



Luther Yonce

May 30, 1927 - February 12, 2016

Luther V. "Vernon" Yonce, 88, passed away on February 12, 2016 after a period of declining health. He was born May 30, 1927 in Richmond County, Georgia. He was one of 12 siblings born to Effie Mae and George Washington Yonce. Vernon served in the Army, primarily as a mechanic in the Korean War. He married Laura on 11-4-50. They have 4 sons and raised them in Hollywood, Florida. Vernon retired from Florida Power and Light Company after working there for 39 years. He worked his way up from a power plant helper to the position of Assistant Superintendent of Operations, in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. After retiring, he and his wife re-located to Citra, Florida. He was not one to sit still and kept himself busy working on his property. He loved his tractors and had a fond interest in computers. He worked during tax season at H&R Block. One of his finest accomplishments was researching and publishing a genealogy book on the Yonce Family. Vernon was truly a man of many talents. He was never one to put himself first and took great joy in helping others. He will be dearly missed by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife, Laura; his sons, Luther Yonce Jr. and his wife, Kathy; Dennis Yonce and his wife, Darlene; Roger Yonce, and his wife, Barbara; and Cecil Yonce and his wife, Heather. He also leaves behind four grandsons, one granddaughter, one great-grandson and one great-grand-daughter; sister, Lillie Ann Yonce-Hodges.

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“ Dear Laura, we are sorry for your loss of Luther. We remember how kind you both treated us when we visited your mom & dad. We also remember when you were at Aunt Mary's picnic for uncle Billy Treier. May God heal your hearts with fine memories. Here is a poem Patrick wrote for you in Luther's memory. "God's Connected Family" Faith and beliefs are connected to every Human Soul; They illuminate with a bond to God who rewards us with his love on our final Earthly goal: Our final day on Earth is only a type of initiation; To graduate to Eternity as Jesus did is the departed souls reward of a mission: Luther was a proud patriotic fine gentleman who loved his Country, Family and friends: He's now with "God's Connected Family" in Paradise to welcome us too on our Earthly journeys end: God bless him
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