



## Mr. Michael Vincent Utech

May 24, 1990 - February 8, 2025

Michael Vincent Utech, at the young age of 34, passed away on February 8, 2025, in Decatur. Born on May 24th, 1990, to Dennis Utech and Sherry Brake. Michael's infectious smile and boundless energy were a blessing to all who knew him.

From a young age, Michael was always into something, his curiosity and inventiveness evident when he decided he could drive and well those who knew him knew that ended up with a green Honda through the garage door and Tabitha ended up getting in trouble, then he famously attached a weed eater motor to a bicycle, Old Larkinsville Rd will never be the same. His passion for tinkering never waned as he grew older, often found at his Uncle Robert's shop working on speakers, cars, and trucks, much to the despair and amusement of his Aunt Kim, who would tell him turn it down, and with his infectious smile he would say you love us, what are we having for dinner. Other times he could be found at his dad's shop tinkering with motorcycles, or coming up with wild ideas with his Uncle Jason, and walking through the door looking for Mama Sharon's candy bowl.

Michael's life was marked by his resilience and unwavering faith, which remained steadfast through various challenges. His greatest joy was his two sons, who captured his heart from the moment they entered his life. A devoted father, his legacy is carried on through them and the many memories they

created together. He married the love of his life Shena whom was a huge part of his success. With Shena by his side, he felt true love and the feeling he could conquer anything. His faith was a constant through various challenges, providing him strength and resilience. Michael's life was a testament to living fully and loving fiercely, leaving a void in the hearts of those who knew him. Michael's presence was a gift to his family and friends, and his absence leaves a void that cannot be filled. His remarkable spirit and the love he shared will forever be cherished by those who were fortunate enough to know him. His life reminds us that time is precious, and his memory will continue to inspire all who knew him to cherish every moment. Leaving behind to honor and cherish Michael are his loving wife, Shena Utech; sons, Blaze Utech, and Havoc Kain Utech; parents, Dennis (Sharon) Utech, Sherry (Larry) Brake; sisters, Tabitha (Chad) Miller, Brooke Utech; brother, Christopher McGee; granny: Betty Utech; grandparents, Jimmy & Brenda Potter; aunt & uncles, Kim (Robert) Haston, Jason Utech, Jennifer (Rick) Talley; nephew and nieces: Brylee Miller, Jade Miller, Bentley Utech, Porter McGee, Bella Putman; cousins, Leigh Ann Haston, Mackenzie Haston, Jonathan White, Joshua White; A host of many many other family and friends.

Preceded in death by, papaw: Terry Utech, great grandparents, Joe and Louise Wilbourn, uncles, Randy Wilbourn, Jimmy Gray, Kenneth Oden, TJ Utech, aunts, Kathy Oden, Judy Wilbourn, cousins, Eddie Williams, Sandra Williams, Lisa Hastings.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, February 13, 2025, from 5 pm to 9 pm at Scottsboro Funeral Home. The funeral service is scheduled for Friday, February 14, 2025, at 2 pm at Scottsboro Funeral Home with Bro. Lynn Simmons officiating with Ricky Wilbourn, Shane Wilbourn, Christopher McGee, JR Hooper, Matt Johnston, Chris Rodgers, and Malik Talley carrying Michael to his final resting place beside his papaw at Pinehaven Memorial Gardens and serving as honorary pallbearers, sons, Blaze Utech and Havoc

Kain Utech.

Arrangements Entrusted to Scottsboro Funeral Home

# Cemetery Details

## Pinehaven Memorial Gardens

28615 US Highway 72 E  
Hollywood, AL 35752  
(256) 574-4163

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 13. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Scottsboro Funeral Home  
1502 County Park Road  
Scottsboro, AL 35769  
(256) 574-3965  
scottsborrowfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.scottsborrowfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



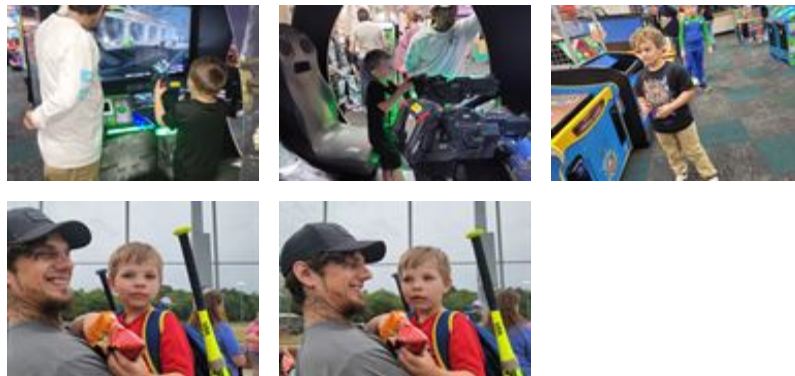
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**Scottsboro Funeral Home and Pinehaven Memorial Gardens** - May 20, 2025 at 04:04 PM



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**Scottsboro Funeral Home and Pinehaven Memorial Gardens** - March 07, 2025 at 03:25 PM



“ *Donnie and I were blessed to be a part of Michael's life. He was always so respectful, always wanted to help people and loved his family. We will continue to keep all of his family in our prayers. He will be missed tremendously and already is 🙏*



**Tammy Feemster** - February 13, 2025 at 09:44 PM

MM

“ Dennis & Sharon so sorry to hear about your son. Sending love and prayers to you and his wife and kids and the family. God bless and comfort you.



Mrs. Teresa Smith Maynard (Kelas mom) - February 13, 2025 at 04:33 PM

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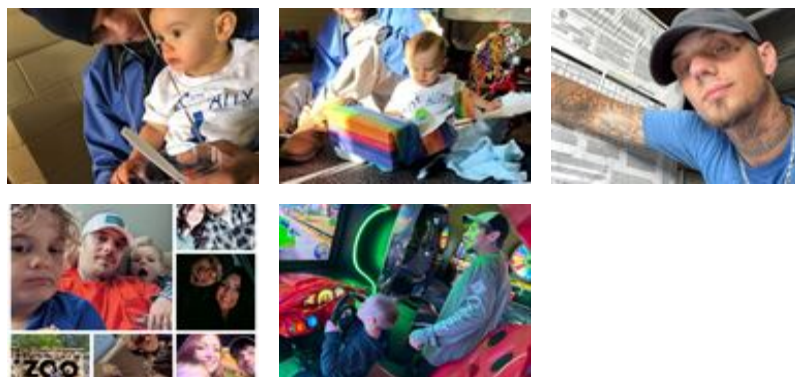
“ Gurley Masonic Lodge 521 purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



Gurley Masonic Lodge 521 - February 13, 2025 at 02:45 PM



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Scottsboro Funeral Home and Pinehaven Memorial Gardens - February 13, 2025 at 11:14 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



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February 13, 2025 at 10:27 AM



“ *Cell-Pak Services* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



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**Cell-Pak Services** - February 13, 2025 at 08:33 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.

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February 12, 2025 at 08:58 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.

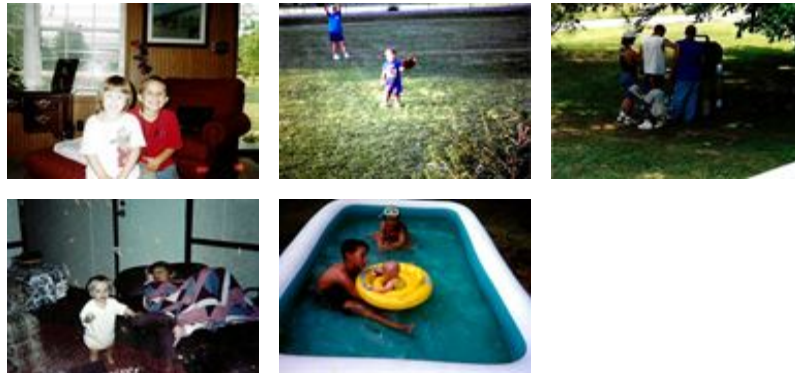


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February 12, 2025 at 08:58 PM



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**Scottsboro Funeral Home and Pinehaven Memorial Gardens** - February 12, 2025 at 03:14 PM

DM

“ *Debbie Matthews lit a candle in memory of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech*



**Debbie Matthews** - February 12, 2025 at 01:29 PM

SP

“ *RIH uncle Mike. We love you and miss you . Your memory will never be forgotten.* ❤️💙



**sabrina putman** - February 11, 2025 at 03:23 PM

GF

“ Golden family purchased the No Tears Tribute Blanket for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



Golden family - February 11, 2025 at 09:14 AM

AC

“ Amanda Chambers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech



amanda chambers - February 10, 2025 at 10:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.

February 10, 2025 at 08:58 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



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PB

“ Pat Bostic lit a candle in memory of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech



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Pat Bostic - February 10, 2025 at 06:45 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Michael Vincent Utech.



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February 10, 2025 at 02:41 PM