



## Arnold Junior Shortt

October 25, 1926 - February 12, 2014

Arnold Junior Shortt, age 87, of Winchester, Virginia, formerly of Richlands, Virginia, passed away Wednesday, February 12, 2014 in Winchester Virginia.

Mr. Shortt was born October 25, 1926 in Buchanan County, Virginia to the late Floyd and Mandy Whitt Shortt. He worked as a coal miner for 14 years, served as a sergeant in the Army, followed by many years as a commercial drywall contractor in Washington DC. He was married to Janie Lee Osborne in 1957 until her death in 1991. In retirement, he enjoyed church, gardening, his dogs and his grandchildren. After the death of his wife, Mr. Shortt moved back to Richlands for 13 years. Eight years ago, Mr. Shortt moved back to the DC area to be with his children and grandchildren. In addition to his parents and his wife, he was preceded in death by sisters, Pearl Blankenship, Grace Bucklen, and Rose Arwood; three brothers, Earl, Vervie, and Ervin Shortt, and two infant siblings, Bella and Velvie Shortt.

Survivors are:

Daughter, Joan Cheney of Aberdeen, MD

Sons:

Brian Keith Shortt of Frederick, MD

Dale Shortt of Cross Junction, VA

Sister: Gertie Reba Mosley of Richlands, Virginia

Six grandchildren and two great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services for Arnold Junior Shortt will be conducted Monday, February 17, 2014 at 11:00am at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Arvil Arwood, Rev. Phillip Horton, and Rev. Bob Osborne officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. Friends may call after 6:00pm Sunday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. It is the family's request that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to: Feeding America Southwest Virginia, P.O. Box 2579, Abingdon, VA 24212. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 16. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home  
1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Service

FEB 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Arnold Junior Shortt*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Arnold Junior Shortt*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Arnold Junior Shortt.*



February 16, 2014 at 09:06 AM



“ *Uncle Junior was such a sweet gentle man. Remembering when all of you would come up to Cleveland to visit us. I know Dad always loved keeping in touch with him.*

*Love you all,  
Rhonda, Tom, & Lynn Shortt*

**rhonda shortt** - February 15, 2014 at 08:17 AM

Cg  
Brown

“ *Cg Brown lit a candle in memory of Arnold Junior Shortt*



Cg Brown - February 14, 2014 at 11:23 PM



“ *Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Arnold Junior Shortt*



Carolyn Pyles - February 14, 2014 at 04:27 PM

DN

“ *This gentle man,was a great part of my families life.I have so many sweet memories of him and Aunt Janie.Maybe there up there doing the waltz.. He could be catching up with brothers,sisters & friends.Love you all and I feel very privilege to be part of this family.*

debbie norton - February 14, 2014 at 09:49 AM

DC

“ *May GOD bless the family in this sorrow*



DeAndre Clemons - February 14, 2014 at 09:30 AM

WA

“ *W.H. Walston co. & the National Gallery Art purchased the Rays of Light Spray for the family of Arnold Junior Shortt.*



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**W.H. Walston co. & the National Gallery Art** - February 14, 2014 at 08:37 AM

TS

“ *I had many great memories with the man. Playing pool and pinball games. One of my best times was spent with him and his wife. They are now together and can rest and caught up on all the year they were not together. Love and miss them forever.*

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**Tanya Scrogam** - February 13, 2014 at 08:54 PM

AC

“ *I love you so much Papa! I miss you!*

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**Amanda Cheney** - February 13, 2014 at 05:48 PM

KE

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**Keith** - February 13, 2014 at 03:39 PM

TS

*We'll miss him so much. Tell all up in heaven I said hello and I love them and miss them.*

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**Tanya Scrogam** - February 13, 2014 at 08:48 PM

DN

*Kieth know you and yours are in my heart and prayers..Your family was a big part of our life growing up.Even if we don,t talk as much or visit with each other often,  
.Please know I love my cousins. Debbie*

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**debbie norton** - February 14, 2014 at 10:00 AM