



## Alvin Ray Bowen Sr.

February 18, 1952 - July 26, 2020

Alvin Ray Bowen, Sr. passed away unexpectedly July 26, 2020. Alvin was a firecracker. He loved life, his family and his friends. Alvin was happy, energetic, funny and would give anyone in need the shirt off of his back. He was a particularly great dancer always using his signature “jiggle and dip” moves. Alvin enjoyed Harley Davidson motorcycles, watching Dale Earnhardt race and Alabama Football. He also enjoyed fishing and many genres of music. His warm smile and sweet personality will be missed by all who loved him. Alvin is preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Earleen Bowen. He is survived by his son, Alvin Ray Bowen, Jr. (Michelle); daughter, Marissa Ann Ross; brothers; Larry Joe Bowen, Donald Lee Bowen (Shannon), Arthur Earl Bowen (Denise); sisters Lisa Marie Young and Teresa Ann Moran; 5 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild as well as 1 due in September and his fiancé, Melanie McCombs. Services will be held at New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home, Friday, July 31, 2020. The family will receive guests from 10-11am. Funeral service beginning at 11am with burial following in New Horizon Memorial Gardens. Rev. Tim Blackmon officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## New Horizon Memorial Gardens

5203 Hollis Goodwin Rd.  
Dora, AL 35062  
(205) 648-8749  
<http://www.newhorizonmemorial.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home  
5203 Hollis Goodwin Road  
Dora, AL 35062  
(205) 648-2323

## Funeral Service

JUL 31. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



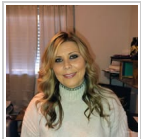
“ *Alvin Ray Bowen Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ *Alvin use to stop by Crossroads Grocery whee I work and we'd have a blast at each, much love for the family.*

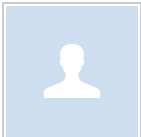
**Joe Pickett** - August 09, 2020 at 06:54 PM



“ *An amazing man that was so full of life! He would light up the room when he came in. He never judged anybody. I loved dancing with my Dad! He will always be my hero. Life will never be the same without you Dad. I love you till the wheels fall off!*



**Marissa Ross** - August 04, 2020 at 10:31 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



July 31, 2020 at 01:49 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



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July 30, 2020 at 04:00 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home** - July 30, 2020 at 02:59 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



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July 30, 2020 at 01:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



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July 30, 2020 at 12:08 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



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July 30, 2020 at 11:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



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July 29, 2020 at 09:25 PM



“ *Not albert alvin*



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**Colletta mckinney** - July 29, 2020 at 07:05 PM

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“ *Albert was always so sweet and sure loved his chevy he had he was sure loved*



Colletta mckinney - July 29, 2020 at 07:03 PM

KF

“ *Karen Thompson and family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



Karen Thompson and family - July 29, 2020 at 04:59 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



July 29, 2020 at 04:42 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..*



July 29, 2020 at 02:49 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



July 29, 2020 at 01:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



July 28, 2020 at 10:41 PM



“ Alvin and I were going to shoot some pool and had to stop for fuel - he bet me 20 dollars that I wouldn't know where to put the fuel in when we stopped, anyways I won 20 and got to drive the Malibu, which to this day is on a wish list- along with an older VW Beetle (mine was totalled by the drunk driver that hit me). Rest In Peace Alvin- You Will Be Missed. Hugs and Love, Susie Woodruff-Roy

**Marjorie Susie Roy** - July 28, 2020 at 08:35 PM



“ Already miss that smiling face Kenny & Patti



**patti rhodes** - July 28, 2020 at 07:38 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



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July 28, 2020 at 07:12 PM



“ *Lance, Falan, and Madison Bryars* purchased the *Sweet Tranquility Basket* for the family of Alvin Ray Bowen Sr..



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**Lance, Falan, and Madison Bryars** - July 28, 2020 at 06:05 PM