



Gary W. Vinson

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Gary W. Vinson, age 84, passed away, Thursday, August 19, 2021, in Rogers, Arkansas. He was born on April 10, 1937, in Bentonville to Benjamin and Ollie (Burgess) Vinson. He is preceded in death by his parents, brothers; Coy and Ben Vinson, and stepsons; Joey, Dennis, and Randy.

Gary was a lover of sports. He was a captain of the football, baseball, and basketball teams of Beaumont High School. Gary was thought to be one of the best athletes from his Alma Mater. He was a proud American and served in the US Army for three years, and later the Army National Guard where he retired after 32 years. He stayed in touch with some of his military friends throughout his life. Gary was a family man and loved making new memories with them. One of his fondest memories being his 80th Birthday that he celebrated on a cruise ship with 35 of his family and friends. Gary was a jokester and enjoyed telling jokes and pulling pranks on his nieces, nephews, and grandchildren.

Gary is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Sandra Vinson of the home, children; Sandy Pudden and husband Bob, of Arkansas City, KS, Gary Vinson Jr. and wife Julie of Colorado Springs, CO, Joette Rodriguez and husband Dan of Cave Springs, Jody Cap of Sky Valley, CA, grandchildren; Justin (Shania) Rodriguez, Cody (Crystal) Vinson, Corey (Alyssa) Vinson, Carlee (Mark) McCrary, Christian (Claire) Vinson, Austin (Jess) Rodriguez, great-grandchildren; Journee Kimbro, and Winter Vinson, siblings; Joy Linden and Roma Greco, and a host of nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at Fayetteville National Cemetery on Friday, August 27, 2021, at 11:30 AM with Military Honors. Guest are invited to join the family at a luncheon at 12:30 PM at Golden Corral in Rogers.

Cremation arrangements have been entrusted under the direction of Nelson-Berna Funeral Home of Rogers.

To place an online tribute, please visit www.bernafuneralhomes.com



Events


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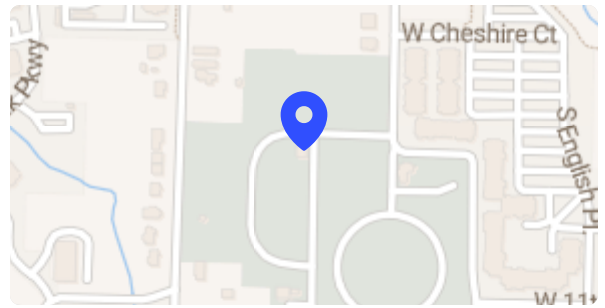
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 **Fayetteville National Cemetery**
1000 S. Lt Col Leroy Pond Ave., Fayetteville AR
72701





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ND

Nancy Donahoe posted:

I was so sorry to hear that Gary had passed away. Sandra, you and Gary were such dedicated workers and friends when we had the rentals. Thinking of you and keeping you in prayers as you begin to adjust to life without Gary. With sympathy, Nancy Donahoe

August 26 at 6:47 AM

MS

Michele Sanchez posted:

You were one of a kind and a wonderful Uncle. You will be missed. Life here was better with you in it. ❤️

August 24 at 4:59 PM

BR

Barbara Rodriguez lit a candle in honor of Gary.

You will be sorely missed. Thank you for the good times that we were able to spend with one another and the many conversations that we shared. May you rest in peace ❤️ ❤️

August 24 at 2:24 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Gary by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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