

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.

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Acknowledgments Margie P. Gibson

Remarks (*Limit two minute please*)

The Selection: "An Uncloudy Day" Judy P. Wiggins

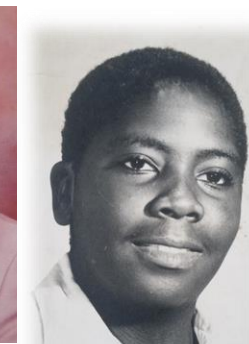
The Eulogy Minister Steven A. Parker

The Selection: "Going Up Yonder"

The Recessional

The Committal

The Benediction Pastor Tommy G. Carpenter





A Service of Love and
Remembrance for
Alonzo Dale Parker



Casket Bearers

Almurray Connor, Jr. Eugene Dalton
Monta Mayhew Anthony Parker
Charles 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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1:00 p.m.
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Stony Point, N. C.
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A Life well lived is never lost!