



Mr. Robert Alexander Gobbel

July 27, 1925 - May 29, 2014

Robert Alexander “Bob” Gobbel, age 88, of Spencer passed away Thursday, May 29 at Forsyth Medical Center in Winston Salem.

Bob was born July 27, 1925 in Spencer the son of the late Carl G. Gobbel and Ethel Lanning Gobbel.

Mr. Gobbel was a Veteran of the US Navy serving from 1943 until 1946 in the Pacific Theater.

Mr. Gobbel retired from Norfolk Southern Railway after 34 years of service and was a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Spencer and was a member of the Men’s Bible Class. Mr. Gobbel was a Meals on Wheels volunteer. He enjoyed traveling, and visiting with his friends at Sim’s, in Spencer.

In addition to his parents Mr. Gobbel was preceded in death by his brother Jack Gobbel.

Those left to cherish his memories are his wife Jo Ann C. Gobbel whom he married October 1949; sons Jim Gobbel (Marla) and Stan Gobbel of Spencer; daughter Tricia Finney (Chris) of Savannah, GA; two sisters Peg G. Henderson (Maurice) of Farragut, TN and Patricia G. Monroe of Spencer; grandsons Michael and Jamie Gobbel and great-grandsons Parker, Drew and

Alex Gobbel.

Visitation: 11-12 Noon Monday, June 2 at Summersett Funeral Home.

Service: 12 Noon at Summersett Memorial Chapel conducted by Rev. Franklin Myers with burial to follow at Rowan Memorial Park.

Memorials: First Baptist Church of Spencer, 215 Fifth St., Spencer, NC 28159.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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