsie) Floyd, Charles Floyd both of Southfield, MI and Bob W. (Jo Ethel) Floyd, Jr. of Detroit, MI; a host of special cousins and friends, St. Mark A.M.E. Church Family, Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Family; Fair Street, Darden Street, Brannon Avenue and his many loyal supportive clients for the past thirty-three years.

To all Paradise Barber Shop & Beauty Salon Customers:

Each Barber & Beautician is under an individual self-employed contract & is personally responsible for their own actions.

However, you have the right to be served in a friendly, professional manner by any barber or beautician of your choice.

If you are not served in this manner, all comments will be greatly appreciated. Your name shall remain anonymous.

The Owner
Tim Butler



Order of Service

Wednesday, April 26, 2023

- Prelude
- Processional.....Clergy and Family
- Scripture Readings.....Pastor William L. Garth, Jr.
Kingdom Assembly Ministries
- Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Dennis Green
- Musical Selection..... Brother Tommy Mitchell
- Tribute.....From Carol "Aunt Josephine" Walker
- Expressions of Love.....Two Minutes Each Please
- Musical Selection.....Sister Elnora Miller
- Eulogy.....Reverend Dr. Eric Peeples
Pastor Emeritus Potter's Hand Church Ministries
- Musical Selection.....Sister Cassandra Ayers
- Recessional

Saturday, April 29, 2023

- Processional
- Prayer of Comfort
Reverend Doctor George C. McCulloh
Pastor, Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church
- Scripture Reading:
Reverend Kenneth Coleman
Pastor Bethel No. 1 Missionary Baptist Church
- Sharing Memories
Stanley Cannon
- Musical Selection
Ramon Harris
- Eulogy
Reverend Jonathon Benton
St. Mark A.M.E. Church
- Recessional