



## Charles A. Turpin

August 8, 2019

Maj. Charles A. Turpin (USMC, retired), age 93, died peacefully August 8, 2019, while surrounded by his family at Fairfax Hospital. He was born December 28, 1925, in Georgia to Charles Noel Turpin and Florida Evans Turpin. In March 1943, Charles enlisted in the Marine Corps and began his career in service to our country. He served aboard the USS Boxer (CV-21) during the Korean War. Following assignments in China, Okinawa, North Carolina, Virginia, and California, Charles retired from the Marines in 1966 and moved his family to Maryland where he was employed as a technical writer for RCA, Xerox Data Systems, and G.E. for many years.

Charles was an avid reader, a history buff, a whiz at all things involving computers and electronic devices and became the family's amazing deejay during his later years as he provided a surprisingly wide-ranging selection of music to entertain friends and family during family gatherings, parties, and special events. He loved his large blended family and was deeply loved and cherished in return by all of them.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Wilbur Turpin, his first wife Adella Ramirez Turpin, his son David P. Turpin, and his step-son Roger Y. Gomez.

Charlie is survived by his loving wife, Maria Amaya Turpin; his children, William Turpin, Joseph (Melanie) Turpin, Sofia (David) Dubinsky, Michael Turpin; his step-children, Mariflor Montiel, Gloria Gomez, Pedro (Consuelo) Gomez, Nicholas Gomez, Maybelis (Manuel) Fernandez, and Frank Trevino; his sister Betty Howell, his brother James Turpin, as well as numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great great grandchildren.

The family will receive visitors from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Thursday, August 15 at Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, 3200 Golansky Boulevard, Woodbridge, VA. 22192. Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. on Friday, August 16 at Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church, 13752 Mary's Way, Woodbridge, VA 22191. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery January 14, 2020 at 11 a.m..

# Cemetery Details

**Arlington National Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Viewing

**AUG 15.** 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.  
3200 Golansky Blvd.  
Woodbridge, VA 22192  
703-878-CARE (2273)  
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

### Mass of Christian Burial

**AUG 16.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church  
13752 Mary's Way  
Woodbridge, VA 22191

# Tribute Wall



“ *Charles A. Turpin*

January 12, 2023 at 12:00 PM



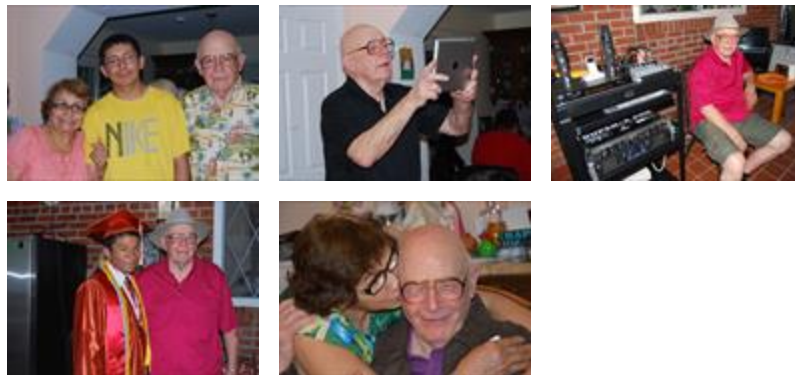
“ *Melanie lit a candle in memory of Charles A. Turpin*



**Melanie** - December 03, 2019 at 10:38 PM



“ *9 files added to the album Memories Album*



**Diana Dickman** - August 16, 2019 at 02:23 PM



“ Mike & Resa Downs purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charles A. Turpin.



Mike & Resa Downs - August 14, 2019 at 11:33 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Charles A. Turpin.



August 14, 2019 at 04:18 PM



“ 77 files added to the album Life Tributes



Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc. - August 14, 2019 at 03:42 PM

JL

“ Joe, Melanie, and Laura purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Charles A. Turpin.



Joe, Melanie, and Laura - August 14, 2019 at 02:57 PM

GA

“ Greg EJ Ryan Tim JRod Brad Chuck White Kyle Andy purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Charles A. Turpin.



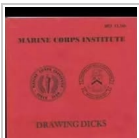
Greg EJ Ryan Tim JRod Brad Chuck White Kyle Andy - August 14, 2019 at 11:41 AM

JT

“ James T Turpin purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Charles A. Turpin.



James T Turpin - August 14, 2019 at 10:55 AM



“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Chip Turpin - August 14, 2019 at 09:11 AM



“ *David, Sofia & Your Loving Granddaughters purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Charles A. Turpin.*



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**David, Sofia & Your Loving Granddaughters** - August 13, 2019 at 11:38 PM



“ *A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Charles A. Turpin.*



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August 13, 2019 at 06:41 PM