



## Sam Finley Thomason

June 20, 1927 - January 11, 2021

Sam Finley Thomason, 93, of Salisbury, NC passed away Monday, January 11, 2021 at Elmcroft Assisted Living Center.

Sam was born June 20, 1927 in Cartersville, GA to the late Pearl Bessent Thomason and George Young Thomason. Mr. Thomason was a graduate of Spencer High School and attended Catawba College. He was a US Army Veteran. He was self-employed paint contractor and enjoyed gardening.

Mr. Thomason was a member of Franklin Presbyterian Church.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Rachael Fesperman Thomason on February 24, 2016 and brothers, George Young Thomason and T. Watson Thomason and sisters, Lucile T. Lewis, Marguerite T. Bellone and Elizabeth T. Graham; and son-in-law, H. Eugene Curlee.

Surviving are his son, Michael Finley Thomason of Salisbury, NC; daughter, Anne Thomason Curlee of Salisbury, NC; granddaughter, Laura C. Leonard (Christopher) of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; and great-grandchildren: Emma E. Leonard and Christopher (Jack) Leonard, Jr.

A Graveside Service will be held at 2 PM Thursday, January 14, at Rowan Memorial Park, conducted by Rev. John Elam.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Franklin Presbyterian Church, Missions Committee, 280 Franklin Church Road, Salisbury, NC 28147.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Thomason family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).



# Cemetery Details

## Rowan Memorial Park

4125 Franklin Comm Center Rd  
Salisbury, NC 28144  
(704) 636-8751

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Anne and Michael,  
Sam was a quiet man who demonstrated his love for the Lord in the way he treated his family, friends and church members. The immaculate care of his home and yard showed a deep love and respect for nature. I shall always cherish the old fashioned peony plants he gave me many years ago and look forward each May to see them blooming. He has joined Rachael in heaven. Praise God!*  
*Ann Link and Naomi Rice*

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**John B. Link** - January 18, 2021 at 04:49 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sam Finley Thomason.*



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January 14, 2021 at 10:57 AM