



Luther J. Vernon Jr.

July 7, 1949 - January 12, 2021

Luther J. "Luke" Vernon, Jr. age 71, of Blountsville passed away Tues. Jan. 12, 2021, at St. Vincent's Medical Center in Birmingham. Mr. Vernon was born on July 7, 1949, in Alabaster, AL the Son of Luther and Minnie Smith Vernon. He served in the US Marine Corps in Vietnam receiving many Medals including a Purple Heart. He worked as a Supervisor in Construction in several states finishing his career in Tampa, FL. He had lived in Blountsville for about the last 14 years. He was married to Linda Vernon who passed away on Jan. 25, 2020. Survivors include his Sons: Greg Vernon and David Vernon of Shelby County and Zach (Stephanie) Vernon of Blountsville; Daughters: Shelly (James) Lomax of South Carolina and Frances Pruett (Tony Batson) of Albertville; Brother: Jimmy Vernon of Alabaster; Sisters: Rosemary (Charles) Augur of Lyman, SC, Jessie Dunnaway of North Shelby County and Beth (Stanley) Burnett of West Monroe, LA; 8 Grandchildren, 11 Great Grandchildren and a host of Nieces and Nephews. He was preceded in death by his Parents: Luther and Minnie Vernon; Wife: Linda Vernon; Sister: Frances Bailey and Brother in law: Dale Dunnaway. Funeral Service will be Tues. Jan. 19, 2021, at 10 AM at New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 5521 Double Oak Lane Birmingham, AL 35242, with Bro. Chris Washburn officiating. Burial will follow at 12:30 PM at the Alabama National Cemetery in Montevallo. Visitation will be at Blountsville Funeral Home on Monday Evening from 6-8 PM and at the Church on Tues. from 9:30 AM until service time at 10 AM.

Cemetery Details

Alabama National Cemetery

3133 Hwy 119
Montevallo, AL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Blountsville Funeral Home
69555 Main St
Blountsville, AL 35031
(205) 429-4137

Service

JAN 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church
5521 Double Oak Lane
Birmingham, AL 35242

Graveside Service

JAN 19. 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ It was a great pleasure to work with Mr Luther Vernon the first time I worked with him at a company called thamer construction was in Rocky Mount NC, and the Last place we were in Anderson SC I learned a lot about him and the job working under his leadership he and my uncle also fought in the same War small world!!!

Ricky Phillips - October 28, 2025 at 11:33 PM