



LaVann C Callier Sr

December 21, 2024

LaVann Connell Callier, Sr. fell asleep in death at home on Saturday December 21, 2024. He was born on March 15, 1949, in Clarke County, Alabama. LaVann was the second-born son of Washington, Sr. and Clara Daffin Callier. LaVann and his older brother, Washington Callier, Jr., were raised “up the country” in Grove Hill, Alabama. The family eventually relocated to Mobile, Alabama, where LaVann attended Central High School and was in the graduating class of 1967. While at Central, he met the love of his life, Mary Antalan, who he married on June 16, 1970. Following his parents’ footsteps, LaVann received a degree in Education from Alabama State University.

LaVann was preceded in death by his wife of almost 50 years, Mary Callier, and his father, Washington, Sr. He is survived by his three sons, LaVann, II “Connell” (Sandy), Robert (Breeshun), and Demetrius (Rhonda) Callier along with his mother, Clara “Dear” Daffin Callier, his brother, Washington Callier, Jr., and his uncle, Samuel (Mary) Daffin. He is also survived by his seven grandchildren, Gabriel (Lindsay), Robbye, Baily, Ryan, Demetrius Gabriel, Dominic, and Rachel Callier along with his great-grandchildren, Chavez and Keyon Brandon, Rayne and Royal Callier, and Javontae Payne.

Employees of Mobile County School System, particularly, Holloway Elementary School and the former Trinity Gardens Middle School (now Chastang-Forner) along with members of the area congregations of Jehovah's

Witnesses are invited to attend the memorial service on Monday, December 30, 2024, at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 8370 Gayfer Road Ext., Fairhope, AL 36532. Visitation will begin at 10:00 a.m. followed by a discourse at 11:00 a.m.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 30. 11:00 AM.

Kingdom Hall Of Jehovah'S Witnesses

Tribute Wall

CA

“ Clay & Janice Sanders (Robinson) Bham AL
lit a candle in memory of LaVann Callier



Clay & Janice Sanders (Robinson) Bham AL - February 11, 2025 at 03:28 PM

TJ

“ A true legend of Stanton Road Elementary. My condolences to the
family 🙏❤️

Taronya Dukes Jackson - January 01, 2025 at 01:51 AM

RM

“ Robert & Rosita. Moore lit a candle in
memory of LaVann Callier



Robert & Rosita. Moore - December 31, 2024 at 10:04 PM

QD

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Laban and his late wife, Mary were good
friends and he taught my children at Holloway School. He was a
good musician and played in several bands. I pray for your family,
he will be missed.

Queen Boggs Daniels - December 30, 2024 at 04:04 PM

PA

“ Sending our sincere condolences to (Mrs.Clara Callier) and his immediate Family, etc. May cherished memories bring them moments of comfort. From the Andersons & Pugh's (across street).

Paula - December 30, 2024 at 03:27 PM

PA

“ Paula lit a candle in memory of LaVann Callier



Paula - December 30, 2024 at 03:21 PM

JM

“ Jerry Miller lit a candle in memory of LaVann Callier



Jerry Miller - December 30, 2024 at 03:11 PM

DS

“ LaVann was a very good friend of mine since high school.He was a kind man,and very easy to get along with.We had some fun times together.We stayed in contact after marriage to Mary.Condolences to the family.RIP my friend.

Don C Stokes - December 30, 2024 at 01:32 PM

CW

“ We send our heartfelt condolences and love to the Callier family.

Clifford & Mechelle Watts - December 30, 2024 at 11:12 AM

RC

“ *My pawpaw this is hard for me ..I love you so much* 📄

Robbye Callier - December 30, 2024 at 08:06 AM

LM

“ *Love, Aunt Etta and Miko purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of LaVann C Callier Sr.*



Love, Aunt Etta and Miko - December 29, 2024 at 04:22 PM

LS

“ *Mr. Callier, Ms. Denson and I worked in the Physical Education Department for many years. Mr. Callier and I also taught children how to play the flutes over at Holloway Elementary School. Mr. Callier was a joy to work with. He was talented, smart, and was a very hard worker. He was a good family man and was kind-hearted to all he came in contact with. I will miss you, Mr. Callier but your friendship never will be forgotten. May peace and understanding remain with this family always.*

*Many Blessings
Lucy Shinn*

Lucy shinn - December 29, 2024 at 07:33 AM

RT

“ Mary and Van were some of the first ones to extend friendship to us when we first moved here from California. We spent many hours, eating together and sharing good conversations. Because of his good home training, their son Demetrius helped me out a lot when my husband died. Mary and Van were also a source of encouragement for me as well. I look forward to seeing these beautiful people again in the New World to come.

Rickey Thornton - December 28, 2024 at 05:59 PM

DT

“ To Callier Family, Deepest Sympathy. I remember LaVann in Band @ Central High School. RIP.

Deborah Taylor - December 28, 2024 at 02:46 PM



Mr. Callier was an awesome music teacher. Sincere condolences to the family. His legacy lives on in the Trinity Gardens Community.

December 29, 2024 at 03:04 PM

PI

“ Mr. Callier and his family were my nextdoor neighbors when I was growing up in Mobile. His sons were like my big brothers. Mr. Callier was always friendly and welcoming. He and his wife treated me like a son. He was a great man, and he will be missed. On behalf of the Davenport family, we send our condolences, thoughts and prayers.
Phillip Davenport II

Phillip Davenport II - December 28, 2024 at 10:27 AM

VM

“ *My heartfelt condolences extends to the Antalan and Callier families. La Van my dear friend and classmate have shared a friendship since grammar school. He and Mary were like family to me. I will Miss him so much. One of his favorite songs was fly me to the moon. Rest in peace my friend. Vonnie McMillan-Jamison* ❤️🙏

Vonnie McMillan-Jamison - December 27, 2024 at 06:27 PM

SL

“ *We only met twice but our last will never be forgotten. He welcomed us into his home and we were treated like family. He enjoyed listening to oldies while we were there. It was sooo special!! He will always be remembered in our hearts. So sorry for the lost!!! D & S Lee*

Shirley Lee - December 27, 2024 at 02:43 PM

RM

Brother Callier ,my cross the street neighbor Wellington and Clement street. We were like family and growing up together was great he will surely be missed by the neighbors and friends. To the Son's and their families Wellington st.,say they love you and sorry for your loss. Regina Miller and Family

Regina Miller - December 30, 2024 at 03:59 PM