



Rev. Gus Orr

February 17, 1929 - April 23, 2022

Rev. Gus Orr, a native of Lincoln, Alabama, was born, February 17, 1929, the only child of the late Ted Orr and Annie Madden Orr Green. Rev. Orr passed from this world to his eternal resting place on, Saturday, April 23, 2022, at the glorious age of 93 years, 2 months and 6 days.

Rev. Orr served in the United States Army for 26 years where he retired as a SFC serving in Germany, South Korea and Vietnam as an infantry, operations and intelligence specialist. He received numerous citations, badges and awards, (Vietnam Campaign Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, National Defense Service Medal and Good Conduct Medal) to name only a few. Rev. Orr also served 8 years as the Pastor of Peace & Goodwill Baptist Church in Aniston, Alabama. He was the chaplain of DAV Chapter 24 in Anniston, Alabama, and was elected as chaplain for the Department of Alabama, DAV in 1993-94.

Rev. Orr earned his BS in Social Studies Education and his MS in Guidance Counseling from the Tuskegee Institute. He was also employed at Fort McClellan for 10 years.

Rev. Orr was married to Zelma Ann Halsell on, October 30, 1976, in Oakland, Kentucky.

To cherish the memory of Rev. Gus Orr he leaves his wife, Zelma Ann Orr; children, Augustus (Sharon) Orr, Teresa Orr, Glenn (Yalana) Orr, Bernard Orr, Cynthia Orr, Wanda Orr, Darryl Orr, Effort (Dana) Hayes, Jr., Christopher (Vicky) Hayes, Stavin Halsel and Sherry Wilkinson; 18 grandchildren; several great grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Rev. Orr was preceded in death by daughter, Stephanie Fant.

-MASK ARE REQUIRED DURING VISITATION & FUNERAL SERVICES-

Sincerely,

-Your friends at Burnam and Son

Cemetery Details

Plainview Cemetery

300 Dixie Trace
Oakland, KY 42159

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Oakland Mount Zion Baptist Church
109 Young Street
Oakland, KY 42159
<http://oaklandmtzion.com>

Funeral Service

APR 30. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. - April 29, 2022 at 01:02 PM

BH

“ *I was blessed to work with Gus in the 1980s at Fort McClellan. He was my go-to friend to share a smile and hug. Whenever I ventured back to Anniston, seeing Gus and Zelma was always a priority. He was a wonderful friend who shared his love of God and people. Rest well, my friend. Beth (Atkisson) Holt*

Beth Holt - July 16, 2023 at 06:15 PM

SC

“ *good by rev i will miss you steve chapma anniston alabama>10/11/2022*

Steve Chapman - October 11, 2022 at 04:05 PM

LR

“ *LaQudia Roberts lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



LaQudia Roberts - May 01, 2022 at 05:40 PM

JH

“ *John Hudson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



John Hudson - April 29, 2022 at 11:04 PM

SB

“ *My deepest condolences to the family, remember God don't put no more on us than we can bear 🙏🙏🙏*

Sharon P Busbee - April 29, 2022 at 12:58 PM

AH

“ *Deepest sympathy to the family 🙏🙏*

*Alonzo & Shernevelyne Draper Hill***Lincoln, AI*



Alonzo & Shernevelyne Draper Hill - April 29, 2022 at 11:24 AM

BC

“ *❤️ Prayers for the family.*

Brenda Britt Cason - April 29, 2022 at 06:10 AM

TC

“ *Tina Cooke lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Tina Cooke - April 28, 2022 at 10:19 PM



“ *LIVELY-CLARK lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



LIVELY-CLARK - April 28, 2022 at 11:38 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rev. Gus Orr.*



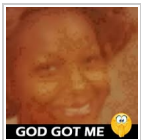
April 28, 2022 at 07:50 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Rev. Gus Orr.*



April 28, 2022 at 02:02 AM



“ *Faith Ferguson sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Faith Ferguson - April 27, 2022 at 07:45 PM



“ *My Condolences to the Family.*



Faith Ferguson - April 27, 2022 at 07:44 PM



“ *Loretha Burton Withrow lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Loretha Burton Withrow - April 27, 2022 at 05:28 PM



“ *Debra Anthony Wakefield lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Debra Anthony Wakefield - April 27, 2022 at 01:01 PM



“ *Tina Fant lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Tina Fant - April 26, 2022 at 11:41 PM

AT

“ Prayers for the Family !



Alice Taylor - April 26, 2022 at 01:04 PM

RM

“ Rollin And Berona Massey lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Rollin and Berona Massey - April 26, 2022 at 11:14 AM

KB

“ Kenetha Bryant lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



kenetha bryant - April 26, 2022 at 10:21 AM

ME

“ Mary Eason lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Mary Eason - April 25, 2022 at 09:54 PM

AB

“ Aletha Britt sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Aletha Britt - April 25, 2022 at 09:09 PM

AB

“ Aletha Britt sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Aletha Britt - April 25, 2022 at 09:06 PM

AB

“ Aletha Britt sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Aletha Britt - April 25, 2022 at 09:02 PM

JF

“ Jones Family lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Jones Family - April 25, 2022 at 07:27 PM

SF

“ Sue Sweatt And Family lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Sue Sweatt and family - April 25, 2022 at 03:13 PM

GC

“ Gwen Coats lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Gwen Coats - April 25, 2022 at 11:12 AM

GC

“ Gwen Coats lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Gwen Coats - April 25, 2022 at 08:51 AM

CB

“ Carolyn Britt sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



Carolyn Britt - April 25, 2022 at 07:54 AM



“ *Frank Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Frank Alexander - April 25, 2022 at 07:17 AM



“ *Frank Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Frank Alexander - April 25, 2022 at 07:16 AM



“ *Sharon Andrews lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Sharon andrews - April 24, 2022 at 10:59 PM



“ *Faith Ferguson sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Gus Orr*



Faith Ferguson - April 24, 2022 at 10:11 PM

JD

“ James H. Davidson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



James H. Davidson - April 23, 2022 at 08:32 PM

CH

“ Cheryl Hewitt lit a candle in memory of Rev. Gus Orr



cheryl hewitt - April 23, 2022 at 08:16 PM



“ Dear Orr Family,

There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.



Respectfully,

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly
2nd Generation Owners*

Cedric Burnam - April 23, 2022 at 06:54 PM