



John C. Goodman

November 16, 1949 - May 23, 2019

John C. Goodman, 69, of Alexandria, VA passed away on Thursday, May 23, 2019. He was a dearly loved son, husband, father and grandfather. A dedicated Officer of the Air Force, and a devout Christian. He was involved in many ministries with Immanuel Bible Church. He is preceded in death by his father Charles Goodman. He is survived by his beloved wife Lola Marie Goodman; mother Rhoda Goodman; siblings, Allen Goodman, Larry Goodman, and Sharon Anderson (James); daughter's, Connie Poulos, grandchildren Tyler ,Brandon, Jessica, and Jody Durham (Bill) grandchild Isaac; son, David Goodman (Rebecca) grandchildren Emma, and Noah; step son, Brian Schmollinger (Patti) step-grandchildren Nicholas and Wesley. Relatives and friends may call at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria, VA 22315 on Wednesday, May 29, 2019 from 4-8PM. Service will be held the following morning at 10 AM at Immanuel Bible Church, 6911 Braddock Rd, Springfield, VA 22151. Memorial contributions can be made to Immanuel Bible Church - Hope Ministry or Tool Box Ministry. Interment Arlington National Cemetery on a later date.

Cemetery

Events

Arlington National Cemetery

1 Memorial Drive

Arlington, VA, 22211

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Visitation

04:00PM - 08:00PM

Jefferson Funeral Chapel

5755 Castlewellan Drive, Alexandria, VA, US, 22315

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Service

10:00AM

Immanuel Bible Church

6911 Braddock Rd, Springfield, VA, US, 22151

Comments



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John C. Goodman.



May 27 at 08:05 PM



“ Doug and Melisa purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of John C. Goodman.



Doug and Melisa - May 27 at 05:21 PM



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May 27 at 01:01 PM



“ Thanks, John, for your friendship and your walk of faith for as long as I was privileged to know you. Well done; you touched many lives for the better and lived out the faith you proclaimed. Your reward was prepared from eternity past and now is delivered in full.

Keep the light on for us. We'll be along in due time.

Jack Webb - May 25 at 06:45 PM



“ John was one of the people that helped me to get over my fear of working with homeless people. He took part in an outreach ministry that distributed food bags to the homeless and working homeless on Route 1, and I found myself feeling more confident about this way of helping others when I saw how John did it. But after a while, John had another idea: he suggested that we ask these folks if they had any prayer concerns to share that we could pray over through the week. My initial thought was (I'm ashamed to say!): "Aw, man, that's going to take extra time to go through all that!" We began to add this to our encounters with people, though, when we handed them a food bag, and what a blessing it became for the entire ministry! People often opened up to us and shared very freely about serious events in their lives. They were eager, usually, to talk to us this way and seemed to appreciate knowing that they could unburden themselves and ask for spiritual help -- it was not just help getting a meal. It was clear John found another way to reach out to folks that blessed us all! I will never forget how John kept his eyes on the true prize of sharing Christ with others. He didn't mind the extra time it took, and it surely showed me a better way to serve some of the most needy amongst us. ~ Jan Webb

Janet R Webb - May 25 at 06:41 PM