



## Thomas Herman Langford

July 29, 1930 - January 11, 2023

Thomas Herman Langford, 92, of Salisbury, NC passed away Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at his residence.

Mr. Langford was born July 29, 1930 in Sopchoppy, FL to the late Herman Langford and Clemmie Edna Brown Langford. He was a graduate of Mars Hills College Class of 1950 with a degree in Engineering then graduated from Tennessee Polytechnic Institute in 1956 with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering Chemistry. Mr. Langford served in the Army from 1951-1954 as a Sergeant. He worked as a chemical engineer for 35 years at Radford Army Ammunition Plant.

Mr. Langford was a member of First United Methodist Church of Salisbury. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Barbara Ann Benson Langford on November 19, 2019 and a son, Thomas William Langford.

Left to cherish his memory are his sons, Gary Langford and wife Brandi and Glenn Langford and wife Patty; daughter, Druanne Marbry; brother, James Langford and wife Linda; sister, Mary Bedford and husband David; grandchildren: Megann Marbry, Michelle (Michael) Oketcho, Miranda Marbry, Thomas Langford, Andrew Langford, Matthew Langford, and Alexandria Langford; and two great-grandchildren: Micah and Isaac Oketcho.

The family will receive friends from 3-4:30 PM Saturday (Jan. 14) at Summersett Funeral Home.

A graveside service will be held at 1 PM Sunday (Jan 15) at Woodleaf United

Methodist Church, the memorial service will follow at 2 PM at First United Methodist Church, officiated by Dr. Mark Conforti.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Thomas William Langford Scholarship Fund at High Point University, One University Parkway, High Point, NC 27268; First United Methodist Church of Salisbury, 217 S. Church St., Salisbury, NC 28144 or Woodleaf United Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, PO BOX 299, Woodleaf, NC 27054.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Woodleaf United Methodist Church Cemetery

9000 Church Street  
Woodleaf, NC 27054

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 14. 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home  
1315 W. Innes St.  
Salisbury, NC 28144  
(704) 633-2111  
<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

## Graveside Service

JAN 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

Woodleaf United Methodist Church  
Woodleaf, NC

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sending Prayers and praying for comfort for all of you in the days ahead. I remember meeting Tom and he was always a kind man and was proud of his family. Love & Light ~ Lesley Williams & family.*

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**Lesley Williams** - January 14, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Herman Langford.*



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January 13, 2023 at 11:47 AM

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“ *I can't share just one memory because Tom and Barbara were my heart. I am just at a loss of words. I will miss his chuckle, our conversations, his gentle style and his handsome face. Our Bridge days and October feast gatherings were wonderful Christian times spent together. I will miss making you the Apple pie you enjoyed right up to leaving us to go home. You will live in my heart knowing you are now at peace and with the love of your life, Barbara. I love you, Sally*

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**Sally Giles Morris** - January 12, 2023 at 11:26 PM

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“ *Patty, Glenn, and family, I'm so very sorry. Oh , how I loved Barbara and Tom. All of the accolades of kindness, compassionate, generous, passionate about children, the love of watching sports on TV- oh how I loved to come visit Barbara and then end up watching football with Tom. Tom was wise and loved to give me tidbits of his wisdom and then chuckle to himself. He will greatly be missed. I'm so blessed to have some special memories to hold in my heart, Love to your family.*

*Laura Collins*

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**Laura Collins** - January 12, 2023 at 09:30 PM

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“ *Patty and Family, so very sorry to hear of Mr. Tom's passing. Tom and Ms. Barbara were such wonderful, kind, thoughtful, and caring neighbors of our mom - real good people! Mom loved your parents and thought the world of them; we are so blessed to have them in Mom's life. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May God give you peace and healing. Love, Cindy & Chris Wagner*

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**Cindy Chambers** - January 12, 2023 at 03:36 PM