



Corporal Larry M. Dunn

December 20, 1931 - December 1, 1950

Corporal Larry M. Dunn, (US Army) 2nd Engineer Combat Battalion B Company 1 BN Infantry Division; a Korean War veteran, declared Missing In Action and later presumed dead, will make his final journey home to Cullman County in the next few days.

Corporal Dunn was born December 20, 1931 in Cullman, Alabama. As a young man, he shipped out to Korea, was captured and declared Missing in Action in 1950. He was officially declared dead in 1953. As was the practice in 1954, many unidentified soldiers were interred in the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. The remains of some of these heretofore unidentified remains have recently been exhumed. Corporal Larry M. Dunn was one of several such soldiers that were exhumed and positively identified despite the fact DNA was not used as a means of identification in the 1950s.

Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is honored to be entrusted with the care of Corporal Dunn. The funeral professionals at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home firmly believe Corporal Dunn's final journey home should be a tribute to the ultimate sacrifice he made for his country.

Corporal Dunn will lie-in-state at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home, 255 County Road 1435, Cullman, Alabama Wednesday, Thursday and Friday September 14-16, 2016 from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. to give the community an opportunity

to pay their respects and sign the memorial register.

The family will receive friends Saturday, September 17, 2016 from 10:00 AM until 11:00 A.M. Funeral services will follow at 11:00 A.M. Following the funeral, Corporal Dunn and his family will be escorted by the Patriot Guard Riders to Mt. Carmel Cemetery where he will be laid to rest with full military honors, via Highway 157 and Highway 278.

Corporal Dunn lost his mother, Lula Graves Dunn, at the age of eleven. He was survived, at the time of his death, by his father, John Paul Dunn; six brothers, Fletcher, Bud, Paul, J.L., Bill and Ben Dunn; a nephew, Charles Dunn; and a niece, Barbara South, all of whom are now deceased.

Survivors presently include Corporal Dunn's nieces, Rhonda Dunn Courington, Margie Whitehead, Joyce Estes, Terri Gilbert, Pam Dunn, Sandy Hughey and Susie Kampis; and nephews, John L. Dunn, Jerry Dunn, Brian Dunn, Michael Dunn, Delone Dunn, Ronald Dunn and Joey Dunn.

Though it has been almost 66 years since Corporal Dunn was officially declared dead, it does not diminish the gratitude and pride felt by Corporal Dunn's Cullman County family and friends.

REST IN PEACE, CORPORAL DUNN, AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE.

Cpt. Dunn is scheduled to arrive at the Huntsville Airport on Wednesday, September 14th at 8:51 AM. He will be escorted from the airport to Cullman Heritage Funeral Home by the Patriot Guard Riders along with others via the following route.

I-565 from the Huntsville Airport to I-65 South
I-65 South to Exit 304 (Good Hope Exit),

Turn left onto Highway 69 and travel to the intersection of Hwy 69 & Highway 31 North

Go left (North) on Highway 31 thru downtown Cullman and to the intersection of Hwy 157

Turn right onto Highway 157 and go to County Road 1435 (Eva Road)

Turn left onto County Road 1435 and then left into the entrance of Cullman Heritage.

Cemetery Details

Berlin Cemetery at Mt. Carmel

Cullman, AL

Previous Events

Family Will Receive Friends

SEP 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Cullman Heritage Funeral Home
255 County Road 1435
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Tribute Wall

AL

“ *From one veteran to another...welcome home.*

AI - November 02, 2016 at 05:29 PM

RH

“ *Thanks for your service & sacrifice to keep us free. May God Bless and comfort the family.*



Ruby Harbison - September 16, 2016 at 08:08 PM



Thank you for your service and our freedom Corporal Larry M. Dunn may you finally rest in peace.

Alex De Prospo - November 05, 2016 at 12:37 PM

LH

“ *Thanks for your service, Corporal. All gave some and You gave All Sir. I will always remember you as a true hero. May God bless your family for their sacrifice.*



Leon Harbison - September 16, 2016 at 08:05 PM

MV

“ *Michael & Susan Voigt lit a candle in memory of Corporal Larry M. Dunn*



Michael & Susan Voigt - September 14, 2016 at 12:33 PM

MV

Thank you for your service!

Michael & Susan Voigt - September 14, 2016 at 12:34 PM

KS

“ *Karen And Wayne Stover lit a candle in memory of Corporal Larry M. Dunn*



Karen and Wayne Stover - September 14, 2016 at 12:05 PM

ST

“ *You are a true hero, wish I had known you.*



Stan - September 06, 2016 at 08:53 PM

JC

School buddies jessie cosper USA retired

Jessie cosper - September 08, 2016 at 12:49 PM

JE

Thanks to the family for giving Corporal Dunn the funeral service that he deserves. He is a true American hero.

Jenny - September 09, 2016 at 01:08 PM

PE

Welcome Home 🇺🇸🇺🇸 Thank You For Your Service to Our Country A True American Hero !!! God Bless Your Family and America 🇺🇸

patricia ergle - September 14, 2016 at 08:04 AM

JI

Corporal Dunn's sacrifice is being noted at many military and news websites across the country. It is good that this young soldier is coming home to native soil and it is good that he is remembered.

Jim-West Virginia

Jim - September 14, 2016 at 10:46 AM

BC

I thank Cpl. Dunn for his service and I am proud that the family is now getting to have a proper burial for an American Army Hero.

Bobby R Collum - September 14, 2016 at 06:27 PM