



## Ralph Nethery Parker

July 14, 1935 - June 4, 2024

Ralph N. Parker, 88 of Dora, went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday June 4, 24 at his residence.

Mr. Parker was a retired District Engineer from the State of Alabama Highway Department. He was a faithful member, Deacon and Sunday School teacher at Dora First Baptist Church, where he also sang in the choir, was involved with numerous committees and groups, and went on many mission trips. He was a U.S. Army veteran and served seven years in the Alabama National Guard. He was an avid Auburn fan. He was a jack of all trades. His family said he loved golf and fishing and made the best pecan pies anywhere around. More than anything else, he loved God, his family and his church, in that order.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Margaret Parker and an infant daughter, Susan Kaye Parker.

Survivors include his daughter Linda Spears and husband Randy; grandchildren, Maggie Pitts (Adam) and Sara Beth Spears; great grandchildren, Davis, Parker and Sydney; brother, Wayne Parker (Jackie); sister, Charlotte Perkins (Ron); several other family members and many friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to Dora First Baptist Church at P.O. Box 357 Dora, AL 35062

Memorial services will be Thursday June 6, 2024 at 7:00 pm at Dora First Baptist Church. Pastor Zac Bozeman and Rev.. Ken Mostella will officiate. The

family will receive friends from 6-7 pm at the church.

His cremains will be laid to rest alongside his wife and daughter in New Horizon Memorial Gardens.

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home directing 205-648-2323

# Cemetery Details

## New Horizon Memorial Gardens

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

# Previous Events

## Family to Receive Guests

JUN 6. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Dora First Baptist Church  
1440 Sharon Blvd.  
Dora, AL 35062

## Memorial Service

JUN 6. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Dora, AL 35062

# Tribute Wall



“ *Scotty Westbrook lit a candle in memory of Ralph Parker*



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**Scotty Westbrook** - June 07, 2024 at 05:20 AM



“ *Ralph had a great influence on me as a kid growing up. He was my Sunday School Teacher from elementary age until I was a senior in high school ...A better man I have never known, he lived his faith in God every day ! I am thankful for his friendship and will miss him Greatly...RIP Ralph, I will see you again one day ....*



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**Garry Butler** - June 05, 2024 at 10:17 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ralph Nethery Parker.*



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June 05, 2024 at 09:55 AM

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“ *Housing Authority of Walker County purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ralph Nethery Parker.*



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**Housing Authority of Walker County** - June 05, 2024 at 09:17 AM

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“ *Housing Authority of Walker County planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Nethery Parker.*

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**Housing Authority of Walker County** - June 05, 2024 at 09:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ralph Nethery Parker.*



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June 04, 2024 at 10:36 PM

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“ *Steve, Emily, Sydney and Andi Spears planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Nethery Parker.*

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**Steve, Emily, Sydney and Andi Spears** - June 04, 2024 at 10:36 PM