



## Mr Walter M. Hawkins

April 10, 1933 - July 5, 2014

Mr. Walter M. Hawkins, 81 of Spencer passed away, Saturday, July 5, 2014 at his home. He was born April 9, 1933 in Spencer to the late Husie Lanning Hawkins and Hoyle Hawkins Sr. Walter graduated from Spencer High School, and then served in the U.S. Army during Korean War.

Walter retired from the W.G. Bill Hefner VA Medical Center after many years of service. He was a member of First Baptist church in Spencer for more than 50 years, he served as a deacon, Sunday School teacher, and sang in the choir.

Preceding him in death, his brothers, Hoyle Hawkins Jr., Lawrence, Bobby, and Wesley Hawkins, a sister Shirley Stewart, infant Great- granddaughter Haley Marie and daughter-in-law Angela Hawkins.

Those left to cherish his memory, his wife Elizabeth Hawkins whom he married June 16, 1957, four sons, Mike Hawkins and wife Kaye of China Grove, Tony Hawkins and wife Tonya of Salisbury, Joe Hawkins and fiancée Connie Wilson of Spencer, Scott Hawkins (Laurel Mason of Greensboro) of Spencer, nine grandchildren and 11 Great-grandchildren.

Memorial service will be held at 12:30 PM Wednesday (July 9) at First Baptist Church of Spencer, burial will follow at Salisbury National Cemetery with Military Honors.

Visitation: will be from 11-12:30 PM Wednesday at First Baptist Church of Spencer.

Memorials May be made to First Baptist Church of Spencer P.O. Box 156 Spencer, NC 28159

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 9. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Spencer  
215 Fifth Street  
Spencer, NC

## Memorial Service

JUL 9. 12:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ We were so sorry to hear about your loss; we have you all in our thoughts.  
Love,  
Ralph, Sharon, Julie, Jill, Jake, and John Shatterly

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**Sharon Shatterly** - July 09, 2014 at 03:21 PM

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“ I wish I could have got to know him more. He seemed to be a very nice man. He would always have christian music playing on Sundays when I would come there to his house. He was always very quiet.

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**Laurel Mason** - July 08, 2014 at 01:08 PM

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*I worked with Walter at Winn Dixie for many years. He was a good man and very proud of his family!! Rest in peace Walter!!*

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**Reba Shaffer** - July 09, 2014 at 10:01 PM