



## Mr. Albert L. Snipes

February 2, 1949 - January 5, 2020

Funeral service for Mr. Albert Snipes, 70, of Opelika, AL will be held at 11:00 am Saturday, January 11, 2020 at Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church with interment in the church cemetery. Rev. George McCulloh will officiate.

Mr. Snipes passed away Sunday, January 5, 2020 at the East Alabama Medical Center. He was a member of Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church. In 1968, he graduated from Opelika High School. Mr. Snipes furthered his education at Alabama A&M University graduating with a BS Degree in Management and Industrial Relations. Later, he graduated from Troy State with a MS Degree in Personnel Management. He was a member of the of the Lion Tamers Social Club. Mr. Snipes retired from Auburn University as Director of Employee Relations in the Human Resource Department.

His remains will lie in state at the church one hour prior to the service.

He is survived by: his wife, Deborah Snipes of Opelika, AL; three sons, Jai K. (Kelicia) Snipes of Newport News, VA, Gregory (Katina) Callaway of Opelika, AL and Dumakas (Shayla) Snipes of Smyrna, GA; daughter-in-law, Gamila Snipes of Atlanta, GA; twelve grandchildren and two great grandchildren; one sister, Berthena Hill of Opelika, AL; brothers-in-law, Harold Holifield and John Holifield both of Dallas, TX, Wilson Holifield and Gary Holifield both of Opelika, AL; sister-in-law, Rev. Gloria Snipes of Dover, DE; several nieces,

nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church

2000 S Uniroyal Road  
Opelika, AL 36801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Peterson and Williams Funeral Home  
1016 McCoy Street  
Opelika, AL 36801  
(334) 745-6473  
pw1016mccoy@hotmail.com

## Lie in state

JAN 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church  
2000 S Uniroyal Road  
Opelika, AL 36801

## Service

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JAN 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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2000 S Uniroyal Road  
Opelika, AL 36801  
<http://www.pleasantgrove-opelika.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Albert L. Snipes*

January 29, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ *Blessings, condolences and continued prayers for the Snipes' family.*

**Ruby James** - March 17, 2020 at 01:59 PM



“ *Doris Cooks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes*



**Doris Cooks** - January 11, 2020 at 09:26 PM



“ *Karen L. Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes*



**Karen L. Williams** - January 10, 2020 at 06:38 PM

SJ

“ *Deborah, Our Sympathy and Prayers are with You and Your Family at this most Difficult Time. Albert was my friend for over 40 years at Auburn University and after he retired, I will miss him. Hold on to the many Memories!!*

*Blessings*

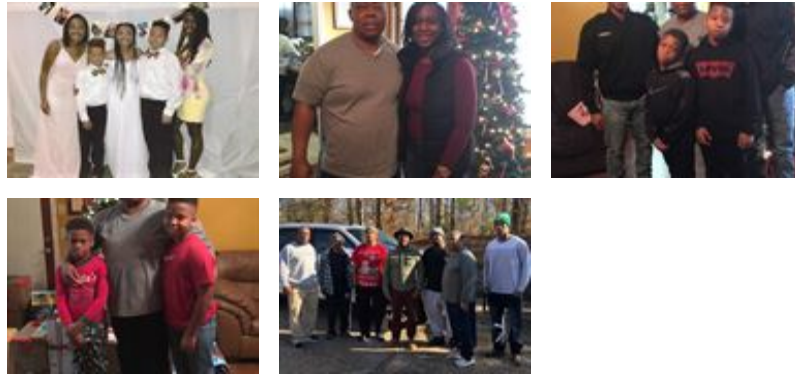
*Deacon Anderson and Deaconess Samantha Martin Johnson*

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**Samantha Martin Johnson** - January 10, 2020 at 05:32 PM



“ *36 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Peterson and Williams Funeral Home** - January 10, 2020 at 01:36 PM



*God bless you in this time of your loss. Coach Spence & Pegge Mccracken*

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**Spence McCracken** - January 10, 2020 at 03:08 PM

VF

“ *Veasley Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes*



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**Veasley Family** - January 10, 2020 at 11:01 AM

GM

“ *Please accept my sincere condolences on the death of my friend and fellow classmate, Albert Lee. When history is recorded, he will be remembered as one of 12 trailblazers who integrated Opelika High School in 1967. He will never be forgotten. May his soul rest in Heavenly peace. ~ Gwendolyn Mitchell~ Brooklyn, NY*

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**Gwendolyn Mitchell** - January 09, 2020 at 11:53 PM

AN

“ *Our sincere sympathy and condolences to Deborah and all of the family. May my friend and classmate rest in peace. Andrew and Dorothy Lockhart*

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**Andrew** - January 09, 2020 at 03:32 PM

JF

“ *Janice Scott Frazier lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes*



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**Janice Scott Frazier** - January 09, 2020 at 03:23 PM

VF

“ Veasley Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes



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**Veasley Family** - January 09, 2020 at 03:20 PM

DE

“ Denise Edwards lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes



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**Denise Edwards** - January 09, 2020 at 09:46 AM

LB

“ Miss My Uncle. Baltimore

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**Linda Bethea** - January 08, 2020 at 01:10 PM

SD

“ Sheryl Durrell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes



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**Sheryl Durrell** - January 08, 2020 at 07:59 AM

EF

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Albert. Please accept our condolences. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers and may God bless you with peace and strength to help you through this difficult time.



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**Eddie and Rebecca Flakes** - January 07, 2020 at 10:25 PM

MB

*Sending condolences to the family. May God bring comfort and peace today and the days ahead. Family of Mary Bickerstaff Buchanan.*

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**Mary Buchanan** - January 10, 2020 at 06:04 PM

SS

“ *Sharelle Stephens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Albert L. Snipes*



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**Sharelle Stephens** - January 07, 2020 at 01:44 PM