



## Emmett Russa Gorum

Norfolk— Emmett “Russa” Gorum, 72, of the 700 block of Little Creek Road, departed this life on Saturday, March 31, 2007. He was born in Northampton Co., VA to the late Alexander and Alethia Gorum. Mr. Gorum was predeceased by one daughter, Loretta Cooper, two brothers; Brutus and Everett Gorum, and one sister; Eva Vincent.

Mr. Gorum retired from the United States Air Force and Norshipco.

Mr. Gorum leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Mrs. Laura Gorum; five sons, Andre, Briceson, Michael, Terrence, and Marche’; one daughter, Dionne M. Everett; six sisters; three brothers; eighteen grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Also left to cherish his memory is a special friend, Gail Henderson.

Viewing will be on Saturday, April 7, 2007, from 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM, at the funeral home. A life celebration service will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at 12:00 PM at the funeral home chapel with Pastor Richard Michael Burton of Solid Rock Baptist Church officiating. Final disposition will be private. The family has entrusted J. T. Fisher Funeral Services, located at 1080 North George Washington Hwy., Chesapeake, VA., to handle the final care arrangements. The family will be receiving guests at 501 Hunters Bridge Drive in Chesapeake.

Condolences can be offered to the family at [www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com](http://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com).