Acknowledgement of Appreciation

The Family of the late Jimmy T. Abner expresses their sincere thanks and appreciation for all the acts of kindness extended to them at this time of bereavement. Our prayer is that the Lord will continue to bless each of you.



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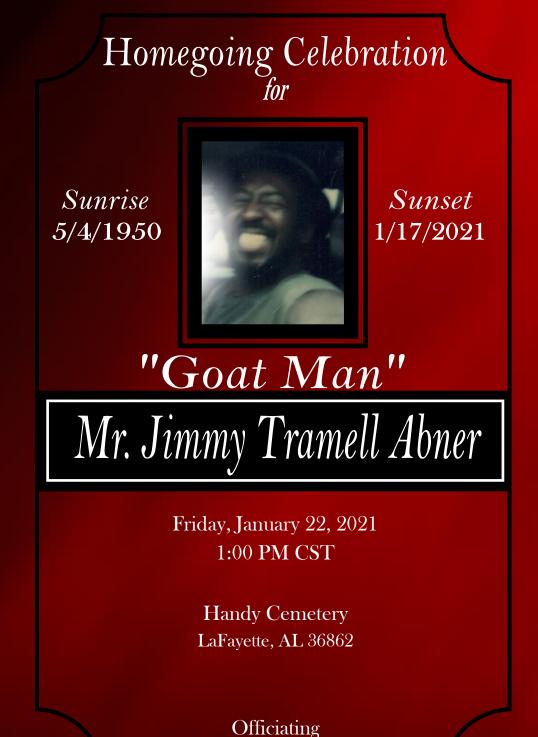
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Obituary

Mr. Jimmy Tramell "Goat Man" Abner was born in Troup County, GA on May 4, 1950 to the late Robert Lee Trammell, Sr. and Bessie Mae Henry Trammell. He was then adopted by the late Jessie Abner, Sr. and Susie Mae Holloway Abner.

Jimmy accepted Christ at an early age and joined a Missionary Baptist church in Atlanta, GA. After years passed, he rededicated his life back to Christ and attended Evergreen Baptist Church in Valley, AL under the leadership of Pastor Frankie Hutchinson, Sr.

"Goat Man," as he was affectionately known by many, was educated in the Troup County School System and graduated from West Point High School in the Class of 1966. He worked as a commercial driver for various trucking companies in Atlanta, GA for several years.

On October 2, 1967, Jimmy was united in holy matrimony to Cora Jean Copeland Abner.

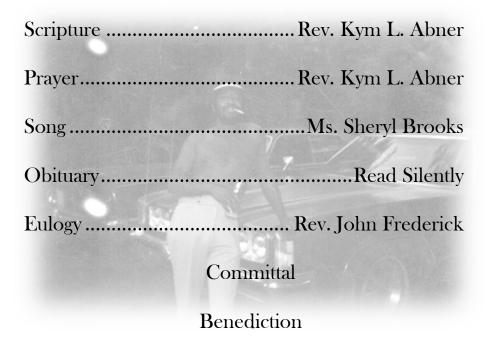
Jimmy departed this life on Sunday, January 17, 2021 at East Alabama Medical Center in Opelika, AL.

He was preceded in death by two brothers: Robert Trammell, Jr. and Jessie Abner, Jr. and three sisters: Mary Abner, Elizabeth Nizer and Mamie McWhorter.

Mr. Jimmy Tramell Abner leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Cora Jean Abner, Valley, AL; three sons: Robert T. Abner, Memphis, TN, Antonio (Dentrise) Abner, Valley, AL and Vincent Giles, Atlanta, GA; five grandchildren: Tatyana Abner, Kaila Abner, Asmar Moore, Emiyah Giles and Jordan Solis; one great-grandchild: Aria Malcolm; one sister: Carolyn Bailey, West Point, GA; two brothers: John D. Abner, Sr., West Point, GA and J.B. (Georgia Dell) Trammell, Lanett, AL; one brother-in-law: Willie Copeland, Lanett, AL; one aunt: Lula Mae Washington, Lanett, AL; a special nephew: Theo Abner, Valley, AL, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Processional



"I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

St. John 11:25-26