



## Raymond Brooks Coggins

March 21, 1916 - February 14, 2011

Mr. Raymond "Ray" Brooks Coggins, 94, of Salisbury, died on Monday, February 14, 2011 at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.

Mr. Coggins was born on March 21, 1916 in New London, NC to the late Ben and Argie Brooks Coggins. He was owner and operator of Ray Coggins Lincoln Mercury, a car dealership in Salisbury, from the 1960's until the 1970's when he retired. He joined the Fulton Masonic Lodge #99 in 1964 and served as Lodge Master in 1967. He also was a charter member of Milford Hills Baptist Church.

Mr. Coggins was preceded in death by his wife, Kathleen Baker Coggins on February 10, 2001. A son, Benjamin Lewis Coggins and brother, Durward Coggins. He is survived by his daughter, Kathy Raye Anderson and husband Mike of Salisbury, NC; two sons, Raymond Alan Coggins and wife Beverly of Calabash, NC and Larry Frank Gregory and wife Dorothy of North Garden, VA; grandchildren: Scott Coggins Ryan and wife LeAnne of Durham, Todd Alan Coggins and wife April, of Boynton Beach, FL, Traci Coggins Stone of Charleston, SC; Corey Matthew Coggins and wife Donna of Mt Juliet, TN; Tessa Anne Gregory Sansovich and husband Neal of Charlottesville, VA; Kristy Gregory Giles and husband Griffin of North Garden, VA; nine great grandchildren; and a special friend Phyllis Parham of Salisbury, NC.

A visitation will be held from 11-12:00 Thursday (Feb 17) at Milford Hills Baptist Church. The funeral service will follow at 12:00 in the church, conducted by Rev. Jerry Allen, Pastor of Milford Hills Baptist Church. Mr. Coggins will lie in state for 1 hour prior to the service. Burial will follow the funeral service at City Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Milford Hills Baptist Church, 1238 E. Colonial Drive, Salisbury, NC 28144.

# Tribute Wall



“ To the family, I am so sorry to hear that my friend Ray Coggins has passed away. Larry Gregory you and the family have my condolences, we shared so many good times at City Motor Company, and going to the Auto Races. May God Bless and comfort the Family.

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