



Mr. Harold Watson Arthurs

December 17, 1924 - February 8, 2015

Harold Watson Arthurs, 90, of Salisbury passed away Sunday, February 08, 2015 at Novant Health Rowan Medical Center.

Born December 17, 1924 in Iredell County, he was the son of the late Ivy Jacobs Arthurs and Mary Oswald Arthurs.

He attended Iredell County schools and was a veteran of the US Army where he fought in the Pacific during World War II in the Infantry in Nagoya, Japan and was discharged in 1945.

He retired from Southern Railway after 30 years of service and worked for the W. G. Hefner VA Medical Center for several years while working also at the railroad.

He was raised on a dairy farm and always had a love for farming. Raising livestock, and cutting wood was a favorite pastime for him.

Mr. Arthurs was an active member of Community Baptist Church and was instrumental in seeing that the church buildings was erected. He was one of the founding members of their Senior Group "Makin A Difference". He did not miss a "Gaithers Show" on the television on Saturday night. He loved to listen to gospel music and preaching.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Jacqueline "Jackie" Petty Arthurs on March 15, 2014, daughter, Vickie Arthurs, sons-in law, Robie McBride and Stephen G. Loggans; sister and brother-in-law, Helen Orean Arthurs Sanders and Ben Sanders.

Those left to cherish his memory are his daughters, Judy Arthurs of Salisbury, and Joyce Arthurs Loggans of Chilhowie, VA; sister, Jessie Gwendolyn Malchom of Detroit, MI; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 – 1:30 PM Tuesday (Feb. 10) at Community Baptist Church.

Funeral service will be conducted at 1:30 PM Tuesday at Community Baptist Church with the Rev. Keith Mason, officiating. Interment will follow at Rowan Memorial Park with Military Graveside Rites conducted by the Rowan Veterans Honor Guard.

Memorials may be made to Community Baptist Church, 18 Carolina St., Salisbury, NC 28144

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 10. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Community Baptist Church
18 Carolina St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Service

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Tribute Wall

LC

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We are thinking of you and your family at this time of your loss. We remember eating with your dad at Winks. He truly was an inspiration!!
Love,
Linda, Brenda, and Evelyn*

Linda Cauble - February 12, 2015 at 08:27 PM

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Linda Cauble - February 12, 2015 at 08:18 PM

KA

“ *Hey Judy, I am so sorry for the loss of your father. Know that you have friends to help you through all this whether near or far. Kathleen Hanson (I used to do your hair). I hope that you are doing well and please contact me at kathanson50@yahoo.com. I would love to hear from you.*

Kathleen - February 09, 2015 at 09:00 PM

RC

“ *Ruth Carper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold Watson Arthurs*



ruth Carper - February 09, 2015 at 01:41 PM

JD

“ *Judy, So very sorry to hear about your father. How lucky you are to have had him so long. Know you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Julie Lentz Davis - February 09, 2015 at 07:37 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Harold Watson Arthurs.*



February 08, 2015 at 03:34 PM