



## Duard Dervin Fortner

March 8, 1940 - December 13, 2021

Funeral Service for Duard Dervin Fortner, age 81, of Cullman, will be at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 18, 2021, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home; interment in Mt. Zion Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Friday, December 17, 2021, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home.

Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Fortner passed away on Monday, December 13, 2021, at his residence. He was born March 8, 1940, to Thomas Jefferson Fortner and Mary Luevinnie Fortner.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas Jefferson Fortner and Mary Luevinnie Fortner; brothers, James Fortner, T.J. Fortner, and Verlyn Fortner; sister, Mary Lou Fortner; and a host of half-brothers and half-sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Fortner; daughter, Stacie Delane Fortner; grandson, Justin Holgersen; sisters, Jeanette O'Brien, Mary Jo Carroll, and Willowdean Fortner; brothers, Darrell Fortner, Malcom Fortner, Charles Quinlyn Fortner, and Melvin Fortner; and a host of nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Zion Cemetery

Cullman, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cullman Heritage Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Duard Dervin Fortner.*

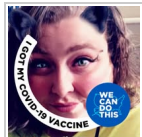


December 17, 2021 at 05:34 PM



“ *We were cousins to Duard. I'm Jack and Montez's daughter Shirley. I remember visiting when we came to Alabama for vacation. Duard came to visit in Ohio when he got out of the Army. So sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family.*

**Shirley Repp** - December 17, 2021 at 05:24 PM



“ *My sweet daddy*



**Stacie Fortner** - December 16, 2021 at 08:12 AM



“ *Stacie,  
Your dad was such a good guy. I am sorry for your loss dear. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. If you need anything at all you or your sweet Mom Ms. Helen, feel free to call on me. Much love and positive energy sent your way. ❤️🙏❤️*

**Brandon Nelson** - December 15, 2021 at 11:50 PM

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“ *Buster, Melissa, Michael and families. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Duard Dervin Fortner.*



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**Buster, Melissa, Michael and families.** - December 14, 2021 at 07:17 PM