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Class of 2017
Class of 2011
Class of 2008

Green Grands
Ossie's Clan
St. John & Antioch Ushers

Pallbearers

Caleb Pless
Lamari Edwards
Morquavious Edwards
Michael Terry

Trabian West
Jarvis Sims
Terrance Biggins
Arthur Boones, III

In Appreciation

Words are inadequate to express the humbleness and gratefulness we feel toward all of our friends who have consoled us during our bereavement. Your prayers, love, presence and service has sustained us. Your cards, emails, flowers and gifts of food were warmly appreciated. We saw all of these as God's love expressed through you. Whatever you did to console our hearts, the members of our entire family thank you so very much. May God bless each of you.

The Dennis Denzel Hamilton Family

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Dennis
Denzel
Hamilton

Wednesday | September 16, 2026 | 12:00 PM

St. John Baptist Church

224 East Allen Street | Leslie, Georgia

Reverend Calvin James
Pastor | Officiant

The Obituary

Dennis Denzel Hamilton was born on February 8, 1999, in Americus, Georgia, to the late Dennis Baxter Hamilton and Aundra Berryhill Hamilton. Grounded in family, faith, and community, Dennis grew up to be a man defined by his humble demeanor, tireless work ethic, and quiet dedication to everyone he loved.

A proud product of the Sumter County public school system, Dennis Denzel was a high-achieving student and an active leader. He graduated with honors in 2017 from Americus-Sumter County High School, having balanced rigorous Dual Enrollment coursework with a vibrant school life. Whether competing on the football field, serving in the Beta Club, developing his potential through Youth Leadership and the Embodi initiative, or participating in the Men’s Club, Dennis Denzel led by example. Following high school, he continued to expand his skills and education at South Georgia Technical College.

From an early age, Dennis accepted Christ as his personal savior and was a faithful member of St. John Baptist Church in Leslie, Georgia. His spiritual foundation guided him in every role he carried: husband, exceptional father, loving son, protective brother, and dependable friend.

Hardworking to his core, Dennis always maintained steady employment and took immense pride in providing for his household. Those who knew Dennis Denzel best will always remember his warm, vibrant personality. He was a natural talker who could strike up a conversation with anyone, and he had a true appreciation for good food—eating with the same hearty appetite and joy as his father. Above all, Dennis Denzel cherished the peace of home and took great comfort in resting, sleeping, and simply unwinding in the company of his family.

On Sunday, September 6, 2026, Dennis Denzel Hamilton answered the master's call and entered into eternal rest. He was preceded in death by his beloved father, Dennis Baxter Hamilton; his grandparents, Green and Dorothy Hamilton, Jessie Biggins, and Ossie and Eddie Rogers.

Dennis leaves a legacy of love, strength, and treasured memories to his wife, Dorothy Taylor Hamilton of Americus, Georgia; his four children, Kenzi Deor Hamilton, Logan Denver Hamilton, Deliyah Kenzel Hamilton, and Denim Denzel Hamilton, all of Americus, Georgia; his bonus children, Sha'Niyah Lumpkin and Noah Whitehead; his loving mother, Aundra Berryhill Hamilton; his big sisters, Jalesa Hamilton of DeSoto, Georgia, and DeNetra Roberts of Warner Robins, Georgia; his brother-in-law, Gamal Roberts; his aunts and uncles: Ossie (James) Lundy of Leslie, Georgia, Bettye (Arthur) Deriso of DeSoto, Georgia, Marylene (Henry) Jackson of Detroit, Michigan, Jacqueline (Henry) Halton of Harker Heights, Texas, Regina (Ricarter) Watts of Albany, Georgia, Charlotte (Kirby) Wilson of Fort Washington, Maryland, Nora Williams of Riverdale, Georgia, Eddie (Marilyn) Berryhill of Americus, Georgia, Tony (Tammy) Rogers of Pompano Beach, Florida, Jessie (Faye) Biggins of Americus, Georgia, Willie (Ethel) Rogers of Miami, Florida, and Pamela Biggins of Americus, Georgia; his niece, Gianna Leah Denise Roberts; his nephews, Ayden Javon Morgan and Jaycen Levi Roberts, all of Warner Robins, Georgia; his close-knit cousins, affectionately known as The Green Grands and Ossie's Clan; his bonus mom Ms. Cassandra Lewis; his god grandfather Sam Mumphery (Fannie) and family, a host of extended relatives and many sorrowing friends.

In Memory



*When days become a struggle
And nights are heavy
When our hearts are broken
And all we have are memories*

*When it feels unbearable
And all we can do is cry
When it's still unreal
And we wonder how we will get by*

*May the love you gave
Hold us is in peace
May the joy you brought
Be the strength we need*

*May we cherish every moment
That made us smile
May we fondly remember
What you brought to our lives*

*God has welcomed you home
Your work here is done
You are forever in our hearts
Dennis Denzel Hamilton.*

The Celebration of Life Service

Reverend Calvin James | Pastor
Officiating Minister

Musical Prelude

Processional
Led by Pastor Calvin James

The Final Viewing
The Final Sealing of the Aurora Onyx Full Couch 18ga Casket

Devotion
Deacon Otis Westbrook & Deacon William Thomas

Musical Selection
Community Choir

Scriptures
Old Testament | Reverend Lorenzo Mullins
New Testament | Evangelist Mary Minter

Solo
Sister Dorothy McCray

Presentation
Class of 2017

Reflections
Elder Mary Thomas | Youth Leader
Ms. LaFonda Adams | Big Tex
Mr. Cliff Fulks | P&G
Mrs. Tiffany Laster | Family. GG

Musical Selection
Community Choir

Eulogy
Pastor Calvin James

**Acknowledgements , Heirloom Bible
and Memorial Blanket Presentation**
J. W. Williams Funeral Home Staff

Recessional & Postlude

The Committal Service

St. John Cemetery
Leslie, Georgia

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