



## Rev. Bobby J. Kirk

July 3, 1940 - April 26, 2019

Rev. Bobby J. Kirk, 78, of Piedmont, Al, passed away on April 26, 2019 at the University of Alabama Hospital. He was born in Calhoun County, Al on July 3, 1940. He is survived by his beloved spouse of 57 years, Linda Kirk. He is also survived by a son, Raymond Kirk, and daughter, Tammy Morrow (Graham); and four grandchildren Auburn and Dylan Kirk and Caleb and Taylor Morrow. He is also survived by a loyal friend and brother-in-law, Franklin Buttram and sister-in-law Vera Kirk. Bobby graduated from Piedmont High School and attended Howard Bible College. He retired from Standard Coosa-Thatcher company after 30 years of service. Most notably, Bobby served as a servant leader and senior pastor for over 40 years in Calhoun and Cherokee county. Bobby was a member of the Calhoun and Cherokee Baptist Association and Lozahatchee Masonic Lodge No 97. Bobby was preceded in death by his parents, Lee and Bessie Kirk; son, Timothy Kirk; great granddaughter, Brooklyn Kirk; six brothers: Gene, Franklin, Lewis, Bill, Alton, J.T., and two sisters Anne Mae Rutherford and Mary Opal Buttram. Pallbearers will be Dylan Kirk, Caleb Morrow, Taylor Morrow, Jack Glen Buttram, David Kirk, Phillip Kirk, Don Rutherford, Leon Rutherford, Alford Rutherford, and Franklin Buttram. Honorary pallbearers will be local pastors and ministers. Funeral services will be held at Thompson Funeral Home on Sunday, April 28, 2019, at 4:00 p.m. with the Revs. Jerry Pike, Michael Ingram, and Chris Naugher officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 1:00 p.m. until time of service. Private graveside services will be at Philadelphia Baptist

Church Cemetery with Rev. Jack Morgan and Rev. Frank Parris officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Bobby J. Kirk to the Alabama Baptist Children's Home & Family Ministry 1210 Friendship Rd, Oxford, Alabama 36203 or Piedmont Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 333, Piedmont, AL 36272.

# Cemetery Details

**Philadelphia Baptist Church Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**APR 28.** 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Thompson Funeral Home & Crematory  
6340 Old Piedmont-Gadsden Hwy  
Piedmont, AL 36272  
(256) 447-7113  
<https://www.thompsonfuneralhomepiedmont.com>

### Service

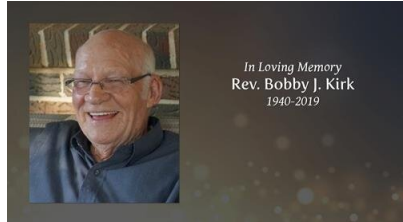
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



Thompson Funeral Home - March 30, 2020 at 12:07 PM



“ *Karen Parks lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



karen parks - April 28, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ *Karen Ledbetter& Jo Ledbetter sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



Karen Ledbetter& Jo Ledbetter - April 28, 2019 at 07:37 AM

PP

“ *Paula Kelley Parker lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



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**Paula Kelley Parker** - April 28, 2019 at 06:31 AM

MJ

“ *Michelle Jones lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



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**Michelle Jones** - April 27, 2019 at 11:42 PM

VA

“ *Vivian Agan sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



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**Vivian Agan** - April 27, 2019 at 09:32 PM

VA

“ *Sorry to hear about Rev. Kirk. Thoughts and prayers for Linda, Raymond, Tammy, the Grands, and all his loving family. So very sorry for your loss. RIP Bobby.*



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**Vivian Agan** - April 27, 2019 at 09:24 PM

KC

“ *Our condolences to the family. You will be in our prayers.*

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**kevin & maggie cunningham** - April 27, 2019 at 09:01 PM

TP

“ *May God comfort the family during this time. Just to name a few memories- Bobby was instrumental in updating additions to our Church (Rockrun). Bobby was there when the Rockrun Christmas Parade started. He was so proud of his Team Rockrun T-Shirt, & parade hat. He loved a good humorous joke and a “Baptist hug”. He will be forever missed! Rest In Peace Rev. Bobby.....Your friends, David & Tonya Pike*

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**Tonya Pike** - April 27, 2019 at 08:34 PM



“ *Renee Morgan lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*

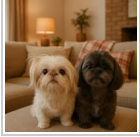


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**Renee Morgan** - April 27, 2019 at 08:03 PM

BM

“ *We will forever miss your warm smile and gentle heart. Prayers to the family in your time of loss. We know you are looking down on us and no longer suffering.  
Brandon and Beverly Marbut and Family*

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**Beverly Marbut** - April 27, 2019 at 02:53 PM



“ *Pam Mcdonald lit a candle in memory of Rev. Bobby J. Kirk*



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**Pam Mcdonald** - April 27, 2019 at 01:08 PM



“ *My name is Tammy McGatha  
I met Mr Kirk when I worked at Gadsden Regional on the heart floor.  
He was a great man who always talked about the Bible to me and  
invited me to go to church. I am very sad over his passing. Prayers  
for the family.*

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**Tammy McGatha** - April 27, 2019 at 12:54 PM



*Linda, Raymond, & family, I am so very sorry for your loss. This is a  
loss for all of us. Bob was my friend and was with me on one of the  
worst days I've ever had. God bless you guys and remember, Bob is in  
good hands.*

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**Gus Coogler** - April 27, 2019 at 07:05 PM