



Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.

May 1, 1946 - June 11, 2023

Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross, Sr., was born on May 1, 1946, to the late Robie and Leila Christian Ross in Opelika, AL. He departed this life on Sunday, June 11, 2023.

Quinton, affectionately known as “Tim,” confessed Christ at an early age at Thompson Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church in Opelika, AL.

Quinton graduated in 1965 from J. W. Darden High School in Opelika, AL. Quinton and the Class of 1965 had an unshakable bond. After graduation, he matriculated to Alabama State University where he studied Art Education. He was initiated into the Gamma Sigma Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., in the Fall of 1966, serving as Vice-Basileus to the chapter. He had a great love for Alabama State University and was a proud member of the graduating class of 1969.

Quinton was a profound educator, artist and craftsman.

Quinton Timothy Ross, Sr., was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Katelyn Nicole Toussaint; six brothers: Donald Ross, Alvin Ross, Robie Ross, Jr., John Lewis Ross, William Ross, and Joseph Ross; and three sisters: Dorothy Ross Batchelor, Sarah Ross Bonner, and Farris Ross Fowler.

Memories of Quinton's life and legacy will be cherished by his spouse, Shirley Rice Ross; two devoted sons: Quinton (JK) Ross, Jr., Quintlon (Jia) Ross, both of Montgomery, AL; a loving daughter, Ursula Ross, Pontiac, MI; one sister, Gloria Whitfield, Washington, D.C.; five grandchildren: Quinmari (Kayla Otis) Ross, Evans, GA; Quaeshun (Ja'Lyn) Ross, Detroit, MI; Myles Ross, Quinton Ross, III, and Graysen Ross, all of Montgomery, AL; four great-grandchildren: Qualaeb, Bailey, Kennedi, and Quincy; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and special friends.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Quinton T. Ross Scholarship of Art at Alabama State University. <http://www.alasu.edu/quintonrosssr>

Cemetery Details

Memory Hill Cemetery

US Highway 280 East / Us Highway 431
Opelika, AL 36801

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 20. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Family Receiving Hour

JUN 20. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Service

JUN 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

Greater Peace Missionary Baptist Church
650 Jeter Avenue
Opelika, AL 36801
<http://www.greaterpeacechurch.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 20, 2023 at 04:27 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 20, 2023 at 03:16 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 20, 2023 at 11:00 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*

June 20, 2023 at 11:00 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 20, 2023 at 10:30 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 20, 2023 at 10:30 AM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 20, 2023 at 10:11 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 20, 2023 at 10:11 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 20, 2023 at 09:58 AM

SF

“ Sincerely, M. Sawyers & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



Sincerely, M. Sawyers & Family - June 19, 2023 at 11:03 PM

SF

“ Sincerely, M. Sawyers & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

Sincerely, M. Sawyers & Family - June 19, 2023 at 11:03 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 19, 2023 at 04:57 PM

HF

“ Henry Winfield and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



Henry Winfield and family - June 19, 2023 at 12:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 19, 2023 at 06:08 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 19, 2023 at 06:08 AM



“ My condolences to the family of Quinton Ross, Sr. We knew each other and families since Alabama State University days as students. He was known for his artistic talent. I have watched and been very proud of Quinton, Jr. since his parents brought him to study at ASU who is now the President. May God grant peace and comfort to the entire Ross family and love ones. Love. Alva Meniffee Thomas

Alva Meniffee Thomas - June 18, 2023 at 04:29 AM



“ My Prayers are with the entire Ross Family. May the Lord grant you all peace during this tough time!! 🙏

stacia cooper - June 17, 2023 at 02:01 PM

LW

“ LISA WILLIAMS~ALEXANDER sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.



LISA WILLIAMS~ALEXANDER - June 17, 2023 at 11:54 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 17, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 17, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 16, 2023 at 11:22 AM

SJ

“ *Mr. Ross was an awesome in the Pontiac School District. Worked with him for many years at Lincoln Junior High. RIH Mr. Ross.*

Shana Jackson - June 16, 2023 at 07:50 AM

BG

“ *My heart felt prayers and condolences to the family. Rest well Mr. ROSS*



BethAnn Gracey - June 16, 2023 at 07:42 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 16, 2023 at 06:02 AM

CS

“ *Connie Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.*



Connie Stewart - June 16, 2023 at 01:01 AM

YS

“ *Yolanda Shaw lit a candle in memory of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.*



Yolanda Shaw - June 15, 2023 at 11:42 PM

AH

“ *RIP.....*



Adele Hopkins - June 15, 2023 at 10:58 PM

CJ

“ *My condolences to the family of distant cousin, Quinton Timothy Ross, Sr. It was an honor for our family to have shared the Varner/Ross family Reunion in 2007, in Opelika. May Tim's good life and good works remind you forever of the Blessings that have come to this family, over the years. Cousin, Charlie Varner, Jr., Montgomery, Alabama.*

Charles Varner, Jr. - June 15, 2023 at 10:28 PM

RH

“ *Condolences
Randy Harris
ASU Class of '81*

Randy Harris - June 15, 2023 at 07:55 PM

PF

“ *President Sims & the Drake State Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*

President Sims & the Drake State Family - June 15, 2023 at 05:31 PM

PF

“ *President Sims & the Drake State Family purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



President Sims & the Drake State Family - June 15, 2023 at 05:31 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 15, 2023 at 05:03 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 15, 2023 at 12:39 PM

JM

“ Bro' Ross and I were colleagues at the Alternative Ed. Program in Pontiac, Mi. We discovered that we were fraternity brothers and he introduced me to other brothers in my home town and eventually we chartered the grad chapter Omicron Alpha Apha. Students and young fraternity brothers considered Bro' QT Ross Sr. as their dad or daddy Q. He was the Brothers Brother.

Bro' J. Carl McNeary

J. Carl McNeary - June 15, 2023 at 10:29 AM

PD

“ Portia Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.



portia Davis - June 14, 2023 at 03:18 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..



June 14, 2023 at 08:47 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 14, 2023 at 08:47 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..*



June 14, 2023 at 08:44 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr..

June 14, 2023 at 08:44 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Frederick Hunt - June 13, 2023 at 10:52 PM



“ *Betty Heard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Quinton Timothy Ross Sr.*



Betty Heard - June 13, 2023 at 07:45 PM

MH

“ My most sincerest condolences Quinton, from my Michigan family and from my Alabama Family. May your father text in Heaven. 🙏

Marilyn Hobbs - June 13, 2023 at 07:22 PM

UC

“ May the Holy Spirit of God extends His peace and comfort to the family in the loss of Mr. Quinton Ross, Sr.

una.p ASU COBA - June 13, 2023 at 04:19 PM

YW

“ I want to send my Love and Prayers to my extended Ross family. May God keep you all and hold you all close during your time of bereavement. RIP Daddy Ross



Yvette Watts - June 13, 2023 at 02:43 PM

AS

“ Daddy Que. You hit us hard with this one!!!! Thank you for being such a beacon of light and gentle soul to myself and my husband!!!! We will remember all the good times. All the visits. Trust me, we had a lot of good times and laughter. You were a second father to us both. Thanks for pouring the knowledge of marriage and life itself into me. Thanks, and we will always Love you!!!! Get your rest Now. You fought a good fight!!! Well done faithful servant.

Love,
Howard (Cupcake) and Michelle Cooper

Ann Michelle Slaughter-Cooper - June 13, 2023 at 02:16 PM

W5

“ *Daddy Que! I will always you and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.* ❤️



Willie J Cooper Jr 5-90-ΓΣ - June 13, 2023 at 02:01 PM

KS

“ *Tim you were one of the greatest people I know. It was a honor to be part of your life. I will forever treasure our time and memories together. Love you always!!!*



Kimberly Smith - June 12, 2023 at 08:48 AM

YM

Dr. Ross!! My deepest condolences to you and your family. Praying for your strength. From Mildred and Yvette "Coach" McDaniel.

Yvette McDaniel - June 13, 2023 at 04:19 PM