



John Raleigh Wilkerson

January 22, 1920 - February 15, 2014

Mr. John Raleigh Wilkerson of Scottsburg, Virginia died Saturday, February 15, 2014 at the Woodview Nursing Home. He was born January 22, 1920 in Halifax County, Virginia and was 94 years old. He was the son of the late William Hannibal Wilkerson and the late Ellie Price Wilkerson and married to Christine Wilmouth Wilkerson, who survives.

He was a member of the Clover United Methodist Church and a WWII Army veteran. He also was a member of the American Legion Post 8. Mr. Wilkerson was a self-employed farmer and carpenter.

Mr. John Raleigh Wilkerson is survived by:

His Wife of 67 years

Christine Wilmouth Wilkerson of Scottsburg

One Son

Mark R. Wilkerson and wife Mickey of South Boston

One Daughter

Debra W. Cassell and husband Stan of Hampton, VA

Five Grandchildren

Heather Blanks and husband Travis of Alton, VA

Justin Wilkerson of South Boston

Amanda Nichols of Hampton, VA

Brian Seigla and wife Sara of Richmond, VA

Andrew Cassell and wife Kasie of Castle Rock, CO

Five Great Grandchildren

Hailey and Taylor Blanks

Wyatt Seigla

Chase and Olivia Cassell

One special sister-in-law, Mary Wilkerson

A number of special nieces and nephews

He was preceded in death by:

Four sisters, Allie Fallen, Rosa Wilson, Vinnie Smith, Evvie Saunders

Four brothers, Troy , Fred, Herbert and Ira Wilkerson

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, February 18, 2014 at 2:00 P.M. at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Mary Tharpe officiating. Burial will follow in the Halifax Memorial Gardens with military rites.

The family will receive friends Monday, February 17, 2014 from 7:00 until 8:30 P.M. at Powell Funeral Home and other times at his home, 9192 J. D. Hagood Hwy., Scottsburg, VA.

For memorials please consider the Clover United Methodist Church

Online condolences may be directed to www.powellfunerals.com

Arrangements are by: Powell Funeral Home, 1603 Wilborn Ave., South Boston, VA 24592

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Mark & Mickey,*

So sorry to hear about Mr. Wilkerson. Our prayers are with you.

Debbie & Billy Puckett - February 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Raleigh was a good man, loved his church and family. He will be truly missed.*

Patricia Noblin - February 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My sympathy and prayers go to*

The Wilkerson Family and Friends. Mr. Wilkerson was a very good man.

Dennis Perkins - February 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM