



Thomas J. Harrell Sr.

January 5, 1946 - February 6, 2025

"Please encourage the family of Thomas James Harrell, Sr., with loving words of Condolences on this personal tribute page created just for Thomas.

Previous Events

Family Hour

FEB **20**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Recording of Funeral Service in memory of Thomas J. Harrell Sr.*



Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services - February 21, 2025 at 05:28 PM

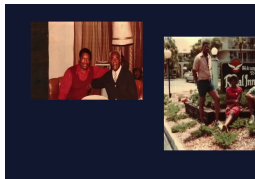
JM

My condolences to our family, Beautiful celebration of life for our brother in love ☐ 🕯️ 🙏. Awesome program and eulogy. Love you all 🙏🙏🙏❤️

Jenetta Mason - February 21, 2025 at 11:52 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Our Memories*



Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services - February 21, 2025 at 04:52 PM

LH

“ *To Mrs Harrell (Hollywood) Thomas Jr, Angela and the entire Harrell family. You have our deepest sympathy, love and prayers! I pray our Heavenly Father comforts you all. Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted. Love Mr & Mrs C Hambright AKA Gene & Dee Dee*

LeVonne Hambright - February 20, 2025 at 02:40 PM

TP

“ As a

T. BERNARD PETTUS - February 20, 2025 at 02:22 PM

TP

AS A LONG-TERM FRIEND OF THE HARRELL FAMILY, I CAME TO KNOW THOMAS, SR THRU BEING A MEMBER, CHOIR DIRECTOR & MINISTER AT MESSIAH BAPT. & HOLY HOPE FOR OVER 40 years!
MY LOVE FOR THE HARRELL CLAN IS UNENDING!

T. BERNARD PETTUS - February 20, 2025 at 02:27 PM

LH

“ Mrs. Harrell, I was saddened to hear about the loss of your husband. Know that you and your family are in our prayers. God Bless

Linda Hendrix - February 20, 2025 at 02:02 PM

MM

“ We all are very sad about the loss of Thomas. There are certain actions, which he did, that everyone can do to show memory of him. One of the actions being to express love towards everyone. cousin Thomas you have earned his wings --- now 'Rest In Peace'

Margaret McMillon - February 20, 2025 at 05:44 AM

BN

“ With sincere condolences to Pat and the Harrell family from Benjamin Nix, I played on the same offensive line with Thomas "Moose" Harrell in the 1967 football season at Alabama A&M. Moose was a good friend, team mate and a good human being. I am honored and blessed to have known him Rest in Peace #71 - you were a great Bulldog.

Benjamin Nix

Benjamin Nix - February 19, 2025 at 11:53 AM

GT

“ Gerisha T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..

Gerisha T. - February 19, 2025 at 11:04 AM

GT

“ Sincere Condolences to the Harrell Family. My family will be praying for you all during this difficult time. Mr. Harrell was a father that was always a consistent figure among us growing up. One of the great ones! He will deeply be missed.

Gerisha Toler - February 19, 2025 at 11:01 AM

KF

“ Test

KFH - February 18, 2025 at 05:50 PM

FS

“ From Geri Stevens purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..



From Geri Stevens - February 18, 2025 at 04:06 PM

HT

“ Mrs Harrell, Angie, Tom,
My sincere condolences for your loss. Mr Harrell was always there to support us as we grew into men. Praying for you all.
Heath

Heath Thomas - February 18, 2025 at 02:28 PM

JM

“ My condolences to our Family Sister Patricia Harrell, children, grandchildren and extended family. Our brother in love was a wonderful person. We are glad to have had him in our lives, we will miss him very much. Praying for your strength in the LORD during this time and always. Love you all. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️ Rest in peace brother ☐🕯️

Jenetta Rena Mason - February 18, 2025 at 08:02 AM

TA

“ Sending condolences to the whole family.
Sending much love and positive energy to you. Tara (Pruitt) Abraham & Family



Tara Abraham - February 17, 2025 at 01:13 PM

DI

Sending my condolences and prayers to the Harrell family in the loss of your loved one.

Debbie Irvin - February 20, 2025 at 10:07 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..*



February 16, 2025 at 05:16 PM

AP

“ *MR T~ Is what I called you, are so Appreciated, I'm Thankful you allowed me to be your Nurse, these past 5 1/2 months! The talks, the music, the days, the MEMORIES ! I THANK GOD for you and MRS.P .~ I AM FOREVER CHANGED! TO THE MAN OF INSPIRATION ~ take your rest SIR, ! WELL DESERVED ~ BAGATTITUDE LLC, forever grateful*



Angela Petty - February 16, 2025 at 11:43 AM

B3

“ *Budget & Finance Department of 3CC purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..*



Budget & Finance Department of 3CC - February 14, 2025 at 07:23 PM

SF

“ *Stonestreet And Porties Family lit a candle in memory of Thomas J. Harrell Sr.*



Stonestreet and Porties Family - February 14, 2025 at 11:45 AM

SN

“ *Shirley Newton lit a candle in memory of Thomas J. Harrell Sr.*



Shirley Newton - February 14, 2025 at 10:42 AM

SN

“ *Patricia and Family,*

Our deepest sympathy and love to you and your family during this difficult season. Harold was always so kind whenever I visited. His love for the yard and flowers inspired me so much. He lovingly shared tips and ideas with a smile. I often did a drive-by just to admire the beauty he created. His craft was so unique and unmatched. Such a kind and wonderful person!

May his love and memories keep you smiling and give you peace and joy.

Lovingly,

Shirley Newton and family.

Shirley Newton - February 14, 2025 at 10:42 AM

SJ

“ *Sister Clara and Robert Owens, Jr. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..*



Sister Clara and Robert Owens, Jr. - February 13, 2025 at 06:23 PM

SJ

“ *From: Sister Clara and Robert Owens, Jr. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..*

Sister Clara and Robert Owens, Jr. - February 13, 2025 at 06:23 PM

KM

“ *My deepest condolences
Uncle Thomas will be missed*

Kent Reuben Mcgee - February 12, 2025 at 09:01 PM

LB

“ *Wow! My deepest condolences!! He was a great coach and a great man!*

Loren Cavat Bailey - February 12, 2025 at 08:58 PM

SD

“ *Man Your Dad Was A Good Father! It Alway Show How He Made Sure He Was Alway At The Sporting Events! Bro Your Came From A Good STOCK! NO NO I MEAN A GREAT STOCK! Much Love And Respect To You And Yours My Friend!!*

Shawn Davis

Shawn Davis - February 12, 2025 at 08:57 PM

AS

“ *Sending prayers to you and your family..COACH helped and raised a lot of boys to men, including myself. And I am honored to have been taught by him.*

Andrew Shepherd

Andrew Shepherd - February 12, 2025 at 08:56 PM

KF

“ *Wow, he was a great mentor to me when I was first starting out. Coached both his son and daughter. Angie and Tom I'm sorry for your loss he was a great person!*

Kevin Freeman

Kevin Freeman - February 12, 2025 at 08:54 PM

AB

“ *Your pops was a Man's Man....one of my first football coaches when we both played for the Southfield Falcons, then continued at Oak Park High School. May he rest in Peace. Sending Prayers and Condolences to you and the entire Harrell family.*

Anthony M Bond

Anthony M Bond - February 12, 2025 at 08:53 PM

NB

“ *Nancie Rakotz Becker*
Sending much love and support during this sad time
May your father's memory be a blessing

Nancie Rakotz Becker - February 12, 2025 at 08:51 PM

PP

“ *Patrick Peteet*
Sorry to here about your dad which was my coach. May god be with
you and your family in this time and every day after.

Patrick Pateet - February 12, 2025 at 08:50 PM

A8

“ *My prayers go out to the family during this time. God bless you all*

Anita H OPHS C/O 89 - February 12, 2025 at 07:50 PM

BP

“ *I wish to extend my condolences to Pat, Angela and Thomas, as*
well as, their extended family. I can remember the family visits that
were quite often. He was a very kind and intelligent man who with,
no doubt loved Pat, his children and grands. He will be missed. He
is now resting with our Lord and Savior.

Love, Brenda Parker

Brenda Parker - February 12, 2025 at 02:52 PM

HT

“ I’ve known Mr. Harrell since I was a little girl probably second grade. I spent a lot of time over his house me and his daughter Angela are really really good friends, but I have a fine memory of him were at Oak Park football game at Berkeley high and her father was taking us home. The game wasn’t over, but we had to leave because he had to get home to watch Dallas. I will never forget that he loved the show Dallas. I will surely miss him and I’m praying for the family.

Heather Tanks - February 12, 2025 at 01:21 PM

Lillie
Murray
Drake

“ Prayers and condolences to family 🙏

Love Lillie Drake
Member of
Liberty Temple Baptist Church



Lillie Murray Drake - February 12, 2025 at 08:08 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas J. Harrell Sr..



February 10, 2025 at 01:43 PM

IP

“ My brother Thomas was and most assuredly was a caring, giving brother. He was the guide to my brothers and my sisters growing up. Thomas set the steps to growing up. Because of my brother Thomas, I became employed at the IRS for 32 years. The good Lord knows what will be needed for those who need directions, Thomas stood in the shoes our Mother Esther Ruby had him to wear.

Ida Patterson - February 09, 2025 at 02:04 PM

KT

“ Katrena Thomas sent a virtual gift in memory of Thomas J. Harrell Sr.



Katrena Thomas - February 09, 2025 at 07:55 AM

KT

I am proud to say, that for over 30 years, I watched Mr. Harrell be the most loving, supportive and present husband, father and grand-father to his family. His role as protector and provider were unmatched! He never missed a beat when it came to anything that pertained to any of them. His distinctive stature, poise and gentle but assertive character lit up any room he entered. He was a gentleman's gentleman. I will always remember the unwavering support you gave to Angela (and me...lol) for the many events we had at your beautiful home, including my bridal shower in 1995. As Angela's best friend, one thing I know, is that she was a "daddy's girl." There was nothing she could not ask, that you would not provide. You will always be her hero. Job well done Mr. Harrell. Take your rest. Love, Katrena

Katrena Thomas - February 09, 2025 at 08:52 AM

RJ

“ Uncle Harrell was a awesome and outstanding man.He had your back to the very end. He gave your the blueprint for greatness. Uncle Harold step for his in a variety of ways. Love your nephew Rev. Ronnie Thomas Jr. and brother in law Ronnie Thomas Sr.

Ronnie Thomas Jr. - February 09, 2025 at 05:24 AM

RO

“ My condolences to the family of Thomas Harrell, Sr. He was a kind and generous man. I will always appreciate his kindness and friendship. Rest in peace my brother, I love you.

Robert Owens - February 09, 2025 at 04:57 AM