



## Vernon Martin Cannon

February 10, 1941 - June 24, 2020

Vernon (Smokey) Martin Cannon passed away peacefully at home on June 24, 2020, at the age of 79.

He was a devoted loving husband of 58 years to Winsie A. Cannon. Together, they raised a family of three children, Cindy (Cody), John (Laura) and Betsy. He was a caring grandfather of his nine grandchildren, Brandi, Jordan, Shane, Adam, Ashtin, Aryn, Corey, Bradley, and Austin; and a great-grandfather to Aubri, Kinlee, Rowdy, Kevin, Kennedy, Kensley, Cory, Emma, Jace, Chase, and Logan. He is also survived by his sisters, Ethel and Faye, and many sisters-in-law and brothers-in law.

Vernon was predeceased by his parents, Clarence Willis Cannon and Mildred McMullen; a brother, John Willis Cannon; and a sister, Anne Cannon.

Vernon grew up on his father's farm working hard and carried his love and pride for farming throughout his lifetime in Queen Anne's County where he owned and operated his family farm until his death.

He was always an ordinary man, with an ordinary life plan. Getting up each morning to go to his farmland. To work and plant the crops with his personal touch, always contented with a harvest of little or much. Happy and blessed along this pathway of life enjoying his friends and sharing his love with his

family and his wife.

In addition to spending special times with his family, he also enjoyed fox hunting with his friends and racing his standardbred horses.

Every day was a gift and memories were created that shall be treasured forever.

A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, June 30, 2020, at 12:30 pm, at the Church Hill Cemetery in Church Hill, MD.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to Compass Regional Hospice, 160 Coursevall Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

# Cemetery Details

## Church Hill Cemetery

Cemetery Road  
Church Hill, MD

# Previous Events

## Graveside

JUN 30. 12:30 PM (ET)

Church Hill Cemetery  
Cemetery Road  
Church Hill, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Vernon Martin Cannon*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Vernon Martin Cannon*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Vernon Martin Cannon*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Dani Woodhurst lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Dani Woodhurst - July 04, 2020 at 09:13 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers to Winisie and family, I am very sorry for your loss. Vernon will be missed by many.*

Clint Gardner - July 03, 2020 at 08:23 PM



“ *Extending my sincere sympathy to Winsie and the Cannon family. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.*

Billie Carroll - July 02, 2020 at 11:02 AM

HC

“ *Howard Cook lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Howard Cook - July 01, 2020 at 09:44 AM

TC

“ *Mr. Cannon was one of our very favorite customers when we had The Video Shop many years ago..loved chatting with him..our condolences to all..*



Tommy and Donna Cuncell - June 30, 2020 at 07:39 PM

BL

“ *Gene and Bonney Legg*



Bonney Legg - June 30, 2020 at 08:56 AM

FT

“ *Frankie Todd lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Frankie Todd - June 29, 2020 at 05:18 PM

CW

“ *Centreville Methodist Women sent a virtual gift in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Centreville Methodist Women - June 29, 2020 at 11:01 AM

TB

“ *Tim And Esther Blackiston sent a virtual gift in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Tim and Esther Blackiston - June 29, 2020 at 11:01 AM

FP

“ *Frank And Tish Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Frank and Tish Palmatary - June 29, 2020 at 11:00 AM

DP

“ *Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Doug Pierson - June 29, 2020 at 10:10 AM

DG

“ *David & Annie Gardner&family lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



David & Annie Gardner&family - June 29, 2020 at 08:35 AM

JP

“ *John & Phyllis Perkins lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



John & Phyllis Perkins - June 28, 2020 at 10:31 PM

PD

“ *Pastor Dwayne And Donna Dixon lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Pastor Dwayne and Donna Dixon - June 28, 2020 at 07:18 PM

AW

“ *Agnes Wilhelm lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Agnes Wilhelm - June 28, 2020 at 05:08 PM

PC

“ Pat Callahan purchased the Strength & Solace S  
pray for the family of Vernon Martin Cannon.



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**Pat Callahan** - June 28, 2020 at 11:52 AM

CW

“ David and Cheryl Willoughby



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**Cheryl Greenwood Willoughby** - June 28, 2020 at 10:54 AM

PW

“ Winsie, Frank and i were saddened to hear about the loss of your  
husband. We send Condolences to you and your Family.  
Frank and Paige Walbert of Palm Bay Florida

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**Paige Walbert** - June 28, 2020 at 10:12 AM

PW

“ Paige Walbert lit a candle in memory of  
Vernon Martin Cannon



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**Paige Walbert** - June 28, 2020 at 10:06 AM

JS

“ *Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Jeanette Stubbs** - June 28, 2020 at 08:07 AM

JH

“ *JOYCE HURLOCK lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**JOYCE HURLOCK** - June 28, 2020 at 06:46 AM

JH

*Phil & I are truly sorry for your loss. Sending our heartfelt condolences to the entire family. You will all have such warm memories to look back on to help you get through this trying time. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**JOYCE HURLOCK** - June 28, 2020 at 06:50 AM

DP

“ *Dave And Kathy Poet lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Dave and Kathy Poet** - June 27, 2020 at 09:09 PM

TS

“ *Tracy Schulz lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Tracy Schulz** - June 27, 2020 at 01:56 PM

BG

“ *Brenda And Buddy Gulrich lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Brenda and Buddy Gulrich** - June 27, 2020 at 11:56 AM

JB

“ *Winsie, We are so sorry to hear about Vernon. God bless you as you are surrounded by the love of your family and friends. Jack and Liz Broderick*

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**John E. Broderick** - June 27, 2020 at 11:55 AM

JB

“ *Winsie I am so sorry!*



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**Joyce Benton** - June 27, 2020 at 09:56 AM

MF

“ *Marty Freeman lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



**Marty Freeman** - June 27, 2020 at 09:51 AM

MF

*Love and Prayers to all*

**Marty Freeman** - June 27, 2020 at 09:52 AM

BH

“ *Billy & Dorothy Hollingsworth lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



**Billy & Dorothy Hollingsworth** - June 27, 2020 at 09:26 AM

TM

“ *Tina Trice Mayr lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



**Tina Trice Mayr** - June 27, 2020 at 07:24 AM

MC

“ *Sad To Hear The Passing Of Smokey! Thoughts & Prayers For This Strong Family!!*

**marion chance** - June 27, 2020 at 07:23 AM

SW

“ Sue Wolff lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Sue Wolff - June 26, 2020 at 11:40 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Vernon Martin Cannon.



June 26, 2020 at 11:33 PM

JH

“ Judy Thrift Hollett lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Judy Thrift Hollett - June 26, 2020 at 10:06 PM

MC

“ Mary Beth Coleman lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Mary Beth Coleman - June 26, 2020 at 09:10 PM

JC

“ June Clark lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



June Clark - June 26, 2020 at 08:46 PM

JC

Dear Winsie and family, There are not enough words to say how sorry we are for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with each one of you. Just hold those memories close and they will get you through this difficult time.

June Clark - June 26, 2020 at 08:49 PM

MC

“ Margaret Leonard Cannon lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Margaret Leonard Cannon - June 26, 2020 at 08:33 PM

BH

“ Brenda Hahn lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Brenda Hahn - June 26, 2020 at 08:15 PM

FD

“ Frankie And Jane Dill lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



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**Frankie and Jane Dill** - June 26, 2020 at 08:12 PM

TF

“ Our deepest condolences xo



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**Teat family** - June 26, 2020 at 06:41 PM

JE

“ Dear Winsie and Family, Very sorry to hear of Vernons passing and we extend our most heartfelt sympathy to all. God Bless You. Jim and Mary Ann Edwards

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**Jim and Mary Ann Edwards** - June 26, 2020 at 06:35 PM

JE

“ Jim And Mary Ann Edwards sent a virtual gift in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



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**Jim and Mary Ann Edwards** - June 26, 2020 at 06:29 PM

BM

“ *John, Laura and family, So sorry for your loss!  
I have know You're Dad for many, many years  
and know he will be deeply missed by all.  
Keeping everyone in our thoughts and  
prayers ! Andy & Brenda Dadds*



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**Brenda Morris-Dadds** - June 26, 2020 at 06:14 PM

JM

“ *Jeff And Cindy Moore lit a candle in memory  
of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**jeff and cindy moore** - June 26, 2020 at 06:12 PM

SS

“ *Suzanne Skinner lit a candle in memory of  
Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Suzanne Skinner** - June 26, 2020 at 05:55 PM

SS

*Winsie and family. I am so sorry for your loss. I hear Vernon was a real  
trooper and fought a good fight. May God bless you with peace and  
strength in the coming days.*

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**Suzanne Skinner** - June 26, 2020 at 05:58 PM

GP

“ *Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - June 26, 2020 at 04:54 PM

GP

*To Winsie and family: Sorry this angel showed up, was to be a dove, but the thought is still there. Our prayers and blessings are with you and we have surely lost a great farmer in this County. May the wonderful memories you have live in your hearts forever. God bless each one of you. Blessings, Gene and Lynda Palmatary*

Gene and Lynda Palmatary - June 26, 2020 at 05:00 PM

BN

“ *Bobby and Genevieve Norris lit a candle in memory of Vernon Cannon with our sincerest sympathy to Winsie and family*

Bob Norris - June 26, 2020 at 04:35 PM

SD

*so sorry to read this. Dick and I send our sympathy to all the Cannon family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

sara j davidson - June 27, 2020 at 06:52 PM

LF

“ *Larry Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



Larry Faulkner - June 26, 2020 at 04:25 PM

PE

“ Prayers and Peace to all of you!  
Pam and Fred



Pam and Fred Edwardz - June 26, 2020 at 04:10 PM

RW

“ Rob & Michelle Walls lit a candle in memory  
of Vernon Martin Cannon



Rob & Michelle Walls - June 26, 2020 at 03:57 PM

FL

“ Frankie And Cathy Legg lit a candle in  
memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Frankie and Cathy Legg - June 26, 2020 at 03:47 PM

TR

“ TRACIE RIDDELL lit a candle in memory of  
Vernon Martin Cannon



TRACIE RIDDELL - June 26, 2020 at 03:39 PM

KC

“ Thoughts and prayers with the family



Kay Councill - June 26, 2020 at 03:26 PM

CD

“ Chris & Amy Dawkins lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Chris & Amy Dawkins - June 26, 2020 at 02:51 PM

JC

“ Jane Coppage lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



Jane Coppage - June 26, 2020 at 02:40 PM

JP

“ JoAnn & Royden Powell lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon



JoAnn & Royden Powell - June 26, 2020 at 02:32 PM

GF

“ *Growmark FS-Sudlersville lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Growmark FS-Sudlersville** - June 26, 2020 at 01:39 PM

GP

“ *Gina Weston Paul lit a candle in memory of Vernon Martin Cannon*



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**Gina Weston Paul** - June 26, 2020 at 01:35 PM