



Fred Turnes

December 22, 1930 - September 8, 2010

?Sarge? Fred Carlton Turnes, 79, of 1609 Melinda Drive, Altavista died Wednesday, September 8, 2010 at Lynchburg General Hospital. He was the devoted husband of Virginia Cothran Turnes for over 59 years. He was born December 22, 1930 in Charlotte County, the son of the late Fannie Daniel Turnes and Thomas Pitzer Turnes. He was a member of New Bethel United Methodist Church and retired as a 1st Sergeant from the Virginia Army National Guard and State Civil Service Virginia Army National Guard. He served his country during the Korean Conflict and worked for many years at the Altavista and Lynchburg National Guard Armories. During his long service, he received the Army Commendation Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Korean Service Medal, and Army Reserve Achievement Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a granddaughter, Jessalyn Nicole Burch of Altavista; a brother, Daniel T. Turnes of Richmond; and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Lauri Lynne Turnes; a brother, Glenwood P. Turnes, Sr.; a sister, Betty Jean Turnes Agner; and a former son-in-law, Robert H. Burch, Jr. A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, September 11, 2010 at the Finch & Finch Chapel by the Rev. Chris Brooks with interment to follow at Altavista Memorial Park with military honors by the Virginia National Guard Military Honor Guard. The family will receive friends from 6-8:00 p.m., Friday at Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence. The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials

consider New Bethel United Methodist Church, 7061 Dews Rd., Hurt, VA 24563, American Cancer Society, 2316 Atherholt Rd., Lynchburg, VA 24501 or Kidney Foundation of Virginia, 2601 Willard Rd., Suite 103, Richmond, VA 23294.

Previous Events

Services

SEP 11. 2:00 PM.

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