



SGM Ezekiel Scott

September 18, 1938 - October 21, 2019

SGM Ezekiel “Rock” Scott was born on September 18, 1938 in Crawford, Alabama to the late Reverend John Lee Scott and the late Para Lee Scott. He departed this life October 21, 2019 at the age of 81 in his home surrounded by family. He is survived by his loving wife, Eleanor C. Scott, one son, Lynn (Cheryl) Scott and four daughters, Beryl (Hilliard) Scott-Washington, Valerie (Randy) Scott-Harris, Swantje Scott and LaSonja Scott. Left to cherish his memory are grandchildren, Antwan, J’Von, Janelle, Charles, Eirik, Austin, Daajah, and Adam; great-grandchildren J’Von II and Andre; Godson Zachary Williams; a host of nieces and nephews; and many, many “adopted” children who called him dad. He was preceded in death by one sister, Ruby Harbin and is survived by his uncle Ben (Tessie) Scott and eight siblings, Johnnie Mae Morgan, Jesse Scott, Easter Keitt, Elizabeth Walker, Para Lee Trimble, Ida Bell (Percy) Rowe, Geraldine Nelms and Patricia Scott, sister-in-law Gloria (Pete) Kelsey and brother-in-law Melvin (Joycelyn) Chatman.

Celebrating his life are his longtime friends, Joe Williams, Col. James Scott, Johnny Savage and James Brown.

“Zeke” graduated from Wacoochee High School in Salem, Alabama and was employed by the Auburn, University Post office until he joined the U.S. Army January 24, 1962. In his 30-year military career, “Scottie” traveled around the world and was stationed in Korea, Germany, Colorado, Maryland, and

Georgia. "Rock" fought in the Vietnam War in 1968 and Gulf War in 1991. Sergeant Major (SGM) Ezekiel Scott retired in March 1992 at Fort Benning, GA. After retirement, Mr. Scott managed the Fort Jackson Auto Craft shop in South Carolina for 13 years.

In 2005, Ezekiel and Eleanor moved to San Antonio TX where most of their children reside. He was an active member of the Lackland Freedom Chapel where he sang in the choir, taught bible study and served in the Christians Actively Reaching Everyone (CARE) Ministry. He was Texas State Chaplain for the National Association for Black Veterans (NABVETS). As Veterans Service Officer (VSO) he volunteered to help veterans get their VA benefits. Ezekiel continued serving his community until his illness.

Funeral service will be held Friday November 1, 2019, 10:00 a.m. at St Mary's Road United Methodist Church in Columbus, GA. Interment at Fort Mitchell National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Fort Mitchell National Cemetery

553 Alabama 165
Fort Mitchell, AL 36856
[http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/ftmitchell.a
sp](http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/ftmitchell.asp)

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **31**. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Family Receiving Hour

OCT **31**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Peterson and Williams Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of SGM Ezekiel Scott*



Peterson and Williams Funeral Home - October 31, 2019 at 05:46 PM

AD

Beautiful ❤️

Alice Drayton - October 31, 2019 at 07:34 PM



“ *SGM Ezekiel Scott*

January 29, 2023 at 11:13 AM

AD

“ *Rest in peace uncle Ezekiel. Thank you for being there for Anthony and I when we were first stationed in Germany. You and aunt Eleanor showed us around and helped us feel like we would be ok in such a strange land.*

Until we meet again you are thought of with love ❤️🙏.

Continued prayers for the entire Scott family as well 🗣️❤️🙏♀️



Love Alice and Family

Alice Drayton - October 31, 2019 at 02:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



October 31, 2019 at 11:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



October 30, 2019 at 07:10 PM



“ *49 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Peterson and Williams Funeral Home - October 30, 2019 at 06:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



October 29, 2019 at 04:02 PM



“ *Gwendolyn Scott lit a candle in memory of SGM Ezekiel Scott*



Gwendolyn Scott - October 29, 2019 at 12:44 PM



“ *Eleanor Scott lit a candle in memory of SGM Ezekiel Scott*



Eleanor Scott - October 28, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Eleanor Scott - October 28, 2019 at 01:47 PM

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“ *The Abney & Fox Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



The Abney & Fox Family - October 28, 2019 at 09:02 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



October 27, 2019 at 09:25 PM



“ *LaSonja Scott lit a candle in memory of SGM Ezekiel Scott*



LaSonja Scott - October 26, 2019 at 12:37 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



LaSonja Scott - October 26, 2019 at 12:36 PM

JN

“ *Jan Williams and family - Albuquerque NM purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



Jan Williams and family - Albuquerque NM - October 26, 2019 at 10:41 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.*



October 25, 2019 at 09:06 PM

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“ *1 file added to the album My husband*



Eleanor Scott - October 25, 2019 at 08:09 PM



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Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:42 PM



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Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:40 PM



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Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:27 PM



“ God bless Dad on his homegoing! We love you and miss you already!

Your loving family

Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:25 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:22 PM

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“ 1 file added to the *tribute wall*



Lynn Scott - October 25, 2019 at 07:18 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray* was purchased for the family of SGM Ezekiel Scott.



October 24, 2019 at 05:31 PM