

**Clifford Gordon**

Clifford Gordon, 74, of Welaka, died Monday at Putnam Community Medical Center following a brief illness.

He was a lifelong resident of Welaka. After retiring from the Postal Service in Washington, D.C., in 1989, he moved back to Welaka. He was a Navy veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Vera Mae Gordon.

Survivors are his daughters, Joan Turman of Oxen Hill, Md., Clareth Webster of Washington, D.C., Marietta (Curtis) Richardson of Camp Spring, Md., Veronica (Morris) Campbell of Landover, Md.; sons, Larry L. Gordon of Hawaii, Ronnie L. Gordon of Arlington, Va. and Chris L. (Marie) Gordon of Landover, Md.; sister, Ella Mae Walker of Welaka; brothers, David Gordon and Aron Gordon, both of Welaka; 17 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, 1 p.m. from Damascus Baptist Church, Welaka with Rev. Charlie Shivers, Pastor officiating. Burial will follow in Welaka-Georgetown Cemetery in Welaka.

D. A. Boyd and Sons Funeral Home in Palatka is handling arrangements.

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