

Pallbearers  
Great Nephews

Interment  
Old Elam Cemetery  
Clayton, Alabama

*Homegoing Celebration  
for the Late  
Irvin Barker, Jr.*

Sunrise  
March 28, 1940

Sunset  
May 2, 2020



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**Acknowledgements**

The family of Irvin Barker, Jr wishes to express their deepest and sincere gratitude for the many prayer, cards, flowers, and all other acts of kindness shown. God loves you and so do we.

Newman Mortuary



114 Harper Drive Ozark, AL (334) 774-1064

*Saturday, May 9, 2020  
11:00 a.m*

*Elam Baptist Christian Fellowship Church  
Clayton, Alabama  
Pastor Edward C. Holt - Officiating*



## Obituary

*Irvin Barker, Jr was born March 28, 1940 in Barbour County, Alabama to the later Irvin Barker and Armiler Walker Barker.*

*Irvin professed Christ as his personal Savior at an early age at Elam Baptist Christian Fellowship Church, Clayton, Alabama.*

*Irvin graduated from Barbour County Training School and attended Tuskegee Training Institute. During this time he started farming which became his greatest hobby. He worked for American Building for over 20 years until the close of business.*

*Irvin loved his family and would give the shirt off his back to help others.*

*Irvin was preceded in death by his parents Irvin and Armiler Barker. One brother and four sisters.*

*Irvin leaves to cherish a legacy of loving memories with one brother Charles ( Mamie) Barker of Romulus, Michigan two sisters Mrs. Ann Cross of Romulus, Michigan and Mrs. Ruth Akins of Anchorage, Alaska. A very special and loving niece who was also his care giver until he departed this world Lizzie Ree (John Lewis) Jones Ozark, Alabama and other nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends. Irvin will truly be missed by many.*



## Order of Service

*Processional.....*

*Prayer.....*

*Scripture.....*

*Resolutions & Acknowledgements.....*

*Eulogy.....Pastor Edward C. Holt  
Elam Baptist Christian Fellowship Church*



## *Safely Home*

*I am home in Heaven dear ones!  
Oh, so happy and so bright!  
There is perfect joy and beauty  
In this everlasting light.*

*All the pain and grief is over,  
Every restless tossing passed  
I am not at peace forever,  
Safely home in Heaven at last.*

*The you must not grieve so sorely,  
For I love you dearly still;  
Try to look beyond earth shadows,  
Pray to trust our Father's will*

*There is work still waiting for you,  
So you must not idly stand;  
Do it now, while life remaineth  
You shall rest in Jesus' land*

*When that work is all completed,  
He will gently call you Home;  
Ph the rapture of that meeting,  
Oh the joy to see you come!*