



Mr. Harrison Leonard

March 19, 2021

Harrison Leonard was born September 13, 1965 in Hurtsboro, Al. He graduated from Macon County High School in 1983. He retired from the United States Army/Reserves as an officer (Major). Harrison served as Commander of 787th PM DeT. Unit in New Orleans. He graduated from Alabama State University with a Bachelor of Science in Biology, also graduated from Auburn University Montgomery with a Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science. He worked as an environmental scientist with the Alabama Department of Environmental Management where he recently retired after 25 years. Harrison was very active serving in the community with the Masonic Lodge, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, NAACP and the Church of the Highlands. Harrison was a family man that enjoyed being around his family near and far. He especially enjoyed playing games with his children, or just listening to them talk about their goals. In his free time, he enjoyed golfing, bowling, and going on family vacations. He cherished the times with his mother, sister, and brother. Harrison was a loving person that wore his heart on his sleeves, he would go above and beyond for anyone. He was a selfless good hearted person. Harrison was preceded in death by his father, Thomas Leonard Sr; three brothers, Thomas George Leonard Jr, Willard Leonard, and Arthur Leonard. Harrison leaves precious memories with his beloved wife, Cheryl Leonard and mother, Mary Leonard of Hurtsboro, Al; loving children Demetree (Acataueia) Myers of Tallassee, AL, Harrison Leonard Jr., and Ashley Leonard (both Montgomery); grandchildren Zytearia Mckinnon,

Jyteriuna Mckinnon, Michael Taylor Jr, Demetree Myers Jr; devoted brother Rodney Leonard of Hurtsboro, Alabama; loving sister Rosie (James) Smith of Hurtsboro, Alabama; sister in law Brenda Ridgeway; devoted in laws Eugene (Pearlie) Myers. A host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and devoted friends.

Cemetery Details

Alabama National Cemetery

Montevallo, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Brookside Funeral Home
3360 Brookside Drive
Millbrook, AL 36054
brooksidefuneral@bellsouth.net
<http://www.brooksidefuneralhomeal.com>

Service

MAR 26. 11:00 AM (CT)

Brookside Funeral Home
3360 Brookside Drive
Millbrook, AL 36054
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Burial

MAR **26**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Alabama National Cemetery
3133 Hwy 119
Montevallo, AL 35115
(205) 665-9039

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Harrison Leonard*

October 09, 2023 at 12:36 PM



“ *Mr. Harrison Leonard*

October 07, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *To The family, I remember one summer while attending Alabama State University, Harrison was working at a food establishment. He was schedule to be off at a certain time and needed to go study for an exam that was the following morning. Once the scheduled time to be off arrived Harrison asked his manager could he go home to study. All the manager said was "Shut up and drop those fries!" Harrison replied I really need to study. Again the manger said "Shut up and drop those fries!" So Harrison decided that his studying would win and he walked out. Now I don't think he ever dropped those fries again. After the exam the next morning Harrison shared that story with Isaac James and myself and we couldn't stop laughing, then we all went to the beach in Florida. Last after all those years when ever we would see each other the first thing out of our mouth would be Harrison "Shut up and drop those fries!" We Love you brother and wait to see you again in Heaven!*

Kenneth M. Tate

Kenneth M. Tate - March 26, 2021 at 12:46 PM

TJ

“ We want to express our deepest condolences to let you know we care. Words cannot express our sorrows and we share your pain. Some people come into our lives and leave their footprints on our hearts. May all the memories of Harrison give you comfort during this difficult time. Rest In Heaven Cousin.

Love Tommy Cooper Jr and Family

Tommy Cooper Jr. - March 26, 2021 at 10:30 AM

MW

“ To Ms. Mary and the Leonard family, I pray that God will keep you strong now and time to come, To Harrison's wife, I pray that you will find peace in the good memories.
Maxine F Washington.



Maxine F. Washington - March 25, 2021 at 10:50 PM

LS

“ *Lucille Shelton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard*



Lucille Shelton - March 25, 2021 at 10:47 PM

VC

“ *Sorry for your lost we will miss you. I love you all me and my family will keep y'all in our prayers*

From: Veria Cooper and Family ❤️

Veria Cooper - March 25, 2021 at 10:27 PM

Maxine
Graham

“ *Maxine Graham lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard*



Maxine Graham - March 25, 2021 at 10:23 PM

LW

“ *"Joe Cool", who will call me "C-Note" now. We have been together since first grade. We both moved from Russell Elementary School in Hartsboro. You moved months before I did. However, fate led us both to second grade at South Macon High School. Again after high school, we reunited again at Alabama State University. He was a biology major and I was an education major. We worked together on our class reunions where he was a jewel. He was one of the kindest person that I ever met. He was a loving husband, father, son, etc He was the go to guy. He was a walking computer. There will never be another Harrison Leonard. The South Macon High School class of 1983 has lost our guy. May his free spirit and genuineness will always be treasured. May your family find peace beyond the river. Take your rest Joe Cool we all love you but God loves you more.*

L.C. Washington - March 25, 2021 at 09:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



March 25, 2021 at 03:48 PM

EK

“ PRAYING FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. ENID KENDRICK

ENID KENDRICK - March 25, 2021 at 02:44 PM

TI

“ Taronsa Isom-Preston lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard



Taronsa Isom-Preston - March 25, 2021 at 12:28 PM

DR

“ Leonard Family, you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Harrison was a very outstanding young man. I am deeply sorry for you loss.

The Reuben Family,,



Danette Reuben - March 25, 2021 at 11:15 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.



March 25, 2021 at 11:07 AM

DR

“ *Danette Reuben lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard*



Danette Reuben - March 25, 2021 at 10:51 AM

PG

“ *I ran into Harry and his mother-in-law last year at the YMCA where he was there to watch his niece play basketball. We worked together at ADEM in the Air Division for 15 years and I hadn't seen him in a few years but he was the same old Harry and he was so excited about retiring and I was telling him how much he was going to enjoy it. Harry Leonard was one of the nicest guys I have ever known and every time I saw him there was this big sunny smile on his face and I was fortunate to have known him. My deepest condolences on the loss of your loved one!*

Pamela Grusnick - March 25, 2021 at 09:33 AM

JM

“ *Jennifer Cooper Majors lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard*



Jennifer Cooper Majors - March 25, 2021 at 05:00 AM

FC

“ Harrison worked with my husband, Wayne Coe, for many years. We enjoyed his company whenever he went fishing with us or visited the house. He was a very friendly, likeable person who always made me smile! We are honored to have known him. Our condolences to the Leonard family.



Lisa and Wayne Coe

Felicia C Coe - March 25, 2021 at 12:24 AM

JD

“ MY handsome, funny, "Brilliant-minded," cousin. I will SURELY miss you. You ALWAYS carried a GREAT sense of humor, no matter what the circumstance. This is DEFINITELY a bitter pill to swallow. You finished your course and now there is a crown waiting for you. Tell Dad, Mom, Sista, grandma, granddad, your brothers hello. WE will see you when WE get there. You will be FOREVER in our ❤️'s."



Juanita Dunovant - March 24, 2021 at 11:55 PM

JH

“ Cheryl, your family is in my thoughts and prayers. I'm so sorry for your loss.

Julie House

Julie House - March 24, 2021 at 10:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



March 24, 2021 at 09:47 PM



“ *Cheryl, you & your family will continue to be in my prayers.*
Michelle Bush
Pre-op JSC



Michelle Bush - March 24, 2021 at 07:02 PM



“ *With Love from the Smoaks and Leonard Family! purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



With Love from the Smoaks and Leonard Family! - March 24, 2021 at 04:31 PM



“ *Aunt Manda, Loretta, Greg , Camille and Charlie purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



Aunt Manda, Loretta, Greg , Camille and Charlie - March 24, 2021 at 04:21 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



March 24, 2021 at 04:21 PM



“ *Buddy you got me with this one, My Condolences to the Leonard Family Praying 🙏 for you all strength and May God bless you all 🙏 Beverly Calhoun and Family*



Beverly Calhoun - March 24, 2021 at 04:11 PM



“ *Gennie O Merritt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harrison Leonard*



Gennie O Merritt - March 24, 2021 at 03:36 PM



“ *Family of Effie Lee (Doll) Cooper-Ousley purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



Family of Effie Lee (Doll) Cooper-Ousley - March 24, 2021 at 03:34 PM

WJ

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family. Wanda Jeffers, JSC



wanda jeffers - March 24, 2021 at 02:23 PM

1M

“ 1146th Field AMB; 1207th USAH; & 7233rd MSU purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.



1146th Field AMB; 1207th USAH; & 7233rd MSU - March 24, 2021 at 10:08 AM

DJ

“ This is really hard for me, so i know it must be really hard for the rest of the family as well...Harry (2/2) inside joke...we cut up all the time, my best bud right here, never a dull day with Harry...a joker/clown...always had my back...he was always there, at every family day, family cookout, BBQ, wedding, holiday, etc. anything family related especially Leonard Harris Johnson Family functions he was there, he/we loved our family...and he showed it all the time...I'mma miss your presence Harry, your jokes about me and Hound (DJ) who paying?? right!!! I will cherish every moment, memory with a smile and some tears, I LOVE YOU !!!! Until we meet again...it's not gonna be same without you...I'll hold tight to my memories...R.I.P. Harry...2/2...Harrison
LOVE Deb



Debra Battle Jackson - March 23, 2021 at 10:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.



March 23, 2021 at 09:32 PM



“ *Harrison (Harry) and I worked together for over 20 years in ADEM's Air Division. We also shared several other interests to include being Brothers-in-Arms. Harry will be immensely missed. My condolences to his family. Rest in peace my friend!*

Clarence Fairer - March 23, 2021 at 04:03 PM



“ *Your ADEM family. purchased the Sacred Duty S pray for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



Your ADEM family. - March 23, 2021 at 02:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Harrison Leonard.*



March 23, 2021 at 01:44 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. Leonard was my co-worker at ADEM and was a very nice person and a great sense of humor. He was always ready to help where needed. He will be greatly missed.*

Louise Williams

LOUISE* *WILLIAMS - March 23, 2021 at 12:23 PM

DL

“ I worked with Harrison at ADEM. Harrison always had a smile and was so kind. He would brighten your day with his smile and his joyful hello in the hallway. He will be deeply missed. I am so sorry for your family's loss.



Daphne Lutz - March 23, 2021 at 10:37 AM