



Supt. Vernon Lee Wright Sr.

June 23, 1944 - December 2, 2017

The Life Journey of Supt. Vernon Lee Wright Sr.

His Beginning:

Vernon was born June 23, 1944 to the parentage of the late Napoleon and Erma Wright in Greenville, Texas.

His Education:

Vernon graduated from Greenville High School, attended Jarvis Christian College in Hawkins, Texas and Tarrant County Community College.

His Church:

Vernon served as the Elder of Emanuel Temple COGIC and Temple Memorial COGIC. He served as the Superintendent of Security Training for the Northeast District of Churches. Vernon was the first recipient of the Dallas Mid-cities District 2017 Legacy Award.

His Occupation:

Vernon worked at Southland Corporation, as a detective with Cockrell Hill Police Department, a lieutenant at the Hunt County Sheriffs Department, a detective with Westover Village Police Department, Police Chief at Blue Mound Police Department, he taught at the Grapevine Police Academy and retired from the Grapevine Police Department.

His Military Life:

Vernon was drafted by the United States Armed Forces in 1967. He served his country in the Vietnam War where he was awarded the National Defense

Service Medal with one star, Vietnamese Campaign Medal, Combat Action Ribbon and a Purple Heart.

His Legacy:

Preceding Vernon in death was his son, father, mother, and sister

His Demise:

Vernon completed his earth journey to answer the Master's call from labor on Sunday December 2, 2017. He leaves to cherish his memories, his wife Frances L. Wright, Children Verna Carlisle(Fred), Vernon Wright Jr(Susan), stepchildren Christina Hamilton, Chris Hamilton Jr., Grandchildren, great grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

A very special thanks to Jerome "Brother" Teague and the entire staff at the Veteran's Community Living Center

Previous Events

Service

DEC 8. 12:00 PM (CT)

Saintsville Church of God In Christ
2200 S. Marsalis
Dallas, TX 75216

Tribute Wall



“ I got to know Mr. Wright in 1998 - it was my honor to consider him a friend and a mentor. My life was forever changed (for the better) by my experiences that began under his wing. I had the honor of bringing my family to his COGIC congregation to hear him deliver the Word with passion and fire. He was indeed a genuinely good and honorable man. I will always remember his kindness, his humor, and his devotion to protecting his country, his community and his family. Rest in Peace, sir - give my Dad a hug while you're up there and I'll see you again someday. -Ian Scott

Ian J. Scott - June 22, 2019 at 01:21 PM

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“ My friend and Partner Vernon was a true Soldier. He will be Missed . He is now with Mom ,Dad and Sister smiling down on us.

To the family may God strengthen you all.

*Pastor Dezi Hite
Mt. Olive Church
Celeste, Tx.*

Pastor - December 07, 2017 at 12:46 PM

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Rest In Peace Supt Wright you will be missed. Supt Roy L Price Price Temple COGIC Greenville, Texas

Supt Roy L. Price - December 07, 2017 at 11:45 PM