



## Cpl. Samuel "Irvin" Vaughn

November 21, 1926 - August 9, 2017

Cpl. Samuel "Irvin" Vaughn, 90, departed for his heavenly home on August 09, 2017 at Chatham Health and Rehabilitation Center.

Irvin was born on November 21, 1926 in Sutherlin, Va. to the late Hester Vaughn Burger.

In addition to his mother, he will be welcomed home by his grandparents, Nathaniel and Lelia Vaughn, his brother, Donald Burger and his step-son, James E. Henderson.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Barbara Henderson Vaughn of Chatham, Va. His brother, the Rev. Carl Burger of Danville, VA. His grandchildren, Korey Henderson (Grace), and Kristy Henderson Amjad (Asad). His great-grandchildren, Johnny, Destiny (Joshua), Amanda, Savannah, Kristofer and Gabriel. One great-great grandson, Waylen James.

He adored his grandchildren and had a special bond with each of them. He lovingly opened his heart and home for them and leaves behind a legacy of sacrifice and laughter.

He was a veteran of the US Army, having served in the Korean War and in Japan. He retired from the City of Danville, Water and Gas Division in 1988 after many years of dedicated service. He attended Timberlake Baptist

Church, where he sang in the choir.

A graveside service with full military honors will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 12, 2017 at Highland Burial Park (North Main St.) with Rev. Walter Yancey and Rev. Carl Burger officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday, August 11, 2017 at the Camber Inn 200 McBride Lane Gretna, Va. 24557.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the Timberlake Baptist Church Building Fund, 356 Lindhurst Dr. Danville, VA 24540 or Blairs Fire and Rescue Department, Blairs, Va. 24527.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Highland Burial Park

3049 North Main Street  
Danville, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chamber Inn  
200 McBride Lane  
Gretna, VA 24557

## Graveside

AUG 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

Highland Burial Park  
3049 North Main Street  
Danville, VA

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest condolences to Korey and his family. My prayers are with you always.*

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**Stuart Setliff** - August 18, 2017 at 04:42 PM

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“ *Barbara Anne, Carl and other loved ones of Irvin, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss and always. May God bless you with all your wonderful memories and assure you of the love Irvin had for all of you!*



*Love and Prayers,  
Judy and Frank Bridges*

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**Judy & Frank Bridges** - August 12, 2017 at 10:55 PM

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“ My third-cousin Irvin was a wonderful encouragement to me, doing family history research. He was the only family member who possessed a photo of his great-grandmother. He graciously loaned this treasure to me, as well as dozens of other valuable family pictures, so that copies could be shared with others. His childhood memories were terrific history lessons. Besides all that, the love in his heart was evident each time I visited him. He wasn't just a family contact, a distant cousin, he became a very close friend. Irvin talked openly about the LORD, about how good He had been to him, seeing him through all the trials of life. There was no doubt that he trusted Jesus Christ as his Saviour, and there is no doubt that Irvin is now in His presence ... waiting for his loved-ones who have also received the LORD.

Love to all the family,  
Carole Dodson Bryant  
Prince Frederick, Maryland

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**Carole Dodson Bryant** - August 11, 2017 at 10:25 AM



“ I remember him reading the prayer list on Wednesday nights. I can hear him praying just as good as if he were standing right here now. He loved his grandchildren so much. He was always so nice to me.

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**Angie Vipperman** - August 10, 2017 at 08:19 PM