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*Vernon T. Love, Jr.*

**Dec. 13, 1943 - Oct. 8, 2024**

Vernon T. Love, Jr., 80, of Morganton, NC, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Tuesday, October 8, 2024.

Born in Cleveland County, Arkansas on December 13, 1943, he was the son of the late Vernon Thomas Love and Marjorie Cummings Love. Vernon was a member of FAM Church (First Assembly of God Morganton). He taught Bible class, preached, did mission work in Russia and Siberia, and walked with God throughout his life. Mr. Love was a great husband, father, grandfather, brother, and uncle who loved his family and the Lord.

Vernon is survived by his wife, Linda Hare Christian Love; son, Derek Love; grandchildren, Keaton and Abby Love; sister, Martha Love; sisters-in-law, Vicki Hare and Polly Hughes (Ron); brothers-in-law, Frank Hare and Robert Cary Hare (Linda); and numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family.

In addition to his parents, Vernon was preceded in death by his father-in-law, Robert Hare; mother-in-law, Beulah Hare; and nephew, Todd Brookes.

A private family graveside service will be held at Burke Memorial Park with Pastor John White and Rev. Frank Hare officiating. A celebration of Vernon's life will be held at (time to be determined) Saturday, October 19, 2024 at FAM Church with Pastor

at (time to be determined), Saturday, October 19, 2024 at FAITH CHURCH with Pastor John White officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to [Amorem Hospice \(amoremsupport.org/donate\)](https://amoremsupport.org/donate).

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



My beloved pop, was always a caring and loving man that would do anything for his family, or friends that he could do; when in dire need! He was a TRUE MAN OF GOD! I will miss him hugely; as will many others. I always hope that I can and will; walk in his STELLAR footsteps until it is time for me to hopefully join him and many of our family, and friends at the Golden Gates Of Heaven above! I do ask this in JESUS PRECIOUS NAME AMEN!

–Derek Lee Love



Linda, I'm so sorry for your loss here on earth. I can't imagine the loss you are going thru at this moment. However I do know the joy you are feeling knowing our beloved Vernon is walking with Jesus. Oh how sweet it is to know Vernon is free to walk again with Jesus. My prayers for you during this transition is to continue to keep your focus on Jesus the creator and finisher of our faith. Vernon was a mighty man of God and still cheering you on in Heaven. Audrey Stallings

–Audrey Stallings

We will miss our precious brother Vern. He was a humble and beloved man of God who taught and preached the Word of God and loved his Linda so deeply.

We grieve but not without hope. After suffering so long and valiantly he fought the good fight of faith to enjoy his glorious reward with Jesus in heaven. Now the Comforter Himself will comfort Linda and the family until the ultimate family Reunion with the Lord. That is our prayer.

–Rev Bob Freitas and Karen

–Dean & Denise Matchett

Linda Your Vernon is/was an amazing man of GOD whom we all respected and loved!!! We 've been missing him for quite some time; the Godly man whom the Lord would speak thru during several services; the electrician who would volunteer at the drop of a hat to fix electrical issues!!!! The loving husband of Linda, who is still such a special woman of our LORD , who complimented her husband's passion for JESUS!!! Please know, your Vernon is missed by many, and we want to help you in any way we can!!! Love , Prudy & Dick

–Prudy & Dick Greene

–Phil and Diane Vick



So saddened to hear about Vernon, but know he is in the arms of our Heavenly Father. Praying for comfort and peace, and sending love your way.

–Toni Oliver



Aunt Linda I am so sorry for your loss of your sweet of the love of your life! She were so much help, comfort, and a blessing as you cared for him. He's with our Father and no more pain! Prayers for you and your family for peace and comfort. Sending all my

–Carole Dickson

Vernon was a man that walked with, talked with and loved the Lord. His wife Linda was the love of his life. He was a wonderful husband, father, brother & brother in law. Till we see each other again - happy trails... We love you brother.

–Robert Cary & Linda Hare

Uncle Vernon will be very missed. He had a great sense of humor. I had good times with him and aunt Linda when I was growing up. Rest in peace.

–Craig and Judy Hunt

You were the best brother in law! You always made me laugh! Your a gift from God to all who knew and Loved you! So thankful your pain free and rejoicing in Heaven! Love you dearly, Jeanie Love

–Jeanie Love



Vernon was an amazing man. He was a great friend and teacher. I am sorry for the loss here on earth but so happy for heaven's gain! He is whole and happy with friends, loved ones, and our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Linda, I love you dearly and will be praying the peace of the Holy Spirit be with you during this time. Freda Tesseneer

–Freda Tesseneer

In Loving Memory of Uncle Tommy Uncle Tommy, you were a beacon of light in our lives. Your unwavering faith and dedication to walking with Jesus were truly inspiring. You showed us what it means to live a life of integrity, kindness, and devotion. Your wisdom and guidance were a source of strength for many, and your legacy will continue to inspire us. I aspire to follow in your footsteps, to be a person of strong faith and character, just as you were. Though you are no longer

with us, your spirit lives on in the hearts of those you touched. We will miss your warm smile, your encouraging words, and your steadfast love. Thank you, Uncle Tommy, for being a shining example of a godly man. You will be deeply missed and forever loved. Love Scott Brookes

–Scott Brookes



Linda, I am so sorry to hear of Vernon's passing, You and family will be in my thoughts and prayers. May God be with you at this time.

–Gail Morgan( Brenda)



Love you always, Grandpa. Thank you for being such a wonderful example for others. Rest in Peace

–Abby Love

So sorry Linda. Sending prayers.

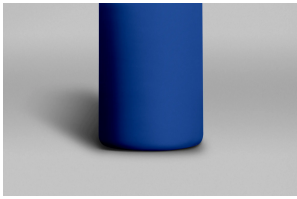
–Betty Puckett

So very sorry for you, Linda. I'm just seeing this news. I knew Vernon had been sick. You were such a wonderful couple. The comfort you have knowing where he is and all the great memories are treasures. Life will be a big adjustment without him but you are sheltered in God's arms. You will be in our prayers.

–Donna M. Burd



Vernon was a wonderful testament to our Lord Jesus Christ!!! I thank God for the opportunity He gave me to be



CHRIST!!! I thank God for the opportunity He gave me to be with him and Linda. Praise God for His mercy towards us!!!!

–Mary Malone



Rest In Peace Uncle Vern. We love you!

–Susan and Gary Rackley