



Gary Russell Collier

November 28, 1948 - October 23, 2016

Gary Russell Collier, age 67 of Lincoln, Alabama, passed away Sunday the 23rd of October 2016 at his home. Gary was a veteran of the Vietnam War and his service was marked with honor and distinction during his active duty. Among his awards and decorations, he received three purple hearts, a bronze star, two Presidential citations, a Cross of Gallantry, and Navy Meritorious citation. He served valiantly with the renowned 1st Battalion of the 9th Marines.

Funeral service will be Friday October 28, 2016 in the New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home chapel in Dora, Alabama. Visitation will begin at 11:30 am until 1:00 pm. Funeral service will begin at 1:00 pm. Rufus Reed will officiate. Burial will follow at Williamsburg Cemetery in Adamsville, Alabama.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Freeman "Lefty" Collier and Bernice Moore Collier of Dora, Alabama; grandparents, John Wesley and Annie Collier of Porter, Alabama; Hugh and Buna Moore of Dora, Alabama; brother, Wayne Collier from California.

He is survived by his two sisters; Patsy Collier Reed (Rufus) of Jasper, Alabama; Kay Collier Myrick (Ricky) of Dora, Alabama; special friend, Linda Alvis; and a host of other relatives and friends.

The family request that gifts in memory of Gary Russell Collier be given to the U.S.O. PO Box 96860 Washington D.C., 20077-7677.

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home directing, 205-648-2323.

Cemetery Details

Williamsburg Cemetery

3590 Porter Rd.
Adamsville, AL 35005

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 28. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home
5203 Hollis Goodwin Road
Dora, AL 35062
(205) 648-2323

Service

OCT 28. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Gary Russell Collier

October 05, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you, Patsy and your family. I will always remember our friend on the river, at our house, playing his guitar. May he rest in peace, with all the other river rats, that went before him. Condolences from Ronny McLellands family.

Lynn McLelland - October 28, 2016 at 06:32 PM



“ Gary was always the same every time I saw him ... friendly , funny and carefree and that is how I will remember him.



garry butler - October 27, 2016 at 10:50 PM



“ Shelbie Corley lit a candle in memory of Gary Russell Collier



Shelbie Corley - October 26, 2016 at 12:28 PM

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Shelbie Corley - October 26, 2016 at 12:00 PM

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Shelbie Corley - October 26, 2016 at 11:56 AM



“ *Deepest Faith was purchased for the family of Gary Russell Collier.*



October 25, 2016 at 07:12 PM