



## SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton

November 28, 1942 - January 18, 2022

SFC (Ret) Ellis “Leroy” Lofton, 79, of St. Robert, MO, passed away Tuesday, January 18, 2022 in his home.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 25, 2022 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert. Burial with military honors will follow in the Waynesville Memorial Park Cemetery of Waynesville.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Monday, January 24, 2022 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

SFC (Ret) Lofton is survived by his wife: Lois Lofton of the home; four children: James Lofton of Waynesville, MO, Billy Lofton (Cheryl) of St. Robert, MO, Jeff Lofton of Waynesville, MO, and Julie Romans of St. Robert, MO; sixteen grandchildren; twenty-one great grandchildren: one brother: Chester Lofton of Bossier, LA; two sisters: Linda Lofton of Bossier, LA, and Faye Brannan of Blanchard, LA; several nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of SFC (Ret) Lofton and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.



# Cemetery Details

## Waynesville Memorial Park

Waynesville, MO 65583

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

## Funeral Service

JAN **25**. 11:00 AM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

# Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - January 25, 2022 at 02:50 PM

LN

*Beautiful Memorial Tribute.*

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**Linda Nicks** - January 26, 2022 at 03:38 PM



“ *SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*

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January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM

PC

“ *Pamela Cox lit a candle in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



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**Pamela Cox** - February 01, 2022 at 12:17 PM

AC

“ Bill and I just want to express our condolences to the family of Leroy Lofton. I knew him first as a custodian for our Pick Elementary School where I taught, before it became Wood. He was always smiling, working hard to keep our school polished, and friendly to everyone. He retired before I did, but lived a good long life. I enjoyed conversation with him as he worked. We have seen him since at the pharmacy on post or in front of the post office. It was always great to pick up where we left off with friendly conversation. We will be praying for his family as you adjust to missing him on this earth. I am very sure he is at peace with our Lord now.



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**Annette Catts** - January 29, 2022 at 11:46 PM

TW

“ Tammy Wheeling lit a candle in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton



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**Tammy Wheeling** - January 26, 2022 at 07:46 PM

DB

“ Dianne Bailey lit a candle in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton



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**Dianne Bailey** - January 26, 2022 at 02:39 PM



“ 85 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - January 25, 2022 at 02:03 PM

MB

“ Leroy was a custodian in the building where I taught at Waynesville schools. He was very kind and caring. His ability to overcome obstacles was always an inspiration to me. I will always treasure my friendship with Leroy and his family.

*Prayers*

*Marie Brown*

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**Marie Brown** - January 25, 2022 at 01:57 PM

BF

“ Bill Farnham lit a candle in memory of SFC  
(Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton



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**Bill Farnham** - January 22, 2022 at 10:38 AM

LH

“ *Your community will miss you. Fly high, Sargent.*  
*Luge Hardman*

**Luge Hardman** - January 22, 2022 at 10:31 AM

PG

“ *Pulaski County Camp Gideons lit a candle in  
memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



**Pulaski County Camp Gideons** - January 20, 2022 at 11:41 PM

MT

“ *Leroy was a friend of ours at Waynesville Church of the Nazarene.  
He and Lois always had Grandchildren with them, making sure they  
knew about Jesus. Sometimes they'd fill the whole church pew  
sometimes only a couple of them. If they were with Leroy you could  
bet he'd get them to church! He loved God and his family beyond  
words. He will be greatly missed. Sending lots of prayers for the  
Lofton family.*

**Michaelle Trottier** - January 20, 2022 at 08:21 PM

LS

“ *Larry Schrecengost lit a candle in memory of  
SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



**Larry Schrecengost** - January 20, 2022 at 03:57 PM

JW

“ Julie, Lois, I’m so very sorry for your loss! He was such a sweet man! I’ll always remember his smile! I just thought he was the cutest thing :) my heart is with you although I can’t be there. I’ve always thought of and loved you guys as family!!! Sending my prayers and lots of love out to all of you!  
Love , Jamie

jamie woody - January 20, 2022 at 02:15 PM

ES

“ Ernie & Tami Snodgrass lit a candle in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton



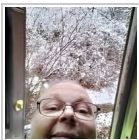
Ernie & Tami Snodgrass - January 20, 2022 at 09:27 AM

MC

“ Rest easy Soldier. May the Good Lord bless this family and heal their pains...



Michael K. Campbell - January 20, 2022 at 07:25 AM



“ Leroy... Was my neighbor for 10 years. Always had a smile and a wave when he saw me or a conversation. I sure will miss you. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE AND FRIENDSHIP. RIP you deserve it. To the whole family I'm sending prayers.



Janice Livingston-Rivard - January 20, 2022 at 03:04 AM

MM

“ *Lois and family so sorry to hear of Mr. Loftons passing. We always saw him at the post office, sitting on the bench greeting everyone that passed by him and would smile and talk about how life was so great. I will miss him so. The memories will always be in my heart. Rest in peace DEAR friend.*



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**Michael and Crystal Mosier** - January 19, 2022 at 11:26 PM

RM

“ *Lois & family you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Hugs. Love you. Red & Crystal Mosier*



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**Red & Crystal Mosier** - January 19, 2022 at 11:11 PM

EK

“ *Evelyn Keen lit a candle in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



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**Evelyn Keen** - January 19, 2022 at 09:36 PM

LH

“ *All my love to my friends. Such a sad time. Luge*

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**Luge Hardman** - January 19, 2022 at 06:02 PM

LC

“ *Linda Cole-schonbok sent a virtual gift in memory of SFC (Ret) Ellis Leroy Lofton*



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**linda cole-schonbok** - January 19, 2022 at 04:49 PM