



## Albert Ray Pickard

January 12, 1944 - March 10, 2013

Albert Ray Pickard, age 69, Bear Creek, AL. passed away Sunday March 10, 2013 at his home. He was a member of Antioch Baptist Church, retired from Sales in the Manufactured Housing Industry. He was inducted into the Marion County Athletic Hall of Fame, avid supporter of High School Basketball, member of Twin Pines Country Club where he was an avid Golfer, and a dedicated Alabama Fan. His parents, Denver and Annie Frances Goddard Pickard preceded him in death. His visitation will be held on Monday March 11, 2013 at Pinkard Funeral Home-Haleyville, AL. from 5:00 – 8:00PM, with his funeral held on Tuesday March 12, 2013 at 11:00AM at Pinkard Funeral Home-Haleyville, AL., with Bro. Mark Daniel and Bro. Jonathan Henderson officiating, burial to follow at Mountain Home Cemetery in Bear Creek, AL. He is survived by, Children, Cheri (Mark) Atkins, Steve Pickard and Misty (Jonathan) Henderson. Grandchildren, Allison (Brandon) Robinson, Anna Kimbrell, Larry Bradbury, Jerry Bradbury, Nick Atkins, Emily Bradbury, Travis Channell, Matthew Atkins, Lucas Atkins, Kennedy Pickard, Spencer Pickard, Christian Pickard, Emma Henderson and Lydia Henderson. Great Grandchild, Lily Robinson.

His Pallbearers are, Michael Pickard, Howard Goddard, Brandon Robinson, Wesley Lawrence, Travis Channell and Spencer Pickard.

# Tribute Wall



“ Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Albert Ray Pickard



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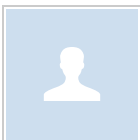
**Pinkard Funeral Home** - March 10, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I cannot imagine anyone not loving Al . . . he knew how to be and he was a good friend. He was also one of the best salesmen ever. When we last spoke, we had so much fun remembering our times together - especially the ones at Belmont Homes! As sad as I am, I am grateful that I knew him well . . . and that he is feeling no pain.##imported-begin##Cynthia Moore##imported-end##

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March 13, 2013 at 07:08 PM



“ Misty and Jonathan--We are so sorry for your loss. Sending love and prayers your way.##imported-begin##Keith and Tamela Oden##imported-end##

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March 12, 2013 at 11:28 AM



“ Cheri, David, Misty and grandchildren, please know how sorry we are and how much we love all of the family. You will all be in our prayers. Albert is celebrating in heaven with Denver and Frances.##imported-begin##Boyce, Barbara and Twylia Turner##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 02:36 PM



“ CHERI,STEVE,MISTY AND TO ALL THE REST OF THE FAMILY I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. THE TIME IN MY LIFE SPENT WITH AL WAS SO REMEMBERABLE HE WAS SUCH A JOY TO BE AROUND. I KNOW YOU WILL MISS HIM, BUT NOW HE IS IN THE LORD'S HANDS AND WHAT A WONDERFUL PLACE TO BE. JUST KNOW THAT I AM PRAYING FOR PEACE FOR EACH OF YOU IN THE DAYS AHEAD. LOVE EACH OF YOU  
SHELIA##imported-begin##shelia martin landers##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 12:04 PM



“ Al was indeed a "Special" man, to know him was a blessing,since 1980 in MH business. Al could make you laugh or his serious side was there to listen, need be. Al paid his dues and is now resting and smiling down at his loving family. As he told me last week; he had the best and most beautiful nurses in the world but he couldn't make a pass at them because they were all related to him (his 2 daughters and 2 granddaughters). Love you my friend, rest in peace with no more pain.##imported-begin##Judy "JJ" Allen##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 11:44 AM



“ Dear Cheri, Steve & Misty: My heart is heavy for each and every one of you. I loved your father with all my heart and he was always in my thoughts over the years, as well as you kids. I pray that our Lord wraps his loving arms around each of you as you walk through this difficult time. Find comfort in the fact that he is no longer in pain and we will all see his smiling face again one day. God Bless each of you. April and I send our love. Know, also, we are always here for each of you. Take care.##imported-begin##Patsie Pickard Haygood##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 09:44 AM



“ al was a old & dear friend we started in mobile home together in late sixties will miss him dearly##imported-begin##DON A EPPERSON##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 09:17 AM



“ To Al's family, He was one of a kind. A true friend to all of us in his age group. Of course others but he and I talked many times of the old days and he was enjoyable to be around. He will be missed but suffered so much. Rest in piece FRIEND. Wayne Yarbrough##imported-begin##Wayne Yarbrough##imported-end##

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March 10, 2013 at 10:24 PM



“ A good man  
A better friend  
Rest in Peace##imported-begin##Steve Lee##imported-end##

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March 10, 2013 at 09:06 PM