



## Vernon Richard Dartt

May 15, 1934 - May 23, 2024

Vernon Richard Dartt (Papa Burney), 90, passed lovingly into the arms of Jesus on Thursday May 23, 2024. He was surrounded by his family as he transitioned to his Heavenly home.

Papa was loved deeply by so many. Vernon was born to parents William "Pete" Dartt and Emma Etta Dowling on May 15, 1934. He graduated from Elkland Highschool. Vernon later married his Highschool sweetheart Olive Jean Empson in 1955; together they created a life and family of two children Joy and Jay. Vernon served his country during the Korean War from 1954-1956 in the United States Marine Corps. After his service in the military Vernon started his career with Ingersol Rand in Painted Post New York, he later moved his family to Mocksville North Carolina. An active member of Blaze Baptist Church, he served as a deacon and participated in the church bus ministry. In ladder years he was an active member of Fork Baptist Church as a deacon. Vernon had a heart of service, he cared for the elderly and families that were less fortunate.

Papa leaves behind 5 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held in honor and loving memory of Vernon Dartt on Sunday June 2, 2024 at 3 pm at Glenwood Memorial Park, Mooresville.

A special thank you to Trellis Palliative care and Hospice of Winston Salem for the tender care provided.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Dartt family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive  
Mooresville, NC 28115

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN 2. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

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