

## Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel

July 24, 1941 - September 23, 2025

Rev. Aaron “Lamar” Creel, 84, of Tallahassee, FL, entered his heavenly home on September 23, 2025, surrounded by the love of his family. Born July 24, 1941, to Aaron and Ila Mae Creel, Lamar’s life was one of deep faith, devotion, and steadfast love for his family and his Lord.

On December 4, 1959, Lamar married his high school sweetheart, Carolyn “Catty” Baggett, daughter of J.P. and Lela Mae Baggett. Together they built a marriage of 65 years marked by joy, laughter, and unwavering commitment—a true example of love lived out in daily life.

Lamar was the cherished big brother to Lawrence (Paula), Randal (Susan), and Gayle (Larry), and the proud father of Keith (Angela) and Jana (Ray). Nothing brought him greater joy than being “Poppa” to Michael (Kiera), Rachel, Zac (Emily), Eli (Abby), Gracie, and Charley, and “Great Poppa” to Isabella, Maximus, Rhea, Redd, and Roxy. His influence reached far beyond his immediate family, as he was also deeply loved by numerous nieces, nephews, and many honorary grandchildren who knew him as a steady source of encouragement and wisdom.

Answering God’s call early in life, Lamar faithfully served the Lord for more than 50 years as a pastor, shepherding congregations including El Bethel Assembly of God, Oak City Assembly of God, Gastonia First Assembly, and

Generations Church. His ministry was marked by compassion, humility, and a heart that longed to see lives changed by the power of Christ. To the many he led, he was not only a pastor, but a counselor, a friend, and a living example of God's grace.

Those who knew Lamar will remember his gentle humor, his warm smile, and his steadfast prayers. He leaves behind a legacy of faith and family that will continue to inspire generations to come.

Friends and loved ones are invited to gather and honor a life well-lived in service to God and others.

“His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant... enter into the joy of your Lord.’” – Matthew 25:23

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **25**. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Abbey Funeral Home  
4037 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 562-1518  
abbeyfh@comcast.net

## Celebration of Life

SEP **26**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Generations Church  
3080 West Tennessee Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32304

## Interment

SEP **26** (ET)

MeadowWood Memorial Park  
700 Timberlane Road  
Tallahassee, FL 32312

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Grandma Catty and the family. We started out as neighbors but ended as family. We love you and continue prayers of peace and understanding. The Rodriguez Family Gastonia, NC

The Rodriguez Family - December 05, 2025 at 02:23 PM

SM

“ Pastor Creel was and is a precious and humble man. I met him when he came to First Assembly in Gastonia, N.C. I worked in the preschool and elementary school and saw him nearly every day. He was so kind to me when I was so sick. He will be missed. Prayers for you, Catty, and all your family. May god give you the strength in the following days.

Sherry Medley - October 02, 2025 at 04:31 PM

MK

“ Prayers for the Creel Family. What a Legacy Pastor Lamar is!  
Marie Fulford Kochanowsky



Marie Kochanowsky - October 02, 2025 at 01:22 PM

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“ Pastor Lamar Creel dedicated my two sons Jamie and Andrew . I love Pastor Creel. He visited me several times in the hospital. I will never forget him and his wife catty. Love Angela and Rusty and the boys The Rhynes

Angela Rhyne - September 26, 2025 at 02:06 PM

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“ *Angela Rhyne lit a candle in memory of Aaron Creel*



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**Angela Rhyne** - September 26, 2025 at 02:03 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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September 26, 2025 at 12:17 AM

RJ

“ *Robbie and Teresa Jones purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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**Robbie and Teresa Jones** - September 25, 2025 at 08:32 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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September 25, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.

September 25, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



September 25, 2025 at 03:11 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.

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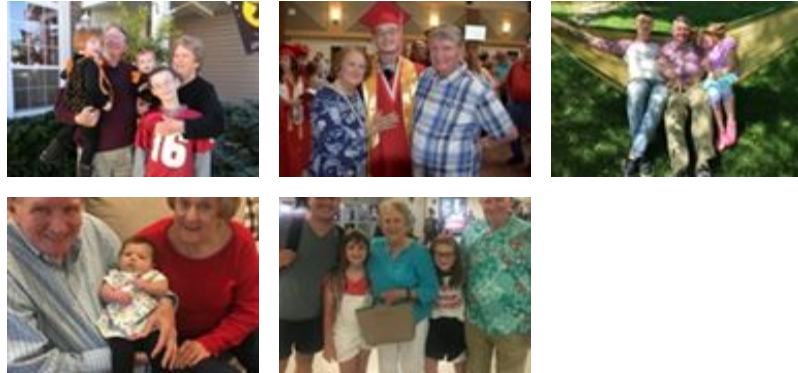
“ Paul & Linda Bryant purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



**Paul & Linda Bryant** - September 25, 2025 at 02:59 PM



“ 62 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - September 25, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ *Love, The Armstrong and Tindel Families purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



**Love, The Armstrong and Tindel Families** - September 25, 2025 at 02:00 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



September 25, 2025 at 01:50 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.

September 25, 2025 at 01:50 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



September 25, 2025 at 01:40 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.

September 25, 2025 at 01:40 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



September 25, 2025 at 11:51 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



September 25, 2025 at 11:38 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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September 25, 2025 at 11:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.

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September 25, 2025 at 11:15 AM



“ *Tom & Shirlene Baker purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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**Tom & Shirlene Baker** - September 25, 2025 at 10:33 AM



“ *Tom & Shirlene Baker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*

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**Tom & Shirlene Baker** - September 25, 2025 at 10:33 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.*



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September 25, 2025 at 08:54 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Creel.

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September 25, 2025 at 08:54 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Reverend Creel leaves a legacy of faithful service to our Heavenly Father which we should all strive to emulate. May God's peace and comfort surround you during this time of earthly sorrow. *Cheryle Ward Sissel*

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**Cheryle Wars Sissel** - September 25, 2025 at 06:42 AM



“ Tom and Melanie Aycock purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



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**Tom and Melanie Aycock** - September 24, 2025 at 09:49 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Reverend Aaron Lamar Creel.



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September 24, 2025 at 09:21 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Reverend Aaron Creel.

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“ Brother Creel performed our wedding ceremony and Sister Creel sang. He was one of our favorite pastors. Love and prayers 🙏 for the family. He was a great man of God. Our loss is Heavens gain.

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**Elvin Barfoot** - September 24, 2025 at 08:15 PM