



Vernon Clyde Whitley,

DEC 30, 2019



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Vernon Clyde Whitley, Jr., 66, of New London, passed away Sunday, December 29, 2019 in

his home. His funeral service will be 2 PM Thursday, Jan. 2, 2020 at Prospect Baptist Church with Pastor Stoney Benfield and Pastor Donald Ray Johnson officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends in the church from Noon until 1:30 prior to the service.

Born August 21, 1953 in San Diego, CA, he was the son of Margie Everhart Whitley of Albemarle and the late Vernon Clyde Whitley Sr. He was a retired First Sergeant with the NC State Highway Patrol. An active member of Prospect Baptist Church, Mr. Whitley loved serving in the church and playing in the Prospect Baptist Church Praise Band. He enjoyed playing mandolin and guitar, working on vehicles and coaching children's sports teams. He was a family man and loved his wife and children dearly.

Mr. Whitley is survived by his wife of 27 years, Donna Nichols Whitley, daughters Magan Greene of Albemarle, Amanda Whitley of Oakboro, Nikki Whitley of New London, and son Alex C. Whitley of New London, sisters Carolyn McCann (Jim) of Portland, Oregon and Sharon Cox (Sherman) of Troy, and 5 grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Prospect Baptist Church Building Fund or to the Prospect Baptist Church Golden Rule Ministry, 500 Prospect Church Rd., Albemarle, NC 28001.



Tribute Wall

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BD

Bruce J Dumas posted:

To the Whitley Family:I sincerely send my prayers and condolences to you all during the time of bereavement. Vernon was a wonderful man of God that I met years ago, while he was a fine trooper in Montgomery County .Who would have thought, that we would end up being neighbors. I'm going to miss our morning walks together throughout the neighborhood,talking about the good old times,during our patrol career.May your family be blessed,while you continue to walk through heaven with the Heavenly Father.

January 2 at 5:09 AM

PS

Pastor Joey Spry posted:

Prayers of Faith for the Family. I work for the NCSHP ECOMM in Salisbury. John 14:1-3

January 1 at 8:41 PM

RB

Rick Burleyson posted:

Vernon was my best friend at NSHS and was a wonderful person! May you rest in peace my friend! Sincerest condolences for Donna and the family...God Bless each of you♥

December 31 at 9:29 PM

CH

Christian Haddock posted:

Sorry for the families loss. I knew him as Trp. V.C. Whitley as he was an instructor for the 88th Basic Patrol School. He was instrumental in molding many cadets into troopers. He always had profound words of wisdom for us and was quite a character. Great memories.

December 31 at 1:36 PM

JH

Jenny Hatley posted:

Donna, I am so sad to hear this, praying for you and your family.

December 31 at 12:35 PM



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DB

Debbie C Burris posted:

I am so sorry for your loss, Vernon was one of a kind and those who knew him appreciated the dry humor. But he was a person you could always rely on and trust to. Prayers for Donna and the kids and grandkids. I know he will hold a special place in their hearts and memories

December 31 at 10:42 AM

TG

Tom Griffin posted:

F/Sgt Whitley ran my classmates and I around the Highway Patrol Training Center. A great influence on me during my Patrol career. Very sorry for your loss and will remember him fondly.

December 31 at 9:44 AM

SM

Sonya Mullis posted:

Continued prayers for Donna and family Vernon was a wonderful person

December 31 at 7:22 AM

PH

Pete And Nancy Herron posted:

Donna and family, we are sadden to hear of the passing of Vernon. Please know that you are in our prayers.

December 31 at 6:01 AM

LC

Laura Crotts posted:

No better Band Parent/Pit Crew man out there. Loved by all the kids! So very sorry for this time of grief, but so glad Christmas says it won't always be that way! Thanks be to God. Be praying for you.

December 30 at 6:53 PM

BT

Bradley Thompson posted:

My Heart goes out to the entire Family. Vernon was such wonderful person. Very thankful our pathways crossed. Prayers for the Whitley Family.

December 30 at 6:31 PM



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GC

Gene Carter posted:

So Sorry To Hear About Vernon A Friend For A Long Time Prayers For Family Super Nice Man

December 30 at 6:17 PM

BG

Brenda Grimsley posted:

Donna so Sorry for your Loss. Vernon was a very Good Man, Know you all were very happy for Many Years.

December 30 at 6:00 PM

CL

Cynthia Lucas posted:

Donna i am so sorry to hear about your loss . Vernon was a awesome person and he will be miss by alot of people but he is no longer suffering of that nasty disease.May God give you and your family comfort and peace in your heart during this time of your loss love one. Yall will be in my prayers and my heart. If you need anything just let me know. I love you cuz.

December 30 at 5:16 PM

GH

Greg Hayes posted:

Worked with Vernon at Crowell and Honeycutt Dodge and later with the Highway Patrol. Great memories of our good ol' days, the love he had for his family, and that twinkle in his eyes when he grinned. Prayers for his family and friends.

December 30 at 4:16 PM

PL

Patrick Lucas posted:

My heart goes out to the entire family, Vern was a great person and loved his family! My thoughts and prayers go out to the family an may god comfort each of you!

December 30 at 4:14 PM

LS

Lana And Jake Sterling posted:

Donna, I am saddened by your loss of Vernon. Praying for you and the family during this time.

December 30 at 4:10 PM



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PB

Phyllis And A Doug Brown posted:

Donna, so sorry to hear about Vernon. We will definitely keep you and your family in our prayers!

December 30 at 3:51 PM

DR

Debbie Roach posted:

Donna, you and your family are in my prayers. You were our neighbors on Warner Rd. For years. He was a fine man.

December 30 at 3:44 PM

AP

Amy Preslar posted:

Thinking of you Donna, Nikki, Alex and the whole family. Vernon helped me so much at Kendall Valley School when it came time for end of year testing. Vernon was an awesome person and he will be missed.

December 30 at 2:46 PM

RD

Rocky & Andi. Drye posted:

Condolences to the family. May the Lord continue to comfort you now and the days to follow.

December 30 at 2:39 PM

RR

Roger A. Roberts posted:

I had the pleasure of meeting Vernon even before my law enforcement career began in the late 80s. Once I started my career as a law enforcement officer Vernon was a important mentor to me and a role model for many of young officers. My condolences and prayers are with you Donna and the entire Whitley family during this difficult time of your lives! May God Bless and comfort each of you!

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December 30 at 2:30 PM

DH

Darrell Huneycutt posted:

A great Christian friend and super guy. God bless the family and help comfort you during this time.

December 30 at 2:04 PM

RB

Rick Burris posted:

Had the honor of working with Vernon at the Albemarle Police Dept. Our prayers are with his family

December 30 at 12:41 PM

KP

Kaye Parsons posted:

I am so sorry, Donna. Vern was a great man who influenced all who knew him. I can recall many good times and shared laughter. He will live on forever in your hearts and memories.

December 30 at 12:30 PM

DW

Dree Thomas Wynkoop posted:

Donna, so sorry to see this. You and the family are in my heart and my prayers. I have really sweet memories and you and Vernon,

December 30 at 12:24 PM

JS

John Paul, Lisa & Jason Stewart posted:

Donna, We are so sorry for your loss and we are keeping you and the family in our prayers.

December 30 at 12:11 PM



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Rick Russell posted:

So sorry to hear this. Super nice person with a Great Family. Donna, will keep you and the family in my prayers. Rick Russell.

December 30 at 12:05 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Vernon by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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