



## William Marvin Crockett

October 7, 1929 - March 9, 2025

William M. Crockett, born to Cecil A. and Nina H. Crockett on October 7, 1929, died peacefully in his home surrounded by the love of his family on March 8, 2025.

Bill joined the Army National Guard in 1947 and was active for 17 years. He was also a member of American Legion, Bluefield Post #9. Bill was a member of the Bluefield Lions Club for 70 years, joining the day he married his beautiful wife in 1955. He was the President of the Lions Club from 2013 to 2014.

He worked in the health system in West Virginia and Virginia, and was a great inspiration and leader in many projects that helped create better lives for many in the Bluefield and Wytheville areas. He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Bluefield.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Shirley Crockett, son, Billy Crockett; daughter, Margaret Crockett; grandson, David A Crockett, Jr; brother-in-law, Gordon Byrd; and nephew, Michael S. Byrd.

Survivors include one son, David A. Crockett of Bluefield, WV; daughter, Nina Crockett Dickson and husband Michael of Stevensville, MD; one sibling, Norma C. Byrd of Sarasota Florida; five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and a great-great grandfather. He was loved and admired by his family and all who knew him and will be greatly missed.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, March 15, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at Trinity United Methodist. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the service hour. A private burial will take place at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Princeton.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Amedisys Hospice Care or to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery

450 Courthouse Rd  
Princeton, WV 24740

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity United Methodist Church  
401 College Avenue  
Bluefield, WV 24701

## Funeral Service

MAR 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity United Methodist Church  
401 College Avenue  
Bluefield, WV 24701

# Tribute Wall



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
May your memories of William Marvin Crockett, give you peace, comfort and strength...  
  
Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten...  
My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....  
  
US Army National Guard Veteran, William Marvin Crockett, is “A True American Hero” God Bless †  
  
† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - March 14, 2025 at 05:41 AM

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“ *Nina and David,  
So sorry to hear about your father passing. He lived a long and fulfilling life. your families will be in my thoughts and prayers.  
Greg Spry  
Roanoke, VA*

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**Greg Spry** - March 13, 2025 at 10:15 AM