



## Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.

March 18, 1935 - March 26, 2022

Robert "Paul" Turkington, of Trappe, MD, passed away on March 26, 2022, at home. He was 87.

He was born on March 18, 1935, in Denton, MD, to the late Reverend Thomas J. and Juanita Turkington.

After graduating from Denton High School in 1953, he married the late Dolores Shortall on November 7, 1953, and together they had three sons. Paul retired from the Maryland Marine Police Department of Natural Resources on April 1, 1993, after 25 years of service. Of his many hobbies, he enjoyed decoy carving, crabbing, fishing, billiards, and woodworking.

He is preceded in death by three brothers, Tom Jr., Bill, and Harry Turkington and two sisters, Emma Shehan and Jean Turkington.

He is survived by his current wife of 29 years, Virginia (Ginny) Turkington; two sons, Robert P., Jr., and wife Donna of Nathalie, Virginia, and Timothy J. Turkington of Bethlehem, Maryland; stepchildren, Kathy Gannon and her husband Gary of Easton, Mike Mullikin and wife Cheryl of Onstead, MI, Matt Mullikin and his wife Cathy of Wetumpka, AL; 12 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two sisters-in-law, Mary Turkington of Denton and Carolyn Walker of Easton.

A son, Terry A. Turkington, and a stepson, Pat Mullikin, preceded him in death.

There will be a viewing from 10 – 12 noon, on Friday, April 1, 2022, at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home followed by a service beginning at 12 PM. Burial will be at Old Spring Hill Cemetery. Robert Turkington III, Heath Turkington, Daniel Turkington, Kyle Gannon, Steven Todd, and Dallas Lister will be serving as pallbearers.

Friends and family are welcome back to Paul's home in Trappe after services for a celebration of life.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Talbot Hospice, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601, or the Alzheimer's Association at <https://act.alz.org>.

# Cemetery Details

## Old Spring Hill Cemetery

Easton, MD

# Previous Events

## Viewing

APR 1. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home  
200 S. Harrison Street  
EASTON  
EASTON, MD 21601

## Funeral Service

APR 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home  
200 S. Harrison Street  
EASTON  
EASTON, MD 21601

## Burial

APR 1 (ET)

Old Spring Hill Cemetery  
Easton, MD



# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*



**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - April 01, 2022 at 08:45 AM



“ *Angela Adams lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*



**Angela Adams** - February 05, 2024 at 05:01 PM



“ *Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr..



March 31, 2022 at 12:26 PM



“ What wonderful neighbors. He will be sorely missed. Michael, Wendy, and Michael Charles Franklin Clark



Michael Franklin Clark - March 31, 2022 at 10:41 AM



“ "Turk" will be missed, he was a great friend, and shift partner during our time with the Natural Resources Police working out of Oxford. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of Turk's family. RIP good friend! 🙏🙏



George and Cathy Ball

George Ball - March 30, 2022 at 09:34 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr..



March 30, 2022 at 06:00 PM

JL

“ John & Trudy Leager lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.



John & Trudy Leager - March 29, 2022 at 08:46 AM

PF

“ Phil Foster lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.



Phil Foster - March 29, 2022 at 03:22 AM

RH

“ Rita Hill lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.



Rita Hill - March 28, 2022 at 09:25 PM

AC

“ Dearly loved and greatly missed. Thank you for blessing us with such a lovely family



Ace - March 28, 2022 at 09:06 PM

BT

“ *Bobbi Turkington lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*



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**Bobbi Turkington** - March 28, 2022 at 08:19 PM

SG

“ *Steve & Teresa Gadow lit a candle in memory of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr.*



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**Steve & Teresa Gadow** - March 28, 2022 at 07:16 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr..*



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March 28, 2022 at 07:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Paul" Turkington Sr..*



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March 28, 2022 at 06:03 PM