



## Altoral "Big Al" Terrell

November 23, 1975 - October 14, 2023

Altoral "Big Al" Terrell, 47, of Crawfordville went to be with the Lord on Saturday, October 14, 2023 in Tallahassee, Florida; with his family by his side. Al was born in Picayune, MS, but grew up in Ansley, MS. He was a proud graduate of St. Stanislaus Catholic High School, Bay St. Louis, MS. He lived in Crawfordville, FL for the past 8 years with his family. Al was first a man of God. His passion was to disciple and encourage those around him. He was a friend to many and had the gift of building relationships. All that knew Al, knew that he was concerned about their souls and them getting to know Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

Al has served as a licensed ordained minister for over 12 years. He was a current member, pastor and board member at River of Life Church, Crawfordville, FL. He also served as a pastor at Real Life Church in Hattiesburg, MS. He received his Pastoral license from Remnant Church House of Deliverance, New Orleans, LA and a Certificate of Ordination from Hosanna Ministries Inc. of St. Joseph, Missouri.

Al received a Bachelor of Science in Technology from Covenant Bible College and Seminary, Tallahassee, FL. He assisted in the planting of Covenant Bible College and Seminary satellite campus in Picayune, MS, where he also served as an instructor.

Al began his welding profession while attending Pearl River Community College, Poplarville, MS and later attended Lively Technical College, Tallahassee, FL.

His teaching career as a welding instructor at Lively Technical College began in 2015. He was the lead instructor for Rickards High School first welding program and assisted with Wakulla High School's welding program.

Survivors include his wife of 19 years Lena Terrell, his mother Juanita Terrell; five children Vincent R. Faulkner, Jr., Brandon R. Berry, Altoral D'jon Terrell, Aliyah and Alyson Terrell; three sisters Karen Terrell Jackson, Cachanda Taylor (Arnold), Bridget Terrell and a brother Alvin Eugene Terrell, Jr.

(Pamela); two grandchildren Nevaeh Ann and Violet Raquel Faulkner. Al also had 27 nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. Al's mentor of many years Ronald Washington, Sr., and long-time friends Deon Calhoun, Samuel Green and Mann Roberts.

Al was preceded in death by his father Alvin Eugene Terrell, Sr., a sister Trina Terrell, paternal grandparents James Terrell and Myrtle Ruth Giles Terrell and maternal grandparents A.D. Burton and Bernethia Carpenter Burton.

A Celebration of Life will be Saturday, October 21, 2023, 10:30 AM at River of Life Church, the family will receive friends at the church starting at 9:30 AM.

Burial will follow at the Arran Annex Cemetery in Crawfordville.

Tribute gifts in honor of Pastor Altoral Terrell can be made to support AL amyloidosis research to UNC Health Foundation Amyloidosis and Myeloma Center C/O Dr. Tuchman 123 W. Franklin St. Suite 510, Chapel Hill, NC 27516 or use this link <https://give.unc.edu/hfdonate?p=TERR>(<https://give.unc.edu/hfdonate?p=TERR>)

Skip and Trey Young along with Paula and Kimberly are assisting the family. Family Funeral Home Crawfordville, 850-926-5919.

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Friends

OCT 21. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

River of Life  
445 Donaldson Williams Road  
Crawfordville, FL 32327

## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Young Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell*



**Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services** - October 19, 2023 at 01:00 PM

CP

*What a beautiful tribute to such a loss.*

**Cara Potter** - October 19, 2023 at 09:12 PM

KE

*Beautiful tribute to such an annointed man of God. I wish you were still with us but God wanted you home. I will miss your smile and hearing you sing. Rest in the Fathers arms Al.*

**Kathy Ekorn** - October 20, 2023 at 03:04 PM

SK

*May the works we do speak for us! And his life and love for the Lord Jesus Christ exuberanted throughout him..... Thank the Lord for the life of Mr.Al and and the legacy and beautiful wife and children that he leaves behind. My daughter enjoyed time spent with the family ans his respectful strong presence..... Lena you are fearfully and wonderfully made my dear sister..... I love you and I am always near .....Butterfly and I leave our love and blessings forever and condolences from Briyaun and Caleb as well....*

**S. Kay** - October 21, 2023 at 09:14 AM

P.

*Beautiful Tribute.. RIP Big AL*

**P.J.** - October 26, 2023 at 09:52 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



October 20, 2023 at 03:16 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.

October 20, 2023 at 03:01 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



October 20, 2023 at 03:01 PM



“ *Mitchell Breland and family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



**Mitchell Breland and family** - October 20, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



October 20, 2023 at 12:18 PM



“ *2 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services** - October 19, 2023 at 12:57 PM



“ *Hosanna Ministries - Pastor Larry And Nancy Gray and All Other Hosanna Pastors purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



**Hosanna Ministries - Pastor Larry And Nancy Gray and All Other Hosanna Pastors** - October 19, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ 159 files added to the album LifeTributes



Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - October 18, 2023 at 05:25 PM



“ Ronald Washington purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.



Ronald Washington - October 18, 2023 at 12:43 PM



“ Kathy Ekorn lit a candle in memory of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell



Kathy Ekorn - October 18, 2023 at 12:29 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.

October 17, 2023 at 09:18 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



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October 17, 2023 at 09:18 AM



“ *Saint Stanislaus Basketball Teammates purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



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**Saint Stanislaus Basketball Teammates** - October 17, 2023 at 08:35 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



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October 17, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



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October 16, 2023 at 09:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Altoral "Big Al" Terrell.*



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October 16, 2023 at 09:01 PM



“ *BNL we will truly miss your presence. You're a child of GOD and you accepted the calling with Grace. We love you eternally. Watch over your wife, kids and family just as you been doing. Al we will keep your memories alive. I thank you for the many talks we shared. In knowing how much you loved the Lord , get your warm rest and we will cross paths again. Love you and thanks for being an awesome Brother-In-Law.*

*Your SNL, Jennifer Berry and niece Rayna/nephew Dennis*

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**Jennifer Berry** - October 16, 2023 at 08:34 PM

GR

*Juanita & Family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You will be and prayers. I know God will give you peace and comfort. Jesus give the family comfort in this time, we know you never make a mistake. Peace, Love and Hugs are coming your way from me and my family. Glenda Roy.*

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**Glenda Bryant Roy** - October 19, 2023 at 09:59 PM