



Daniel Lee Griffin

August 25, 1944 - February 15, 2024

Daniel Lee Griffin, age 79, of Vallejo, CA passed away on February 15, 2024. He was born on August 25, 1944 in Alameda, CA. Daniel was known as "Dad", "Pop-Pop", "Danny", and "Sarge" was a decorated Army veteran in the US Army from 1965 to 1976. He did 4 tours to Vietnam earning him the National Defense Service Medal, 3 Good Conduct Medals, Vietnam Service Medal with 4 stars, and 2 Purple Hearts. He later served in Desert Storm as a bomb specialist with Concord Naval Weapons. He retired as a Truck Driver from TCI trucking company. Thankfully the Army and trucking brought him to Ft. Scott, Kansas where he met the love of his life Lori! Together they raised a family and moved from Kansas to Texas, and settled in Vallejo, California. He was a disciplined and organized individual, known for his motto "clean as you go." Daniel was a proud and brave man, having a strong sense of duty and service to his country and always reminded us of how blessed we are! Daniel is survived by his children Geoffrey McAllister, Carrie Nelson, and Amanda McAllister, their spouses Clinton Nelson, Steve Hintergardt, his sisters Gwen Ross, Beverly Franklin, Brenda Franklin, nieces and nephews, grandchildren Christian, Amaya, Chaila, Jasmine, Malik, Alaina, and Ashton, and many other family and friends!. He was preceded in death by his Loving Wife--Lori K. Griffin, his brother-in-law and best friend Darrell Ross, and his parents Gussie and Louise Norman. a viewing will be held at Wiggins-Knipp Funeral Home in Vallejo, CA. on Friday, March 15, 2024 from 3 PM to 6 PM followed by a Repast at his home at 2 PM on Saturday, March 16th. The Graveside military

service will be held at Sacramento Valley National Cemetery, on Monday, March 18, 2024 promptly at 11 AM. Wiggins Knipp Funeral Home in Vallejo, CA, is assisting the family with the arrangements for the services.

Cemetery Details

Sacramento Valley National Cemetery

5810 Midway Road
Dixon, CA 95620

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 15. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Wiggins-Knipp Funeral Home
524 Capitol ST.
Vallejo, CA 94590
(707) 642-4459
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Graveside Service

MAR 18. 11:00 AM (PT)

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5810 Midway Road
Dixon, CA 95620

Tribute Wall

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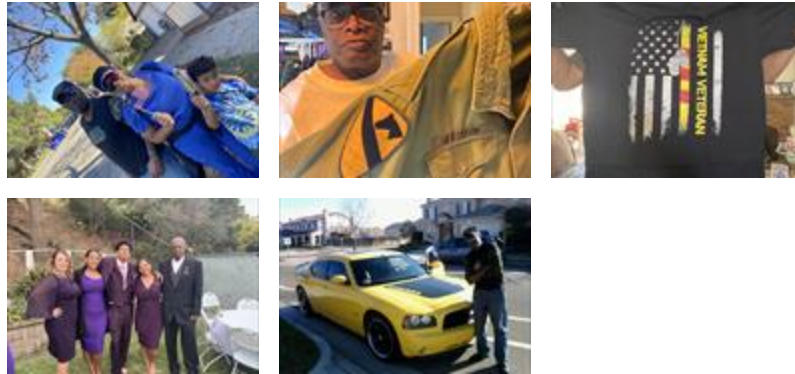
“ Amanda M. purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Daniel Lee Griffin.



Amanda M. - March 13, 2024 at 07:04 PM

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Amanda McAllister - March 05, 2024 at 06:19 PM