



Anthony Sparks-Winsted

January 30, 1981 - September 12, 2022

James Anthony Olen Sparks - Winsted, 41, of Bear Creek, passed from this walk of life at his home on September 12, 2022.

Anthony was born January 30, 1981 in Russellville, AL, and had lived in Bear Creek most of his life, had served in the US Navy and was a welder & truck driver.

Anthony is survived by his Mother & Bonus Dad; EuGenia and Jerry Cottongin Son; Chandler (Ali) Hill, Daughter's; Jadalynn Noel Sparks & Nala Fulmer, Grandson; Waylon Beck. Sisters; Christy Sparks (RD) Frye, Sandra Michelle Sparks Willingham, Jamie (Jermie) Green, Candie (Clint) Hart, Cindy Winsted Smith, Wendy Baxter, Shanna Baxter, & Heather Baxter, Bonus sister Jennifer (Keith) George. Brother; Aaron Baxter He was Uncle Anthony to Courtney Beasley, Devin Beasley, Colby Beasley, Seth Green, Bo Green, T.C. (Heather) Hart, Jacob (Jackie) Hart, Micah (Megan) Hart, Joshua Smith, Brandon (Haley) Smith, and Kayla Smith. A host of great nieces and nephews Aunts; Melissa (Rob) Taylor, Tawana (Tim) McShane, Elizabeth Miles, Debra Clark, Sandra Clark, Rita Clark & Melinda Clark. Uncle's, Michael Clark, Justin Baxter, David Baxter & Jason Baxter. He was loved by many cousins & was an Honorary Dad, Brother & Uncle to a host of Family & Friends.

Anthony was preceded in death by his infant son James Gabriel Sparks,

loving Father, Jimmy Winsted, Daddy; Gregory Keith Baxter, Uncles; W.J Winsted & Danny Baxter. Bonus brother; J.J. Cottongin. Grandparents; Vernell Dale Clark, Maudie Walker Mashburn, Bobby and Dorothy Baxter.

Services held Sunday, September 18, 2022 at 3:00 PM from the Hines Memorial Baptist Church with burial in the Old Bethel Cemetery in the Wiley Branch Community in Bear Creek. Bro. Ricky Witt and Bro. Jason Williams officiating.

Memorial Funeral Home of Hamilton, AL directing.

Cemetery Details

New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

Co Road 147
Bear Creek, AL 35543

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 18. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Hines Memorial Baptist Church
10726 State Highway 241
Bear Creek, AL 35543

Service

SEP 18. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ *he was the best men*



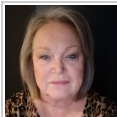
destiny hart - October 12, 2023 at 03:05 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss,*



Sam Heath - September 19, 2022 at 08:30 PM



Thank You

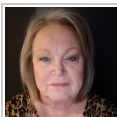
EuGenia Cottongin - September 22, 2022 at 11:44 AM

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“ *Latica Overton lit a candle in memory of Anthony Sparks-Winsted*



Latica Overton - September 18, 2022 at 04:14 AM



Love you Tica

EuGenia Cottongin - September 22, 2022 at 11:45 AM

AP

“ *I'm so sorry Eugenia! I love you*

April - September 17, 2022 at 01:23 PM



Thank You, Love you too

EuGenia Cottongin - September 22, 2022 at 11:46 AM



“ *Kathy Bostic lit a candle in memory of Anthony Sparks-Winsted*



Kathy Bostic - September 16, 2022 at 11:08 AM



Thank You Kathy

EuGenia Cottongin - September 22, 2022 at 11:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anthony Sparks-Winsted.*



September 16, 2022 at 12:44 AM

CS

“ I am one Anthony's oldest sister,he lived with my daughter and I in millvillage south haleyville.yes we lived in one the nicer homes there.around my daughter's birthday that year (Kayla Smith) I think she was around 6 yrs old.she asked her uncle Anthony if he would get her tongue pierced.he says yes baby I will.i forget what he was doing but he never paid her no mind.she came running in the kitchen I was doing dishes she says guess what mom I am getting my tongue pierced when uncle Anthony gets done .I said oh no your not overy dead body.she gets up goes in uncles bedroom says well she say and she told him .he says go ask her when that will happen.kayla says soon I hope that whole weekend she waited for him to take her get that tongue pierced.when she turned 16 she reminded him of this fact.i love you little brother.

Cynthia Smith - September 15, 2022 at 09:27 PM

MH

“ Anthony was an all around good guy. He had a way of making you smile with his infectious regardless of what he was going through. Just one of the many things I loved about him. Till we meet again!



Misty Hampton - September 15, 2022 at 01:06 PM



Thank You for the beautiful words

EuGenia Cottongin - September 22, 2022 at 11:47 AM