



Alfred Joseph Gorgia

June 5, 1924 - April 22, 2016

Alfred Joseph Gorgia, 91 of Milton, W.Va. was welcomed into his heavenly home for which he had long desired on Friday April 22, 2016 at Cabell Health Care Center, Culloden, W.Va. He has “fought the good fight, he has finished the course, he has kept the faith, “ 2 Timothy 4:7, “absent from the body, present with the Lord” 2 Corinthians 5:8 . He was born on June 5, 1924 in Brooklyn, New York, the son of the late, Oreste and Carmela Gorgia. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Rita Dale Vance Gorgia, his second wife, Kathleen Talbert Gorgia; four brothers, Joe, Eugene, Tommy and Anthony Gorgia; one sister, Santa Gorgia Lobello; two step-daughters, Patty Talbert Compton and Brenda Sue Talbert Vance. He is survived by his children, Carmela (Fran) Dougherty of Bealton, VA; Ernest Gorgia of Milton, W.Va, Debbie (Bobby) Jude of Barboursville, W.Va; step-son, Tommy Talbert; seventeen grandchildren and step-grandchildren; a host of great grandchildren and other close relatives and friends. He was an ordained minister of the Free Will Baptist Denomination, preaching and singing for many years in Logan and Cabell Counties. He lived all of his married life and raised his children in Man and Logan, W.Va., working for Amherst Coal Company as store Manager and timekeeper. He also worked and retired from Logan General Hospital in transportation. He is a veteran of WWII serving in the U.S. Navy. We would like to thank Cabell Health Care Center and Huntington Health and Rehabilitation Center and their caregivers for all their care. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM on Tuesday, April 26,

2016 at Susannah Missionary Baptist Church, Fudges Creek Road, Ona, W.Va. with Rev. Tracy Call officiating. Graveside services will also be conducted following the services at Highland Memory Gardens in Logan, W.Va. The family will receive friends from 6-9 PM on Monday, April 25, 2016 at Susannah Missionary Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Susannah Missionary Baptist church or Antioch Baptist Church, both in Ona, W.Va. Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, Barboursville is caring for the family. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting www.hensonandkitchen.com .

Tribute Wall



“ *Henson & Kitchen Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Alfred Joseph Gorgia*



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - October 14, 2016 at 10:13 AM



“ *Alfred Joseph Gorgia*

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



“ *I worked with Al back in the mid 70's and early 80's at Amherst #8. He was a great friend and a joy to work with. He will be greatly missed by those who had the privilege to know him.*

Randy Skeens of Mt. Gay - May 03, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Carmela, I am sorry you have lost your father. May God comfort your family. I remember visiting in your home when we attended Concord. He and your mother were kind and welcoming. Sincerely. Betty Stollings Miller*

Betty Stollings Miller of Louisville, KY - April 26, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Was in college with Ernie and worked with him some in Logan.*

Charles (Chuck) Ferguson of Ashland, KY - April 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Praying for the family.....a good man and great testimony for the Lord! So sorry Ernie..(and family)*

Mike Fincham of Lesage,WV - April 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *We want to express our sincere sympathies on the loss of Uncle Al. He will always be remembered as a kind and loving uncle. Our love, thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time.*

John and RoseMary Wozencroft of Orlando, FIL - April 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM