



## Albert Thomas Slater Sr.

August 30, 1932 - February 3, 2022

Albert Thomas Slater Sr., 89, of Lanexa VA, went to be with his Lord and Savior Thursday February 3, 2022. Albert was born in Lanexa VA on August 30, 1932 to Edward and Susie Slater. His first job was plowing the family land with a team of mules when he was 9 years old. He worked many jobs throughout his life and was never afraid of hard work. Albert's service to the Lord began when he was 9 years old and continued all the days of his life. He was a lifelong member of Liberty Baptist Church in Lanexa VA. He served the church in various roles throughout his life, including being a deacon for 60 years. Albert grew the largest watermelons in the area and regularly won the largest watermelon contest as well as many other categories in the James City County Fair.

He was preceded in death by his grandson, Steven Slater; and two sisters, Iris and Jean. Albert is survived by his loving wife of 70 years, Betty Slater; three sons, Albert "Thom" Slater Jr., Jim M. Slater (Bernice) and Lloyd M. Slater (Michele); two daughters, Kimberley Smith (Charles) and Elizabeth Gregor (Willi); three grandchildren, Christina, Mollie and Ricky; and two great-grandchildren, Alex and Dylan.

A funeral service will be held 2 PM Sunday at Liberty Baptist Church (the historic church building), Lanexa VA, with burial following in the church cemetery. The family requests that everyone please use all necessary Covid

precautions when attending services.

Albert will be missed by family and friends but what a celebration was held in heaven when the Lord said “Welcome home good and faithful servant, welcome home.”

# Cemetery Details

## Liberty Baptist Church Cemetery

15810 Liberty Church Rd.  
Lanexa, VA 23089

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

FEB 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

Liberty Baptist Church  
15810 Liberty Church Rd.  
Lanexa, VA 23089

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr. Slater has always been a constant in my life. Condolences to family he will be missed greatly. Go rest now with our Loed and Saviour. Your new work in heaven has began. Hallelujah. Robin Cooke Rutherford.*

Robin Rutherford - February 09, 2022 at 01:37 PM

BM

“ *Barbara Massie lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



Barbara Massie - February 06, 2022 at 03:11 PM

PH

“ *Patsy Harold lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



Patsy Harold - February 05, 2022 at 07:23 PM

JL

“ *Janet Timberlake Lanham lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



Janet Timberlake Lanham - February 05, 2022 at 07:08 PM

GS

“ Georgia Slater lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.



Georgia Slater - February 05, 2022 at 02:11 PM

GS

Albert was my father in law for 12 years. He was the most at peace individual and laid back person I think I've known. Kind, quiet, and always thoughtful. Heaven has gained an angel. To my ex-family.....I'm so so sorry for losing Albert. He was a good good man. ❤️. My heart is aching for all of you. Much love and my deepest condolences.

Georgia Slater - February 07, 2022 at 12:54 AM

LH

“ My thoughts and prayers for Thom and Jimmy and the entire Slater family. Mr. Slater helped shape many lives of the young people of my generation through leading and teaching our Sunday School class for a number of years. For that, I am grateful and will always have fond memories of him while growing up in Liberty Baptist Church.

Larry Hazelwood - February 05, 2022 at 09:01 AM

HS

“ Hank And Joyce Sellers lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.



Hank and Joyce Sellers - February 04, 2022 at 10:20 PM

KV

“ *Kelly Vance lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



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**Kelly Vance** - February 04, 2022 at 08:59 PM

LC

“ *Lewis Cook lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



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**Lewis cook** - February 04, 2022 at 08:00 PM

HW

“ *HENRY WARD lit a candle in memory of Albert Thomas Slater Sr.*



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**HENRY WARD** - February 04, 2022 at 06:11 PM