

A veteran - whether active duty, retired, or national guard or reserve - is someone who, at one point in their life, wrote a blank check made payable to "The United States of America," for an amount of "up to and including THEIR LIFE." Author Unknown

Honor The Memories

REMEMBERING OUR VETERANS - 2017

Arthur Lee Stueart	Marines	December 4, 1951 – December 4, 2017
Ben C. Tinsley	Army	August 1, 1932 – December 19, 2017
Robert James Crittenden	Army	December 6, 1946 – December 25, 2017

REMEMBERING OUR VETERANS - 2018

Earl Fort	Army	February 6, 1955 – January 14, 2018
George Whitaker	Army	November 14, 1940 – January 20, 2018
Harold Maxwell Jones	Army	September 5, 1959 – February 10, 2018
Frank Kimbrough	Air Force	July 20, 1933 – February 13, 2018
Parker Maurice DeMunn	Army	October 15, 1969 – March 13, 2018
Melvin Eugene Lumpkin	Army	December 6, 1945 – April 19, 2018
Billy Strickland	Army	June 29, 1950 – May 28, 2018
Cordell Johnson	Marines	February 3, 1965 – July 3, 2018
Forrest Williams	Army	October 11, 1950 – July 5, 2018
Walter James Clyde	Army	October 12, 1967 – July 11, 2018
Oscar James Vinson	Army	January 11, 1945 – July 29, 2018
Anthony Curtis Cox	Air Force	September 8, 1958 - August 12, 2018
Lawrence Jackson	Army	October 26, 1950 – September 1, 2018
Clarence Montgomery	Navy	November 23, 1942 – September 5, 2018
Walter Owens	Marines	February 22, 1955 – October 26, 2018

Special Thanks

Auburn High School JROTC Program
Colors and Presentation of Flag

Wishers: Auburn High School FBLA



Thank You

Today, we celebrate America's Veterans for keeping our Nation the land of the free and the home of the brave. Let us say "thank you" to all of our veteran's, to let them know that we appreciate them for their service and honor them for their sacrifices. The price of freedom is high. We cannot afford to forget those who have been willing to pay it.



HARRIS FUNERAL HOME

515 South 6th Street • Opelika, Alabama 36801

334-749-6583

www.harrisfuneralhomeinc.com

Veterans Day Celebration



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2018
12:00 NOON

HARRIS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL

Order of Service

Patriotic Music

Welcome Reverend Robert Cadenhead

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance Judy Lockhart

Musical Selection..... Demond Moore
"Battle Hymn of Republic" (Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory)

Speaker..... Pastor Isaac Nunn

Introduction of Guests..... Judy Lockhart

HONORING AMERICAN HEROES PAST HARRIS FUNERAL HOME HONOREES

2013 Lenell Harris

2014 Paul Michael Gibson

2015 James Frank Hughley

2016 Willie B. Robinson

2017 Wilbert Lee Sparks

Moment of Silence..... Ramon Harris and Channing Torbert

Special Tribute

2018 Distinguished Honoree Viola B. Johnson

Remarks

Benediction Pastor Isaac Nunn



GUEST SPEAKER

Pastor Isaac Nunn

Isaac Nunn is the pastor of Truth and Love Ministries in Opelika, AL. He attended Opelika City School System and furthered his education at Southern Union State Community College. He is a hard worker, a man of great integrity, and someone who loves people.

God called him, along with his wife Anita Nunn, to reconcile men back to God. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, they strive to pull down the walls that divide and keep us from being one in the Body of Christ. They believe in leading by example and they seek to restore the two missing elements in the world today: truth and love.

Celebrate Veterans Day and the sacrifices they have made to protect us.

HONOREE

Viola Brown Johnson

Viola Brown Johnson is the daughter of Calvie Core Barnett and the late Ulysses Barnett.



She is a graduate of Opelika High School, Class of 1986. She attended Southern Union for three semesters and decided to enter the military.

She joined the U.S. Army in August of 1987. She trained for basic training at Fort Jackson, SC and went on to Fort Lee Virginia for two years of service as a supply specialist.

After returning home from the military, she joined the Alabama National Guard and was deployed to regular duty again to fight in the Gulf War (Desert Storm).

She arrived in Daharan, Saudi Arabia on February 4, 1991, the day the ground war started.

She served eight and a half months in the desert before returning home October 18, 1991.

Mrs. Johnson worked for Diversified Products and attended Opelika Technical College in the electronics program.

She was hired at BF Goodrich (Uniroyal) and worked there for seventeen and a half years, before the plant closed their doors for good.

After losing her job, she attended Southern Union Community College and graduated with an Associate Degree in Medical Records.

Viola married Johnny Johnson in May of 2006 and has a son Jabori Johnson. They have been married for 12 years.