



Roger Lee Wilson

September 28, 1936 - October 18, 2020

Roger Lee Wilson, age 84, of Cleveland passed away Sunday, October 18, 2020 at Novant Health Rowan Regional Medical Center.

Roger was born September 28, 1936 in Mitchell County NC the son of the late Helen Stewart Wilson and Willard Otto Wilson. He was a graduate of Bakersville High School, Gardner Webb College and East Tennessee State University. Mr. Wilson worked as an Industrial Arts Teacher at Davie County High School from 1965-1988 and 2 years at West Rowan High School. He was a member of Unity Presbyterian Church for over 50 years and served as an Elder. Roger enjoyed woodworking, restoring old cars, jukeboxes, and clocks. He produced antique car parts and owned R&R Antique Auto's.

Those left to cherish his memories are his wife of 64 years Kate Boone Wilson whom he married August 18, 1956; sons Matthew Lee Wilson (Sherry) of Mocksville and Wesley Kyle Wilson of Huntersville; grandchildren Katherine Nicole Wilson, Benjamin Owen Wilson and Brandon James Angell.

Graveside Service 3:00 PM Wednesday, October 21 at Unity Presbyterian Church conducted by Rev. Kevin Conley.

Memorials: In lieu of flowers send donations to Unity Presbyterian Church, PO Box 28, Woodleaf, NC 27054.

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

Cemetery Details

Unity Presbyterian Church

885 Woodleaf Barber Rd.
Woodleaf, NC

Previous Events

Graveside

OCT **21**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Woodleaf, NC

Tribute Wall



“ *Summersett Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Roger Lee Wilson*



Summersett Funeral Home and Cremation Center - October 20, 2020 at 02:49 PM



“ *Thank you Bill and Robert--*

The Wilson Family..

Wesley Wilson - October 28, 2020 at 07:46 PM



“ *Bill Brent & Robert Wright purchased the "The Old Rugged Cross 30" Rose Gold Sonnet Chime for the family of Roger Lee Wilson.*



Bill Brent & Robert Wright - October 23, 2020 at 03:44 PM

FS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Kate. I know how much I miss Daphne, so I know that you will be missing Roger a lot. Remember to get support from your family and friends. With love and best wishes,*
Francis Slate.

Francis Slate - October 23, 2020 at 11:41 AM

WW

Thanks for thinking of us..
Kate and family

wes wilson - October 25, 2020 at 11:07 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Roger Lee Wilson.*



October 21, 2020 at 07:34 AM

ST

“ *Sarah Trexler lit a candle in memory of Roger Lee Wilson*



Sarah Trexler - October 20, 2020 at 05:41 PM

WW

Thanks Sarah mom would love to hear ...from you

wes wilson - October 25, 2020 at 11:09 AM

MS

“ I was a student of Mr. Wilson's from '83-'85 and he was truly one of my all time favorite teachers. He had a sense of humor yet he was totally safety conscious. To this day, in my own woodworking shop, I can still hear him giving me safety advice as I set up my machines. I've long lost count of the times things have gone wrong but the only injury was to the piece of wood. The only time I've ever come close to a serious injury was ripping a board and the fence failed to hold due to a bad bolt. My left index finger went into the blade which, as Mr. Wilson taught me, was just high enough to cut through the board. Thanks to him teaching me that in 1983 I walked away with a painful nick and a band-aid. Thank you Mr. Wilson.... many times over. On a daily basis I use the techniques and skills he taught me. Some I have refined and some I use just as he showed me some 35 years ago. I will never forget the corner china/curio cabinet he was building for Mrs. Wilson. It was on that piece he taught me how to take a strip of wood and cut my own molding rather than go purchase it. He allowed me to not only see but to work on the only '64 & 1/2 Mustang I have ever seen. He was working on the wood panels for an old "woodie" as well. The man was a true craftsman and I count myself among the blessed to have learned by his hands. Again, thank you Mr. Wilson.... many times over. To the family I say may God bless and keep you as you mourn his passing but please know that he lives on in the lives of his students and what he was able to share with them.

Mark Smith, Class of '85

Mark Steven Smith - October 20, 2020 at 12:07 PM

WW

Thank you Mark, we appreciate your comment.

Wes Wilson - October 27, 2020 at 10:13 PM