



Cyprian A. Vicars

January 29, 1934 - April 16, 2020

Virtual Funeral Services for Mr. Cyprian Alexander Vicars will be held Friday, April 24, 2020 at 11:00 AM please go to www.pnpatl.cc for Live streaming of the service.

Mr Cyprian Alexander Vicars was born on January 29, 1934 to the late Claude Vicars, Sr. and the late Henrietta Williams on the beautiful island of St Croix, US Virgin Islands. The Lord saw fit to take His good and faithful servant home April 16, 2020.

Cyprian was an island boy, enjoying the “glory days” of Frederiksted, St. Croix. An avid storyteller, he co-authored the book of the same title: “The Glory Days of Frederiksted,” a compilation of stories as told by Frederiksted residents, past and present. He recounted so many precious memories of being raised on the island and educated at St. Patrick’s Catholic School. He recounted fondly the impact the nuns and priests had on his life.

He was a Vietnam Veteran who truly believed in Duty, Honor, and Country. He served 14 years in the US Navy as a Non-commissioned Officer, until he was selected for a prestigious program and entered the US Army as a Warrant Officer. He served eight years in the US Army and retired from active duty after 22 years of honorable service. He had many duty stations to include Rhode Island, Philadelphia, Charleston, Hawaii, Vietnam, Virginia and

Georgia.

After his military career, he began his civilian career as the Chief of Management Information Systems with the Georgia Department of Human Resources. He also was a teacher at the Georgia Institute of Technology. Additionally, he had an entrepreneurial spirit, opening his own business, C&M Business Services, a tax preparation and home appraisal business.

He loved to stay busy, and kept active in the community as well as his church. He was a beloved member and pillar of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church, the church family he was a member of for well over 40 years. He was a member of the choir, a faithful servant in the food

ministry and regularly proclaimed the word of God at Christmas and Easter programs.

He was a lifelong learner, having earned multiple degrees and never stopped learning as he was most recently learning Spanish and taking piano lessons. His hobbies included photography and was a HAM radio operator for years. He enjoyed a love of the arts, especially plays, musicals and classical music.

He is predeceased by his first wife Margaret Vicars, and his second wife Josephine Vicars, sister Helen Vicars and brother Arthur Vicars.

He leaves to cherish his loving memory four daughters: Carol (Rick) Goff of San Antonio TX, Josephine (Gary) Christian of Stone Mountain GA, Michele (Melvin) Means of Loganville GA, Billie Jo (Scott) Young of Naperville IL; 11 grandchildren: Justin Goff, Andrew (Nakia) Means, Austin Goff, Meagan Christian, Miles Christian, Maya Christian, Sydni Means, James Young, Jordan Young, Seth Means, and Erin Means; four sisters: Edith Canton, Ann Thomas, Mary Isaac and Alma Christiansen; two brothers: Claude Vicars and

Leslie Matthias. Additionally he leaves a cloud of witnesses, extended family and friends.

In lieu of flowers the family would like donations in honor of his memory to the St. Vincent De Paul <https://www.svdpgorgia.org/get-involved/ways-to-give/donate/>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **23**. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy.
Decatur, GA 30034
(404) 241-5656
info@levettfuneralhome.com

Service

APR **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Saints Peter and Paul Parish
2560 Tilson Rd
decatur, GA 30032

Graveside Service

APR **24**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Melwood Cemetery
5170 East Ponce De Leon Avenue
Stone Mountain, GA 30083-121

Tribute Wall

EF

“ We would like to extend our condolences to the family. In times of distress we need comfort that soothes our hearts. May the peace of God guard your hearts.

Evans family - April 27, 2020 at 08:30 PM

LM

“ Leslie A Matthias lit a candle in memory of Cyprian A. Vicars



leslie a matthias - April 24, 2020 at 12:42 PM

RR

“ Wishing you moments of peace and comfort at this time of sorrow. Keep memories of Cyprian close to your heart.

*Those we love are always just a thought away.....
For as long as there's a memory, they live in our hearts to stay.*

*Deepest condolences,
Robin and Lynette Reid*

Robin and Lynette Reid - April 24, 2020 at 11:07 AM

PF

“ My deepest condolences to the family. I met Mr. Vicars at SS. Peter and Paul when I was the music director. He was warm, friendly and kind and made me feel at home. May you be comforted and may his soul rest in the peace of Christ.

Patricia Fointno - April 24, 2020 at 10:01 AM

MS

“ Michele,

May the arms of our Lord keep your family embraced and lifted during this difficult time.

- The Shaw Family



Michael A. Shaw - April 23, 2020 at 02:41 PM

SW

“ *'When you are sorrowful, look again in your heart, and you shall see that in truth you are weeping for that which has been your delight.'*
--Khalil Gibran

I did not know Cyprian very long. We both attended and were Proclaimers of the Word at Sts. Peter and Paul's 5pm Mass.

I pray that a legion of angels will surround your family.

Stephanie Windon

Stephanie Windon - April 23, 2020 at 01:14 PM

AL

“ *My condolences to the family. Cyprian will be missed but not forgotten by the parishioners at St. Peter and Paul.. I didn't know him well, but he was always a friendly and pleasant person. I pray you find peace and know that you are not alone*



Arzmarie Lindsey - April 23, 2020 at 12:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.*



April 23, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ *We're holding you close to our hearts and lifting your family in prayer. You are in our thoughts. Mr. Vicars impacted so many through his work, accomplishments and as the head of his family. May fond memories bring comfort in the days ahead.*

DeLisa Rodney - April 22, 2020 at 03:57 PM



“ *Don Bright purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.*



Don Bright - April 22, 2020 at 02:30 PM



“ *Condolences from the Murphy Family to Michele and her family for the loss of Father, as Michele affectionally referred to him. Many Blessings, Peace, and Comfort to you and your entire family. Willard and Breyone Murphy*

Breyone - April 22, 2020 at 11:54 AM

FV

“ From Victoria Velez purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.



From Victoria Velez - April 22, 2020 at 11:03 AM

JM

“ Condolences from the Moody family to Michele and her family on their loss. While I did not know her father, through working with Michele, it is clear he is her idol and he will be greatly missed. We are so sorry to hear that he has passed. - Jennifer Moody

Jennifer Moody - April 22, 2020 at 10:57 AM

AR

“ My condolences to Michelle and Carol. Cyprian and I worked together back in the 80s and what a joy it was to hear his life stories. Hang onto the wonderful memories. He gone by will never be forgotten. Rest In Peace Cyp! 🙏

Ann Reeves - April 22, 2020 at 04:02 AM

AR

Cyprian is gone but will never be forgotten. 🙏

Ann Reeves - April 22, 2020 at 04:04 AM

BJ

“ Cultism was a beautiful person and had a loving heart. He will be truly missed by the Sts Peter & Paul community.



Barbara Jones - April 22, 2020 at 01:08 AM

BJ

Sorry Cyprian

Barbara Jones - April 22, 2020 at 01:10 AM

MK

“ *My deepest sympathies for your loss. I sang with Cyprian at Sts. Peter and Paul, and he was a joy to know.*

Maria Kepler - April 21, 2020 at 07:53 PM

FG

“ *Our heartfelt condolences to our Sister - Laws Carol Goff and Michele Means during the passing of their father Cyprian. God is all wise and he needed this angel with him now. So take comfort in knowing that he is with God. We love you very much! The Gray Family. Tampa Fl.*

Fred and Vivian Gray - April 21, 2020 at 06:39 PM



“ *Brenda Chee Wah lit a candle in memory of Cyprian A. Vicars*



Brenda Chee Wah - April 21, 2020 at 01:56 PM

DR

“A good man has gone home to be our angel in Heaven. Mr. Cyprian A. Vicars, passionately known as Cippy, had been my homeboy as well as a good friend. He was always a step or two ahead of his peers. Born on the Island of St. Croix he was always glad to share stories of his hometown, Frederiksted. As a young man, with dreams of travels, he joined the United State Navy and visited many countries until his retirement. He relocated to Atlanta Georgia along with his wife and children. We crossed paths and continued our relationship to this day. As we shared stories of our island homes; military experiences; journeys; and family lives – especially our children; and at special occasions such as breakfast, lunch and dinner dates our bonding became stronger. But, most memorable was our connection as older brother/ younger brother. Cippy shared personal life experiences and stories of mistakes made in his life. What I most remembered, about my Cippy, besides his physical presence, was the extra energy and glow on his face. Whenever, I said I'm ready to make a short run to where ever, his next response was always “What time should I get ready for you to pick me up?”
Sidney and Louella Rabsatt

Dr. Sidney & Mrs. Louella Rabsatt - April 21, 2020 at 10:16 AM

GG

I thank Cyprian for allowing me into his space. My sincerest condolences to his family and friends. May we be comforted in this time of sorrow with the knowledge of the promise that 'God is close to the brokenhearted and strengthens the spirits of those who are crushed'. May Cyprian's Soul Rest in God's Eternal Peace!

Gloria George-Patrick - April 21, 2020 at 12:18 PM



May God grant His servant, a place of peace and rest and comfort to his family.

Brenda Chee Wah

Brenda Chee Wah - April 21, 2020 at 01:55 PM

NJ

“ Dearest Michele,
May the happy memories of your father help bring you some comfort in this difficult time. With all that you shared recently, I felt like I knew a small piece of him. Thank you for sharing.

My deepest condolences to you and your family.

--Narkieta--

Narkieta Jones - April 21, 2020 at 08:50 AM

DR

“ Sympathy is expressed to the family during this time of loss. May God bless you all with the Peace of His Presence.
Donald and Theresa Rhodes



Donald Rhodes - April 21, 2020 at 08:11 AM

 Brenda
G.
Partridge-
Brown

“ To my Sister in Christ Michele! My heartfelt condolences to you and wonderful family. Your pain is my pain. Always praying for you and family. Much love Brenda Grace.

Brenda G. Partridge-Brown - April 21, 2020 at 08:09 AM

DS

“ He has a part of this land but you never plow my memories because a person as wonderful as you does not forget

God have you in his holy glory he wanted you to be with him and not with us in these days but God knows how he does his things now I know that he is resting in a place full of peace and you are with the best person who is God our savior and our creator

cyprian I am more than grateful to God to meet you and to have shared with you the truth that your death is but very strong for me



even proto because I won't tell God why I know I'll see you again and we'll share again

my brothers and I are going to miss you so much and we love you so much you have not left with a very large gap 🙁

Dilennys Mabel Montilla Sánchez - April 20, 2020 at 11:07 PM



“ *My husband and i met Cyprian when his first wife Margaret died in car accident. We went to see him and carried a covered dish (Macaroni and cheese casserole). He was such a gracious and kind man even in his sorrow that I was deeply impressed, He attended the 5 PM Mass usually and we got to know him very well. We also were invited to his second marriage to Josephine. They were such a very nice couple and a joy to know. I love to hear him talk with that beautiful accent he had. We will miss him dearly especially at 5 PM Mass and in the choir..*

Our prayers and thoughts are with you all.



Trudy and Frank Marzo

Trudy Marzo - April 20, 2020 at 10:20 PM

AJ

“ *Anita Johnson lit a candle in memory of Cyprian A. Vicars*



Anita Johnson - April 20, 2020 at 09:49 PM



Andreane Ellington

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. I've thoroughly enjoyed knowing Mr. Vicars over the past 10+ years (working at the office that manages his properties), and I'll truly miss seeing him and listening to his traveling ventures. Still in disbelief, but grateful, nonetheless, for having the pleasure of knowing him and interacting with him. 🙏*

Andreane Ellington - April 20, 2020 at 09:15 PM

JF

“ To my co-worker Michele - you are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm so sorry to hear about your father's passing. I remember just the other day in a meeting you mentioning him as "your hero". My heart breaks for you and your family. ~Fossey

Jeff Fossett - April 20, 2020 at 05:41 PM

LR

“ Luther Johnson & Althea Rene purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.



Luther Johnson & Althea Rene - April 20, 2020 at 05:07 PM

CG

“ Courtney Gray purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.



Courtney Gray - April 20, 2020 at 02:54 PM

BH

“ I'm going to really miss my friend and mentor, Cyprian. and my heart goes out to the many friends and family he leaves behind to cherish is wonderful memory. Cyprian was really a nice person and a wonderful role model for many young people aspiring to be just like him. He really encouraged us to spread our wings and to excel in our careers and he was there to support us every step of the way. He never let us down and he was always there to give us an encouraging word and a smile along the way. Even though we will miss him, I take comfort in the fact that God has called him to his eternal home to fulfill an even higher calling. Cyprian lived a long and a very fulfilling life and I'm eternally grateful for that even though I'm going to miss him terribly. Cyprian, my mentor and role model.

Bonnie Heath - April 19, 2020 at 01:30 AM

SA

“ My deepest condolences and prayers for the family of Mr. Vicars. He was a great mentor to many during our time working for the State of Georgia.

Susan Anderson - April 17, 2020 at 09:09 PM

TV

“ Will miss Cyprian very much, great memories!



Tracie Anderson Velar - April 17, 2020 at 03:57 PM

AM

First time I formally met Cyprian Vicars. I was a young lad Altar Serving at the Funeral Services of his Beloved Wife Margaret Vicars. I can remember the day like it was yesterday. And then there after on his frequent visit to St. Croix. At some point he became Uncle Cypie. Rest in Peace Uncle Cypie. The Heavenly Chorus with the Cherubins and Seraphims awaits your melodious voice of thunder and Praise. I will miss your words of wisdom and you many, many, many, stories of your Glory days in Frederiksted. Published and unpublished. Especially with Belgian Nuns (Mother Constantina.) The Salve, Salve Regina which you loved and knew by heart. I thank God for knowing you as we shared our musical talents together. And as recent as last year you sang with the Parish Choir as I played the organ at your home Parish Church St. Patrick's Church in Frederiksted St. Croix. Servant of God well done...

Alvin Milligan - April 20, 2020 at 07:04 PM

AM

God be with you until we meet again

Alvin Milligan - April 20, 2020 at 07:05 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Cyprian A. Vicars.



April 17, 2020 at 02:38 PM

RE

“ Cyprian was a kind and good-natured gentleman. It was a privilege to work with him at Child Support. His family is in my prayers.

Russell Eastman - April 17, 2020 at 02:25 PM

AB

“ *Sending prayers to the family of Cyprian. I have fond memories of him during the years that he worked with all of us at the Division of Child Support Services.*

Angelo Bonito

Angelo Bonito - April 17, 2020 at 01:13 PM