



## Vernon Scroggins Sr.

June 21, 1930 - August 15, 2022

VERNON SCROGGINS SR. WAS BORN JUNE 21, 1930, IN RICHMOND, VA. HE WAS THE SON OF THE LATE HARRISON SCROGGINS AND THE LATE ANNIE ROBINSON. HE WAS EDUCATED IN RICHMOND CITY SCHOOL SYSTEMS. VERNON ENLISTED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY AT THE AGE OF 18. DURING HIS TIME IN THE ARMED SERVICES, HE FOUGHT IN THE KOREAN WAR WHERE HE BECAME A POW (PRISONER OF WAR) FOR 32 MONTHS IN KOREA. UPON HIS RELEASE HE RECEIVED AN HONORABLE DISCHARGE. HE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MEDALS FOR HIS EXEMPLARY SERVICE DURING HIS TENURE IN THE ARMY. HE WAS AWARDED THE PURPLE HEART, BRONZE STAR, NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE, KOREAN SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT. AFTER HE VERNON LEFT THE US ARMY, HE WAS EMPLOYED BY THE DEFENSE GENERAL SUPPLY CENTER (DGSC) IN RICHMOND FOR 38 YEARS AND 8 MONTHS ON THE HAZARDOUS MATERIAL SPILL RESPONSE TEAM. DURING HIS EMPLOYMENT, HE RECEIVED NUMEROUS CERTIFICATES SUCH AS COMMENDABLE SERVICE, PERFORMANCE AWARD AND OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE.

VERNON DEPARTED THIS LIFE ON MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 2022. HE IS PROCEEDED IN DEATH BY HIS PARENTS, HARRISON SCROGGINS AND ANNIE ROBINSON AND ALONG WITH ALL HIS SIBLINGS.

VERNON LEAVES TO CHERISH HIS MEMORIES WIFE DORIS SCROGGINS, THREE SONS, VERNON SCROGGINS JR.(JUDY), TONEY L. SCROGGINS AND VICTOR A. SCROGGINS (VICKY), TWO DAUGHTERS, VERNA B. CHRISTOPHER (ERWIN) AND BERNITA C. BATES (THOMAS). ELEVEN GRANDCHILDREN, ANTHONY SCROGGINS, TANEALL SCROGGINS, TEMICA JOHNSON, ERIC SCROGGINS, ANTONIO SCROGGINS, TRAVIS BAILEY, AZA SCROGGINS, DESHION SMITH, KIANE SMITH, MAURICE SMITH AND KOURTNEY CHRISTOPHER AND 23 GREAT- GRANDCHILDREN AND A HOST OF NIECES AND NEPHEWS, AND COUSINS. DEVOTED NIECES, JEANETTE AND DOROTHY BROOKS AND A DEVOTED NEPHEW JOSEPH "CHUCK" MASSIE.

VERNON WAS A STRONG MAN AND A MAN OF PRINCIPLES AND VERY INDEPENDENT. HE LOVED HIS FAMILY AND WOULD DO ANYTHING TO MAKE THEM HAPPY. HE LOVED HIS RECLINER CHAIR BY THE WINDOW WHICH WAS HIS FAVORITE SPOT WHERE HE COULD SEE YOU BEFORE YOU SAW HIM. VERNON LOVED HIS WIFE DORIS OF 52 YEARS WITH ALL HIS HEART. HE ENJOYED ALL OF HIS CHILDREN, GRANDCHILDREN/GREAT GRANDCHILDREN. VERNON LOVED MAKING HIS MORNING RUNS TO WALMART AND WAWA WHERE HE WOULD GET HIS COFFEE AND DONUNTS AND CHATTING WITH SOME OF HIS BUDDIES. EVERYONE IN THE NEIGHORHOOD WOULD CALL HIM "PAPA" AND "YOUNG MAN" VERNON WAS LOVED BY EVERYONE. VERNON WAS A HUGE WASHINGTON REDSKINS FAN (WASHINGTON COMMANDERS). VERNON WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY ALL.

# Cemetery Details

## Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA

# Previous Events

## Private Family Hour

SEP 1. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Public Viewing

SEP 2. 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life with live streaming

SEP 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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## Interment with Military Honors

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NOV 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

Arlington National Cemetery  
Arlington, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Vernon Scroggins, Sr.,  
Please Click the Link below.



March Funeral Homes - August 30, 2022 at 04:47 PM

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*My condolences to the Scroggins Family. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs.*

SEP *Al and Towanda George*

Towanda George - September 01, 2022 at 09:02 AM

AJ

*Verna , I am lifting you & your entire family in prayers for comfort. Your dad is walking around Heaven now all day❤️*

Adrienne Jackson - September 02, 2022 at 07:41 PM

JR

*The Woolfolk-Royster Family cannot be with you today but we share in your loss. Mr. Scroggins was always kind to us- especially to me and he served our Country proudly. May the Lord comfort all of you today and in the days to come.*

*Uncle Tom Joy & Freddie 🙏🙏🙏*

Joy Royster - September 03, 2022 at 10:27 AM

RI

*We offer our sincere condolences, Shirley Scroggins and Family*

Rita - September 03, 2022 at 01:01 PM

TS

*Rest in peace Uncle Vernon 🙏❤️*

**Tracy Scroggins** - September 03, 2022 at 01:29 PM



“ *Vernon Scroggins Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

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“ *Our condolences to the Scroggins Family. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs. [SEP]*  
*Al and Towanda George*

**Towanda George** - September 01, 2022 at 09:05 AM

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“ *Rest in peace Uncle Vernon*



**Tracy Scroggins** - August 31, 2022 at 03:33 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

**March Funeral Homes** - August 17, 2022 at 12:03 PM