



Mr. Robert C. Patterson

May 28, 1940 - May 7, 2014

Funeral service for Mr. Robert C. Patterson, 73, of the Beauregard community will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, May 10, 2014 at Bethel No. II Missionary Baptist Church with interment in the church cemetery. Rev. Billy Drakes will deliver the eulogy. The pastor, Rev. Eddie Story, will officiate.

Mr. Patterson passed Wednesday, May 7, 2014 at the Bethany House. He was a member of Bethel No. II Missionary Baptist Church. He graduated from Sanford High School and furthered his education at Alabama State University earning a Bachelor's of Science Degree and a Master's in Secondary Education. He also earned his Professional "AA" at Auburn University in Auburn. During his undergraduate studies, he pledged and became a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc. After thirty-four years in the field of education, he retired from the Lee County Board of Education. He was also employed with Wal-mart in Auburn and retired following eighteen years of service.

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

Survivors: his wife, Dorothy G. Patterson of Opelika, AL; a son, Christopher K. (Daphne) Patterson of Smiths Station, AL; three grandsons, Markel, Devin and Tre'von; two sisters, Gladys Carlisle of Opelika, AL and Emma Farmers of Jamaica, NY; seven sisters-in-law, Eloise Patterson of Chicago, IL, Lottie

Patterson of Opelika, AL, Annie Williams of Smiths Station, AL, Carrie P. Wanton, Ethel Gentry, Margaret Gentry and Joyce Gentry all of Cleveland, OH; two brothers-in-law, Clarence Williams of Smiths Station, AL and Robert Gentry of Cleveland, OH; a devoted nephew and niece, Rev. Larry and Linda Patterson of Opelika, AL; a host of nieces, nephews and other loving relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Bethel No. II Baptist Church

1785 Lee County Road 29
Opelika, AL 36804

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 12:00 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

MAY 10. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Bethel No. II Baptist Church
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Peterson and Williams Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Robert C. Patterson



Peterson and Williams Funeral Home - May 09, 2014 at 11:09 AM



“ Mr. Robert C. Patterson

January 29, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ My condolences. Deborah Ethel Gentry-Pullen of Hamden, CT

Deborah E Gentry-Pullen - December 14, 2014 at 02:29 PM



“ You have my deepest sympathy. May you be comforted by Isaiah 25: 8 which says, "He will swallow up death forever, and our heavenly Father will wipe away the tears from all faces."

D Frazier - May 13, 2014 at 07:22 AM

LW

“ *Linda Welch lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert C. Patterson*



Linda Welch - May 11, 2014 at 05:53 AM

OB

“ *Olivia Buchanon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert C. Patterson*



olivia buchanon - May 10, 2014 at 06:37 PM

 Marty Kenney

“ *My condolences to all the family. some of most fondest teacher memories are of Mr Patterson at Sanford Middle School. He was always at comfortable teaching and taught me the game of soccer which I love still today. He was a wonderful coach and teacher with the right approach, demeanor, and attitude with tons of patience for children. He also comforted me and counseled me when my parents divorced. A true Angel of GOD.*

*Marty Kenney
Beauregard Class of 85 (although I moved)*

Marty Kenney - May 10, 2014 at 08:20 AM

TR

“ Sending my thought and prayers to to the family of mr.patterson.he was my coach when I was at Sanford middle school and that was many yrs ago,he was an awesome coach and he will be deeply missed



tammy ray russell - May 09, 2014 at 10:31 PM

LC

“ Luther/Angela Crawford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert C. Patterson



Luther/Angela Crawford - May 09, 2014 at 07:48 PM

LG

“ Coach Patterson..... You were one of kind. My thoughts and prayers are with your family
Lori

lori green - May 09, 2014 at 06:32 PM

JO

“ I remember him not calling me by first name he would say Milesssss that no way for a young lady to act don't make me tell yo parents in a slow motion tone great memories of him from school sending my love and prayer to you and chris from jent the Owens clan

jennifer owens - May 08, 2014 at 09:25 PM

JE

“ *Jennifer,anthony,kaitlyn lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert C. Patterson*



jennifer,anthony,kaitlyn - May 08, 2014 at 09:19 PM