



Robert "Bob" Rex Davis

February 15, 1943 - March 18, 2024

Robert Rex "Bob" Davis, 81, of Woodleaf, NC passed away Monday, March 18, 2024 at The Laurels of Salisbury.

Bob was born February 15, 1943 to Irene McKinney Davis and Robert R. Davis and grandson of Johnny Robert McKinney and Lilly Gibbs McKinney. He graduated from East Hyde High School in Engelhard, NC where he was voted "Most Athletic" as a Senior. Bob joined the U.S. Army on September 13, 1963 and retired from the U.S. Army after 22 years of service on November 1, 1985. He served in Korea in 1964, Vietnam in 1966 and in Germany in 1976. He received the U.S. Gold Recruiter Badge with 3 Sapphire Stars, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Meritorious Unit Citation and the Good Conduct Medal 7th Award. Later he worked for Rowan Regional Medical Center in Public Safety for 8 years.

Bob was a member of Jerusalem Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon and was in charge of the ushers. He enjoyed fishing at the Outer Banks and training and showing his German Shepherds.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Debbie Caudill Davis; daughters, Lisa of Lexington, SC, Tina of Louisville, KY, Nicole of Lake Wylie, SC; half-brother, R. Stephen Davis of Alexandria, VA; half-sisters, Karen Davis of Alexandria, VA and Christina Ford, of Herndon, VA; 5 grandchildren; step-mother, Donna Davis of Herndon, VA; father-in-law, Harold Caudill of Salisbury; sister-in-law, Teresa Hodge (Junior) of Salisbury; brother-in-law, Andy Caudill (Sabrina) of

China Grove; nephews, Tucker Osborne (Kendall), McGuire Caudill; and niece McKenna Caudill.

A graveside service will be held 11 a.m. Monday, April 1, 2024 at the Salisbury National Cemetery with the VA Chaplain officiating. Military honors will be conducted by the U.S. Army.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date in Hyde County.

The family wishes to thank Trellis Hospice and Palliative Care and the staff at The Laurels of Salisbury, especially Kimberly and Amy. A special thank you to Peggy Brown, his homecare angel and caregiver.

Memorials may be made to Trellis Supportive Care, 301 S. Main Street, Ste 105, Salisbury, NC 28144 or the charity of the donor's choice.

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

Cemetery Details

U.S. National Cemetery

1601 Brenner Ave.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall

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“ *Daddy your really gone 📞🙏🥹 I love and miss you so much I always have*

tina sherlock (davis) - July 02, 2024 at 05:18 PM

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“ *Daddy I can't believe your gone I love and miss you so much rest in peace say hi to Mike and mom for me 🙏📞🥹*

tina sherlock (davis) - July 02, 2024 at 05:16 PM

JL

“ *Debbie,
Penny & I are so grateful for the friendship we enjoyed while we served at Jerusalem. We'll be remembering you & your family as you gather together on Monday to honor his life! We love you and are praying for you the promise of Deut 33:27 'The eternal God is your refuge, and underneath are His everlasting ARMS!'*
Jimmy & Penny Lancaster

Jimmy & Penny Lancaster - March 29, 2024 at 08:40 AM

GH

“ *Debbie, I'm so sorry to hear of Bob's passing.
Sending prayers and lots of love your way.
Glenda Hunsucker*

Glenda Hunsucker - March 27, 2024 at 11:42 PM

SF

“ Prayers for the family of Bob. He was very special to our family. We loved you Bob



Susan Lowman (Buffy) and family - March 22, 2024 at 05:28 PM

KF

“ Debbie, Sending our love and condolences during this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family! Love, Kristina Davis Ford and family

Kristina Ford - March 21, 2024 at 01:23 PM

KF

“ 1 file added to the album Bobbie Davis



Kristina Ford - March 21, 2024 at 01:15 PM

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“ Debbie,
You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time!
Love,
Hayes and Cindy Russell

Cindy Russell - March 21, 2024 at 12:09 PM

SB

“ *Debbie and family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my prayers for peace during this difficult time.*

Sandra Bruce

Sandra Bruce - March 20, 2024 at 10:00 PM