



Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.

March 22, 1935 - February 22, 2019

Alton Hackett Somerville Sr., died Friday, Feb 22, 2019, at Christiana Hospital in Newark, DE. He was 83.

Alton was born March 22, 1935 in Worton, MD, the son of the late Emory Somerville and Corinthia "Hackett" Somerville. After graduating from Garnett High School in 1953, Alton enlisted in the United States Air Force and served as Military Police in Korea and Japan before his honorable discharge in 1955. He returned home and married Catherine L. Somerville on April 19, 1957, and the two began their family.

Alton worked for Chrysler Car Corporation and retired in 1995. After retirement he worked part-time as security for Magnolia Hall for a number of years. Mr. Somerville was a member of Sanctuary Ministry and he was a lifetime member of St. George United Methodist Church. He was an active outdoorsman all his life and loved hunting, fishing and boating. He also enjoyed taking care of his lawn as well as caring for the yards of other family members.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine L. Somerville of Chestertown, MD; two daughters, Cathy "Cat" Somerville of Worton, MD, Karen Somerville of Worton, MD; two sons, Alton H. Somerville, Jr. (Angela) of Worton, MD, Gary Somerville (Michelle L.B.) of Smyrna, DE; six grandchildren; and nine great-

grandchildren.

A visitation will be held Sunday, March 3, 2019, from 5-7pm, at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, 130 Speer Rd, Chestertown, MD. Services will be held Monday, March 4, 2019, at 12 pm where friends may call one hour prior also at the Funeral Home.

Interment will be held on Tuesday, March 5, 2019, at 11 am in St. George Cemetery in Worton, MD.

Cemetery Details

St. George Cemetery

11730 St James Newtown Rd
Worton, MD 21678

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
(410) 778-0055
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

MAR 4. 12:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 28, 2019 at 09:22 AM



“ *Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Monica Christy & Odessa Christy purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr..*



Monica Christy & Odessa Christy - March 03, 2019 at 10:36 AM

KJ

“ To my God daughter and Ville, to your entire family. My prayers are with you.
Love you both.
The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want.
Elder Kathy Johnson.

kathy johnson - March 02, 2019 at 07:52 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr..



March 02, 2019 at 01:10 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr..



March 01, 2019 at 06:29 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr..



March 01, 2019 at 10:07 AM



“ Loads of prayers hugs and love. So sorry for your loss. Xo



Pam Teat - February 28, 2019 at 11:03 PM

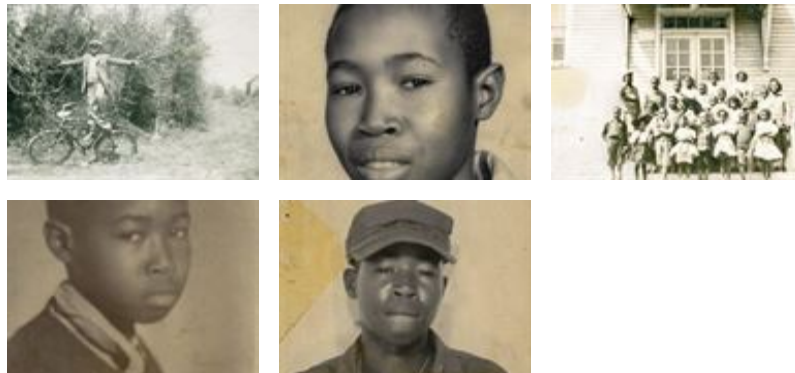


“ Michelle & Family - My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. The pictures you shared and the obituary paints a picture of a man who lived his life to the fullest and was a role model to many. You have provided a small glimpse into the man he was for those who were not fortunate to met him. May he rest in peace. He will obviously be missed by many. He may be gone but he will not be forgotten. With my deepest sympathy, Dawn Kreiss

Dawn Kreiss - February 28, 2019 at 05:59 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 28, 2019 at 08:01 AM

JW

“ *My deepest condolences to the Somerville family!!!*



Joaquin Wilson - February 26, 2019 at 10:43 PM



“ *Alton Jr., my sincere condolences to you and your loved ones on the loss of your father. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*



Geri Garvin - February 26, 2019 at 04:18 PM

CL

“ *Cathy Atwell Legg lit a candle in memory of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*



Cathy Atwell Legg - February 26, 2019 at 02:31 PM

GK

“ *Glenda Kelly lit a candle in memory of Alton Hackett Somerville Sr.*



Glenda Kelly - February 26, 2019 at 01:33 PM

GK

*Dear Karen and family,
So sorry for your loss.*

Glenda Kelly - February 26, 2019 at 01:34 PM

MU

“*Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of Alton
Hackett Somerville Sr.*



Marie Usilton - February 25, 2019 at 03:00 PM