

The Family Tribute

*A smile for all, a heart of gold
One of the finest this world could hold
Never selfish, always kind
These are the memories he leaves behind...*

Mr. Alonzo Dale Parker, was born in Alexander County on November 12, 1945 and was the son of the late Robert Asbury Parker and Lillian McClain Parker. He departed this life at Iredell Memorial Hospital on Thursday, October 14, 2021.

He was a 1963 graduate of Happy Plains School in Taylorsville and he was employed by Hunt Manufacturing Company. He was a member of Third Creek Baptist Church and prior to his illness he served on the Golden Star Chorus, Sunday School, Laymen League, and Men's Choir. Dale was the Coach of the Third Creek Ladies Softball Team.

He was married to Bertha Wellman Parker, who survives. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Navada Parker, Haven Parker, Artrue Parker, Benjamin Parker, Fred Lee Parker, Robert Franklin Parker, Willie Eugene Parker, Tallie Lloyd Parker, Martha Corrine Parker Connor, Margaret Parker Simmons, Vallie Parker Chen, Lucille Parker and Sylvia Parker.

In addition to his wife, Bertha Wellman Parker of the home; he leaves to cherish the memory of his life, two daughters, Tonya Dale Parker and Tanika Sha Parker, both of Stony Point; two grandchildren, Madale V. Tosi-Parker and Kameron A. Parker, both of Stony Point; one brother, Farley (Agnes) Parker of Stony Point; two sisters, Betty Parker Banks and Carrie Parker Pulley, both of Stony Point; two sisters-in-law, Mozie Mayberry Parker of Stony Point, Peggy (Leonard) McClain of Hiddenite; a brother-in-law, George L. Wellman of Washington, DC; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, the Third Creek Baptist Church Family, and friends.

*As long as life and memory last...
We will remember you!*

Celebration of Life for

Mr. Alonzo Dale Parker

Third Creek Baptist Church

Stony Point, North Carolina

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

Pastor Tommy G. Carpenter, Officiating

The Visitation

12:30 p.m. until 1:00 p.m.

The Prelude Stanley Parker
The Processional
The Gathering of Family and Friends

The Order of Service

1:00 p.m.

The Invocation Pastor Tommy G. Carpenter
The Scripture
 Old Testament
 New Testament
The Selection: "Chilly Winds" Jeren Parker
The Prayer of Comfort Minister Jerry Ratchford
The Selection: "O The Blood" Charles Adams, Jr.
Family Tribute
Acknowledgments Margie P. Gibson
Remarks (*Limit two minute please*)
The Selection: "An Uncloudy Day" Judy P. Wiggins
The Eulogy Minister Steven A. Parker
The Selection: "Going Up Yonder"
The Recessional
The Committal
The Benediction Pastor Tommy G. Carpenter





Casket Bearers

Almurray Connor, Jr.
Monta Mayhew
Charles Parker

Eugene Dalton
Anthony Parker
Derek Parker

Honorary Pallbearers

Robert Connor, Sr. John A. Parker
Joe "Butch" Thomas

Flower Bearers

Nieces

With Our Thanks

...that we through the patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope, (Romans 15) God has given us our church family, neighbors and dear friends, to help us as we go forward. **God's Word has been manifested through your many expressions of sympathy and support; we praise God from whom all blessings flow.** Thank you for honoring the memory of our beloved, **Dale** and for remembering us during his illness and passing. In our risen Lord, **we have peace that passes all understanding.**

The Family

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**A Service of Love and
Remembrance for
*Alonzo Dale Parker***



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A Life well lived is never lost!