



Frank Orthel

September 3, 1919 - July 5, 2009

Frank Orthel Jr., 89, of Spencer died Sunday July 5, 2009 at the North Carolina Veterans Nursing Home.

Mr. Orthel was born September 3, 1919 in Archie Missouri to the late Pearl Opal Day and Frank Orthel Sr.

Frank was a staff sergeant in the U.S. Army during WWII. He worked at Senco in sales, and Brendle's, Salisbury/Rowan Visitor Center, also helped with Meals on Wheels.

Frank was a member of Spencer Presbyterian Church, he also belonged to the American Legion, Moose Lodge, North Rowan Boosters, was also active at Corbin Hills Golf Club.

Mr. Orthel is survived by his wife Carolyne G. Orthel, two sons Frank L. Orthel (Beth) of Greensboro, NC, Steve Orthel of Winston-Salem, two daughters Sara Hoffman (Michael) of Mebane, NC, Susan Daugherty (Derron) of Asheville, NC, one sister Dorothy Cary of Missouri, and three grandchildren Andy, and Natalie Daugherty and Will Hoffman and several nieces and nephews

Graveside service will be held at 10 am Wednesday July 8 2009 at the

National Cemetery with military rites. Rev Larry Ayres and Rev. Ruth Lenger will be officiating.

Visitation will follow the service at the Orthel home.

Memorials may be made to Meals on Wheels of Rowan Inc. P.O. Box 1914
Salisbury, NC 28145.

Tribute Wall



“ Susan - I was trying to find you when I found your father's obit. I am so sorry. Your father was so sweet. I lost my dad Aug 2007.

Love - Judy###imported-begin##Judy Rathbone Klimek###imported-end##

November 09, 2009 at 12:27 PM



“ To Steve...I happened on your Daddy's obituary quite by chance. I'm so sorry to learn of his passing. I loved the picture - what a sweet face. Knew right away this was your dad. My Daddy also passed away this year, March 3, at the NC Veteran's Home. He was a Navy vet. He is buried at Rowan Memorial Park in the Veteran's Field of Honor section. May God bless your family as you move on with life without your Daddy.

Lisa###imported-begin##Lisa Eagle Shuping###imported-end##

July 31, 2009 at 11:47 AM



“ Jim and I were saddened to learn of your father's passing, Steve. Please know that we are thinking of you and your family.

Love and prayers,
Sharon and Jim###imported-begin##Sharon Applegate and Jim Scott###imported-end##

July 07, 2009 at 08:45 AM



“ I was so sorry to hear of Frank's passing. My heartfelt sympathy to the entire family during this time of loss.##imported-begin##Dean Sharpe##imported-end##

July 06, 2009 at 06:11 PM



“ Carol,
I was so sorry to hear about Uncle Frank. It seems like just yesterday that Grandpa Frank, Dad, Uncle Bill and Uncle Frank were at Grandma's house making ice cream and hiding out in the garae to escape the women. I regret that we di dnot com eout to visit again, but hope you and he enjoyed my phone visits. I will be thinking of you.

Love,

Jerry##imported-begin##jerry francis##imported-end##

July 06, 2009 at 01:33 PM