



Mr. Virgil Grant Thomas

August 19, 1942 - January 23, 2019

Virgil Grant Thomas, 76, of Madison, passed away on Wednesday, January 23, 2019, at Consulate Healthcare.

A son of the late John David and Loma Simmons Thomas, he was born in Lowell, North Carolina on August 19, 1942. He is also preceded in death by brothers, Leonard Thomas and Phillip Thomas. With honor and courage, he served his country in the United States Air Force and later worked in construction. He was also a truck driver, having logged in over a million miles on the road.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley A. Thomas; children, Sherrie Ann Pruitt, Belinda Gray (husband, Willie), Cheryl Griner (husband, Tim), Leon Blomeley, Brian Blomeley (wife, Ginger) and Timothy Blomeley; grandchildren, Jessica Ledford, Robert Ledford (fiancé, Brandy Shaw), Willie Gray, Jr. (wife, Amber), Kelly Armstrong (husband, Chase), Ashley Itzkowitz (husband, Adam), Ashleanna Grassi, Leon B. Blomeley, Timothy E. Blomeley, Brianna Blomeley (fiancé, Marcus Posluszny), Jacob Blomeley, Austin Blomeley, Micaela Blomeley and Joshua Blomeley; great-grandchildren, Asa Ledford, Ainsley Gray, Logan Posluszny, Aiden Armstrong and Grace Posluszny.

A memorial celebration will be held at 12:00 PM on Saturday, February 9, 2019 at 2746 SW Jim Clark Road, Madison, Florida 32340. The family has

requested for you to bring your favorite blanket or chair. Following the memorial service, a reception will be held at Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park, 1051 SW Old St. Augustine Road, Madison, Florida 32340. In the event of rain, the memorial service will be held at Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park.

Please contact the family to let them know if you will be attending.

Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Tribute Wall



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Pam Ostwalt-Craver - April 11, 2019 at 08:16 AM

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“ Shirley,

I have been trying to get in touch with your family for years. Just typed Uncle Virgil's name on line and found out he passed. I have been trying to reconnect the Thomas family. I have Karen And Leonard Thomas - Uncle Leonard Thomas family information.

My mother is Uncle Virgil sister. Celeste Thomas Ostwalt of McLeansville, NC.

I remember mother saying that her baby brother was lucky. She helped raise him and he was the only son that Granddaddy John D Thomas brought a car. That was a big deal back then. I inherited the Kirby vacuum cleaner that Uncle Virgil sold to Celeste. It just bit the dust after 50 Years. Aleast he sold a good product.

When I see Uncle Virgil photo he reminds my of granddaddy. Beautiful hair. Praying for you loss. 🙏

It's so wonderful that had a long life with Uncle Virgil and he will truly be missed.

Pam Ostwalt Craver 336-456-7018 pcraver29@yahoo.com. Love Roots❤️



pam ostwalt craver - April 11, 2019 at 06:51 AM

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“ 2 files added to the album Celeste Thomas Ostwalt



Pam Ostwalt-Craver - April 11, 2019 at 04:52 AM

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“ He was a Good man . He may not have been PERFECT BUT WHO IS ? May he REST IN PEACE NOW WITH THE LORD & KNOW WE WILL MISS & LOVE HIM ALWAYS ❤️❤️🙏🙏 AMEN . One thing that will never be forgotten is Peanut butter and Vanilla waffers .

Belinda Gray - February 03, 2019 at 12:42 PM

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“ *Virgil was a wonderful neighbor...kind and helpful. I will miss him!* ”



julie pries - January 31, 2019 at 06:55 PM