



Vernice Vaughn Fulmer

July 11, 1924 - May 14, 2023

Vernice Vaughn Fulmer, 98, of Annandale, Virginia, went home to be with the Lord on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 14, 2023.

Vernice was born on July 11, 1924 to the late Judson and Gennie Coalson in Phil Campbell, Alabama. She was the fourth of seven children, with three brothers and three sisters.

Vernice was married to John Hursel Vaughn on December 27, 1941 and became an Army wife traveling to France and other states during John's active military career. In February of 1945 they welcomed their only daughter, Sharon to their family.

John and Vernice moved to Annandale in 1960. In 1965 she was employed as a secretary for F.W. Harris Plumbing and Heating, working until she retired in the 1990s. She found her true joy, however, in serving the Lord as a Sunday School teacher and being involved in church in any way possible. She particularly loved to sing in the choir. Over the years she attended Immanuel Baptist Church, was a charter member of Fellowship Baptist Church, and eventually attended Ox Hill Baptist Church.

After being a widow for over nine years following John's death in 1984, she fell in love with an old friend, Robert Brunson Fulmer. They were married on

April 3, 1993, blending their families and living a happy life together until his passing in 2016.

Vernice is survived by her daughter Sharon (Dwight); her stepdaughters Rosemary Purple and Dianne Till (Dan); her grandchildren Kirk (Sarah), Heather (Sean), and Rebekah (Derek); her step grandchildren Jennifer, William (Michelle), Robert (Julie), Cherie (David), Darryl (Renee), and Sarah (Daniel); and many wonderful great grandchildren.

The family of Vernice Fulmer are thankful for your many expressions of love for us during this time.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

1 Memorial Drive
Arlington, VA 22211

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Dr
Alexandria, VA 22315-5516
(703) 971-7400

Funeral Service

MAY 19. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Jefferson Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Vernice Vaughn Fulmer



Jefferson Funeral Chapel - May 16, 2023 at 04:06 PM

MK

“ We have such fond memories of Vernice. My husband knew her when he was a child on Kingston Dr. and then she became another grandmother to our children, especially to Joey. We are so sorry to hear of her passing.

Michelle Kennedy - December 19, 2023 at 10:49 PM

BA

“ Mother's Day was the **FIRST** day in Heaven for my Double Aunt Vernice Fulmer. Vernice was my Father's sister and she was married to my Mother's brother. While growing up my aunt Vernice was an important part of my life. Sharon and I were as close as sisters in those early days and Vernice was an example of motherly love and tenderness to us both. So many memories of family get-togethers, sleepovers (on a pallet on the floor) huge dinners, singing and other special times will forever be in my heart. My aunt Vernice was the truest example of a Godly woman as ever walked this earth. I love her and look toward the time when all our family is together again. She was **SO LOVED** by **SO Many** of us and she will be missed. 💔

Brenda Coalson Adler - May 19, 2023 at 05:58 PM

RP

“ *My memories of a loving stepmother for 30 years who filled my life with love, joy and strong faith. I love you, mom, Rosemary.*

Rosemary Purple - May 18, 2023 at 05:49 PM