



Edward Earl Nesbit

May 30, 1926 - February 14, 2017

Edward Earl Nesbit, age 90, of Salisbury passed away Tuesday, February 14, 2017 at his residence.

Mr. Nesbit was born May 30, 1926 of Rowan County a son of the late Oscar Talmage Nesbit and Mary America Wetmore Nesbit. He was a graduate of Woodleaf High School. Ed was a Veteran of the US Navy serving in WWII. He worked for McLean Trucking for 33 years and he worked in maintenance at Salisbury Lumber Company. He was a member of Spencer Masonic Lodge and Concord United Methodist Church in Mocksville. Ed and his wife Dorothy were some of the founding members of the Ellis Saddle Club. Ed and Dot were longtime summer residents of Myrtle Beach.

Preceding him in death was his wife Dorothy Beck Nesbit whom he married June 19, 1948 and died April 25, 2005.

Those left to cherish his memories are his sons Gary Nesbit (Diane) of Salisbury and Tim Nesbit (Jian Wei) of Lake Norman; daughter Gail Nesbit Elwood (David) of Mocksville; sister Jane Gatewood of Asheville; grandchildren Spenser Nesbit, Jeffrey Nesbit and Matthew Howser.

Visitation: 11-12:00 PM Saturday, February 18, at Summersett Funeral Home.

Memorial Service: 12:00 PM, February 18, at Summersett Memorial Chapel conducted by Pastor Arnold Gosnell with burial to follow at Rowan Memorial Park with Military Honors.

Memorials: Hospice and Palliative Care of Rowan County, 720 Grove St., Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Nesbit family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Summersett Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Edward Earl Nesbit*



Summersett Funeral Home and Cremation Center - February 20, 2017 at 02:39 PM

LD

“ *Our thought and prayers to all of Uncle Ed's family. With many wonderful memories of him . Sincerely, Sherman and Linda*

Linda Dunn - March 11, 2017 at 01:58 PM

CH

“ *Connie Honbarrier lit a candle in memory of Edward Earl Nesbit*



Connie Honbarrier - February 24, 2017 at 07:16 AM

TW

“ I can often remember being at my grandma's house, Nan Nesbit Howard, when Uncle Ed would stop by and tell her, "Sis, I've got you something." Well, if you knew my grandma she liked her country ham and Uncle Ed knew where to get the BEST country ham. Getting to have a visit from younger brother, coupled with his country ham just made her day! Our deepest condolences to the rest family. Wish we could be there, but work on Friday and medical procedure on Monday won't permit the trip from Florida. Our love and prayers. Uncle Ed knew me first as granny's "Little Tommy Tittle" from FL and she'd tell me the story she told him and his siblings growing up. Aka Clara's son Tommy Walker. Mom's not tech savvy, but she too sends her deepest condolences, love and prayers. Her memory to share was when she lived in Mocksville on Main St and Uncle Ed would stop by for a cup of coffee and a short visit on his way home from McClean trucking.

Thomas Walker - February 16, 2017 at 07:38 PM

MR

Sweet!

Martha Rollins - February 21, 2017 at 10:49 AM

CH

I worked with Ed years ago at Salisbury Lumber Company. He always had a smile and kind words for everyone. He wasn't just a colleague, he was a friend, and we shared many laughs. He was a good soul, and I know he is in Heaven now. Bless you, Ed. Rest in peace, my friend.

Connie Honbarrier - February 24, 2017 at 07:20 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Earl Nesbit.* ”



February 16, 2017 at 11:05 AM