



George Douglas Glover Sr

June 17, 1933 - July 24, 2021

George Douglas Glover, Sr., age 88, of Salisbury passed away Saturday, July 24, 2021, at his residence surrounded by his immediate family.

George was born June 17, 1933, in Rutherford County, the son of the late Lena Elizabeth Greene Glover and James Elijah Glover. He was a 1951 graduate of Ellenboro High School, and from there he went into the Air Force, serving from 1951-1955 during the Korean War. After the Air Force, he attended North Carolina State University on the GI Bill where he received his Electrical Engineering degree in 1961. After early jobs at Florida Power and Light, and Redstone Arsenal (NASA), George worked for Fiber Industries in Rowan County for 32 years until his retirement in 1997.

George was a devoted member of John Calvin Presbyterian Church, serving as a Sessions member and led construction of their new Fellowship Hall. He loved volunteering, helping with Meals on Wheels and Rowan Helping Ministries. He also served on the boards of The United Way and The Red Cross. He was a member of the Milford Hills Lions Club where he was awarded the John Stickley Fellow. George and his wife, Blanche, were also committed to supporting Catawba College, establishing the George and Blanche Glover Endowed Scholarship to help aspiring students attend the college. George's passion was golfing, and he also enjoyed playing bridge with the couples' group, grilling, making homemade ice cream, working in the

yard, and spending time with his family and friends.

George was preceded in death by his parents, Lena and Jimmy, by 2 brothers, Larry And Henry, and by a sister, Nina. Those left to cherish his memories are his wife of 64 years, Blanche Greene Glover, whom he married February 14, 1957; a son, George Douglas Glover, Jr. (Lori) of Mt. Holly; a daughter, Tara (Ann) Glover Olsen (Don) of Bradenton, FL; and a granddaughter, Allison (Frances) Reed Haberstroh (Chris) of Otterbach, Germany.

A Graveside Service with military honors will be at 1:00 PM Thursday, August 12, 2021, at Salisbury National Cemetery, and a Memorial service of remembrance will follow at 2:00 pm at John Calvin Presbyterian Church with Rev Kate Morrison, officiating. Visitation will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to John Calvin Presbyterian Church, 1620 Brenner Ave., Salisbury, NC 28144, and to the Glenn A Kiser Hospice House, 1229 Statesville Blvd, Salisbury, NC, 28144.

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

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

John Calvin Presbyterian Church
1620 Brenner Ave.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of George Douglas Glover Sr.*



August 09, 2021 at 05:59 PM



“ *Almost 50 years of wonderful memories.
Marlow and Patsy Severin*

Marlow Severin - August 03, 2021 at 03:46 PM



“ *Very sorry to hear of George's passing. My condolences to you Mrs. Glover, Doug and the rest of the family. Growing up, George always made me smile, he was a shingling soul. May that live on through all of you as it does with me. Peace and love be with you all and may his grace shine down on you.*

Sincerely,

Ron White

Ronald White - July 31, 2021 at 04:02 PM



“ *Although I did not know Mr. Glover, I am friends with his daughter, Tara. She always spoke so highly of her Dad and shared stories of the times and love they shared. RIP, Mr. Glover, and may your family find peace in your memory.*

Sharon Wall - July 31, 2021 at 08:46 AM

VP

“ I remember well the first day George came in FII for an interview. He was tall and lanky. Our offices were downtown in the old sporting goods store since the plant was not yet finished. He had to duck to get into the dingy old room. I've heard his tales of golf as he would often stop in my office to "hide out" as he called it. Great guy, Super engineer. We retired at the same time and I would occasionally run into him and he was always George. He'll certainly be missed in the many aspects of his life and he'll always be remembered.

Vicki Pierce - July 27, 2021 at 12:42 PM

JC

“ Fond Memories of working with George at FII, always 'business'... But liked a lot of laughs too!

Jim Childers - July 27, 2021 at 09:23 AM