



Founded 1877
Built 1883-1889
Restored 1979-1980

DEXTER AVENUE KING MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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Statement on the Passing of Dexter Scott King

Montgomery, AL—The Dexter Avenue King Memorial Baptist Church family is deeply saddened by the passing of Dexter Scott King, and we offer our deepest condolences to the King Family. Dexter King was a beautiful, talented and kind soul who continued the legacy of his parents and who also established a wonderful legacy of his own. He truly made a positive and marvelous impact on the lives of others. We pray for continued strength for his family and friends as they face this difficult time.

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Founded in 1877, Dexter Avenue King Memorial Baptist Church has a history of ministerial and community service that spans 146 years. Known as the only church that Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. pastored, the church is a national landmark due to the role of Dr. King and Dexter membership during the Montgomery Bus Boycott.