



Steven Beauford

February 13, 1959 - February 19, 2024

Steven A. Beauford, 65, of Stockton, Georgia was a cherished husband, devoted father, and doting grandfather. His legacy of love, service, and warmth will forever remain in the hearts of those who knew him. Steven was a resident of Brandywine, Maryland and transitioned from labor to reward on February 19, 2024. He was born February 13, 1959, in Homerville, Georgia, to the late James E. and Johnnie B. Beauford.

Steven's journey was marked by remarkable achievements. He graduated from Lanier County High School in 1977 and then embarked on a distinguished military career. Early in his Army career he was stationed in Kaiserslautern, Germany where he met Silvia, the love of his life. To this union two children were born, Tanja and Sarah. During his service in the U.S. Army, he was stationed in Germany and Ft. Bragg, North Carolina. His dedication earned him numerous accolades, including the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, Kuwait Liberation Medal, and the NATO Medal.

After retiring as a Sergeant First Class with nearly 22 years of service, Steven continued his impactful work in civil service. For another 22 years, he contributed to various roles in Germany, Maryland, and finally in Washington, D.C., where he retired in 2021 from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Once

he retired, he spent his time with his family and cycling.

Steven leaves to cherish his memories his wife of almost 45 years, Silvia I. Beauford; daughters, Tanja V. Beauford-Vernon (Shaun) and Sarah L. Jenkins; granddaughters, Tatyanna Jenkins and Kennedy Kiev; grandsons, Christian Vernon and Matthew Vernon; brother, William E. Beauford, Sr. (Deborah); two uncles, Jimmy Williams and Michael Williams (Carl Ann); one aunt Francelon Forehand, several cousins, nieces, nephews, relatives, in-laws, and sorrowing friends. He was preceded in death by two brothers, James E. Beauford, Jr. and Jesse C. Beauford, and one sister, Bettie D. Roberts. May he rest in eternal peace.

Celebration of Life Service will be held on THURSDAY, March 7, 2024 at 10:00AM at our South DeKalb Chapel, Rev. Robert Maddox, Jr., Officiating. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, March 6th from 12:00PM - 8:00PM; Family Hour 6:00PM-8:00PM. Interment will take place at Georgia National Cemetery, Canton, GA.

In lieu of flowers, please send your donations here: <https://fundraise.nmdp.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.participant&participantID=12934>

Celebration of Life Services for Steven Beauford will be held on Thursday, March 7, 2024 at 10AM. These services will be recorded and streamed live. If the event is interrupted at any time due to technical issues, the entire event will be uploaded and available to view later in the day. Please copy and paste the link to share, or simply click on the link to view the event.

<https://vimeo.com/event/4133049>

Graveside Celebration of Life Services for Steven Beauford will be held on

Thursday March 7, 2024 at 2PM. These services will be recorded and streamed live. If the event is interrupted at any time due to technical issues, the entire event will be uploaded and available to view later in the day. Please copy and paste the link to share, or simply click on the link to view the event.

<https://vimeo.com/event/4136061>

Please express your condolences here on our website. Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory 4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy, Decatur, GA 30034; 404.241.5656

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Drive
Canton, GA 30114

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

MAR 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life Service - Live Streamed

MAR 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Burial w/ Military Honors

MAR 7. 2:00 PM - 2:15 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Steven Beauford*



Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, Inc. - March 04, 2024 at 10:16 AM



“ *I met the Beauford family through working with Tanja. Through her, I've heard anecdotes about your family. You are good people and part of your legacy is having raised a woman who has cultivated herself into being a solid, reliable and highly respected soul, who has made a name for herself, which reflects well on you all.*

I pray that you each sense God's grace and mercy along your altered path. I pray that you take respite in our Savior, Jesus. And I pray that you all listen to the Holy Spirit and are enveloped in peace.

Tavane Moore - April 02, 2024 at 10:30 PM



“ *EP Dills purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Steven Beauford.*



EP Dills - March 06, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Steven Beauford.



March 05, 2024 at 09:13 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear about the passing of my good military brother Steve. We had some great times together in and out of the uniform while living in Germany. My prayers and condolences goes out to the family and Steve will be truly missed. God Bless 🙏

Greg Kelly - March 01, 2024 at 03:01 PM



“ My Condolences to the family
Oscar McMillan (Mac)



OscarMcMillan (Mac) - March 01, 2024 at 01:17 PM



“ Steven, you will be missed more than you know. I Loved being your sister-in-law. We had some shareable memories. My Prayers are with Family and may you Rest in Peace. I Pray God's arms are wrapped around the Family and God's comfort and strength be with Family. Love, Linda Beauford

Linda Beauford - March 01, 2024 at 09:27 AM

TB

“ *My husband and I attended Lanier County High School with Steven. He was a few years ahead of me but I remember him being a gentle giant. He had a kind spirit. Our prayers are with his family and friends during this difficult time. We pray that God’s strength and comfort surrounds you all. Also that when you think of Steven and smile your memories will help pull you through the rough days.*



Tina Weldon Benjamin - March 01, 2024 at 08:14 AM

WC

“ *My Condolences, Rest in Peace Soldier, So many Memories in Kaiserslautern Germany
SFC Walter R Carter Jr
Atlanta Georgia*

Walter Carter - February 29, 2024 at 11:14 PM

DB

“ *Steven You will be missed, it was a pleasure knowing you and having you as a brother in law. I will be sure to look after Gene for you. Rest in peace*

Deborah Beauford - February 29, 2024 at 10:24 PM

KF

“ COUSIN, YOU ARE IN GOD'S HANDS, BUT THE LOVE AND MEMORIES WE SHARED AS KIDS WILL LIVE ON FOREVER IN MY HEART! LINKED FROM GRANDPA'S HOUSE, TO YOUR PARENTS HOUSE, TO MY HOUSE, TO THE FAMILY CHURCH! OH, THE POWER OF FAMILY AND FRIENDSHIP ROLLED UP INTO ONE! YOU WERE MY COUSIN BY BLOOD, BUT YOU WERE MY FRIEND BY CHOICE! I WILL MISS YOU FOREVER!!! LOVE YA!!! AND THANK YOU FOR SERVING AND PROTECTING OUR COUNTRY!!! YOUR COUSIN FROM FLORIDA, KALLYNN MAXWELL FLORENCE(IN YOUR VOICE)!!! SMILE!!!



Karolyn M Florence(Cousin) - February 29, 2024 at 05:36 PM

GE

“ Our deepest condolences to you and your family 🌹 much love and care from Gloria, Shronda, Josiah the Smith and Edwards family💔💔
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Gloria Edwards - February 29, 2024 at 03:56 PM

PB

Rest in peace Cable Dog. I know you're in Heaven Wiring up the Prayers rooms for The Most High.

Pattie Brown - February 29, 2024 at 07:30 PM

HM

My condolences to the family; a truly and friendly person who will be missed. Gone too soon but not forgotten. Only GOD knows our beginning and end. A true military brother and friend. May you rest in peace.

Howard McKinney (Mac)

Howard McKinney - March 04, 2024 at 11:00 AM

VA

Hey I'm Christian Vernon the grandson of Steven Beauford I lovve him and he will never be forgotten

Vernon, Christian A - April 20 at 10:40 AM