



Arthur Sterlen Compton

December 12, 1930 - January 28, 2015

Arthur Sterlen Compton, age 84, passed away on Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at Virginia Hospital Center in Arlington, VA.

He was born on December 12, 1930 in Loudoun County, VA to the late Allen A. and Cara (Phillips) Compton. Sterlen retired from Giant Foods as a meat cutter and then went to work for Prince William County School Board.

He is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Carlene L. Compton; five children, James S. Compton and wife Patricia, Joan C. Walker and husband Dan, Jerry A. Compton, John E. Compton and wife Pam and Joseph M. Compton and wife Cheri; brother, Harold Compton; sisters, Lois Blankenship and husband Rondal and Sue Carter and husband Jerry; 9 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends 6:00 – 8:00 PM Monday, February 2, 2015 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, Virginia where funeral services will be at 1:00 PM Tuesday, February 3, 2015. Interment will follow at Stonewall Memory Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to: Carlene Compton, 12209 Hooe Road, Bristow, VA 20136 in loving memory of Sterlen Compton.

Cemetery Details

Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Service

FEB 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DA

“ He was a man of great conviction always giving of himself to others and he raised his kids the same way. It's devastating for me personally I will miss him dearly. Love you dad rest in peace. David Clarke

david - February 14, 2015 at 01:59 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Arthur Sterlen Compton.



February 02, 2015 at 03:29 PM

BM

“ Deepest sympathy to Sterlen's family. Having known Sterlen and his family my entire life, I can say his family was greatly blessed to have him in their lives. May God bring each of you comfort and peace.

Betty McGlothlin Marcus - February 02, 2015 at 12:17 PM

PB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Pam Bettis - February 02, 2015 at 11:51 AM

PB

“ 1 file added to the album Arthur Sterlen Compton



Pam Bettis - February 02, 2015 at 11:50 AM

GT

“ I will miss Sterlen so much! I worked with him for seven years. He was a wonderful man. I great co-worker and friend. I am sorry for the families loss. George Terrell

George Terrell - February 02, 2015 at 07:34 AM

VC

“ We are so sorry to hear of Sterlen's passing .All my young life growing up Grandma always talked about Sterlen. God bless you and give you strength as you go through these trying times. Love to all the family . Love Valerie, Ruby and family

Valerie Clements - February 02, 2015 at 05:41 AM

SC

“ Sue Carter lit a candle in memory of Arthur Sterlen Compton



Sue Carter - February 01, 2015 at 09:38 PM

BS

“ *Carlene and family,
We are so sorry for your loss. We are sending our love and prayers.
May God comfort you during this time. -- from the Arnold Horn
family*

Brenda Horn Snider - February 01, 2015 at 08:43 PM

DP

“ *Know that your family are in my prayers! Enjoyed working with a
great guy! Will be missed by all at Transportation*

Duane Brawner PWCS - February 01, 2015 at 02:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Arthur Sterlen Compton.*



February 01, 2015 at 10:41 AM

LT

“ *My Love and prayers to all his family, I have
many fond memories of Sterlen. As a child I
played with his children and witnessed his
loving fatherly ways and his smiles. He was
one of the Good Guys I would always say and
a great friend of my Dad and Mom, Pinkie and Wilmer
Hensley. Always smiling and a story to share. What a great Reunion
in Heaven We will miss him! .Love, Loretta Hensley Travis*



Loretta Travis - January 31, 2015 at 12:42 PM

SH

“ To the Compton family Gene and I send our deepest sympathy--we really liked Sterlin



Shirley Hughes - January 30, 2015 at 09:53 PM

DB

“ I worked with Sterlen for the past 16 1/2 years . We had many good times together. What I will miss the most is the talks we had. He was like a grandfather to me. Prayers to the family. He will be missed.

David Brawner - January 30, 2015 at 08:00 PM