



A. Charles Dobson

August 4, 1921 - December 11, 2008

Heading: Charles Dobson (Veteran)

Dateline: Greenville

Alvin Charles Dobson, 87, widower of Doris Ellis Dobson, died December 11, 2008 at National Health Care.

A native of Greer, son of the late Alvin C. and Irene Bailey Dobson, he was the retired-owner of Dobson Service Station, a U.S. Army Veteran where he served in North Africa during WWII, and a member of Memorial United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three sons and daughters-in-law, C. Richard (Rick) and La Donna Dobson of Charlotte, N.C., Carlton Lee and Pat Dobson of South Boston, VA and Greg and Anne Dobson of Greenville, S.C; a brother, Broadus (B.B.) Dobson of Greer and six grandchildren, Chuck Dobson, Ben Dobson and wife Sarah, Timothy Dobson, Rebecca Dobson, Matthew Dobson and Preston Dobson .

Mr. Dobson was predeceased by two brothers, William (Bill) Robert Dobson, Richard (Dickey) Deaver Dobson, two sisters, Nell Dobson Tuck, Doris Irene Dobson Rainey and a granddaughter Mary Beth Dobson.

A special thank you to Ellen Mahaffey and National Health Care, Greenville. Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Sunday at Memorial United Methodist Church conducted by Rev. Arthur Holt and Rev. John Rush. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be nephews and friends

Honorary escort will be the Camak Sunday School Class.

Visitation will be held 5:00-7:00 p.m. Saturday at Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home of Greg Dobson, 105 Chippendale Drive, Greenville, S.C. 29615.

Memorials may be made to Memorial United Methodist Church, 201 North Main Street, Greer, S.C. 29650.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Service

DEC 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

Memorial United Methodist Church
201 N. Main St.
Greer, SC

Tribute Wall



“ We were so sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Clint and Sandra Harvey##imported-end##

December 14, 2008 at 09:42 AM



“ Dear Family,

Please accept my heart-felt condolences for the loss of your father. These are very trying times and I pray that the love that God gives comforts you through them (2 Corinthians 1:3).

While the loss of a loved one is never easy, you may be comforted to know that God has Mr. Dobson in His loving memory and has promised to soon resurrect him (John 11:25,26) to life in paradise (Revelation 21:4,5).

May these scriptures bring you comfort and peace during your time of grief.

Kind Regards,

Dawn P.##imported-begin##Dawn P.##imported-end##

December 13, 2008 at 11:00 AM



“ *My father was a regular customer of your father's Sinclair station until we moved to Charlotte in 1964. Your father was always nice to my family whenever we visited the service station. On my 6th birthday I mentioned to your father that it was my birthday and he gave me a watermelon. Sadly, it's hard to find people anymore who take care of your cars the way your father and his staff did.*

My deepest sympathy goes out to all of the Dobson family!##imported-begin##Brant Hart##imported-end##

December 13, 2008 at 10:49 AM



“ *Anne and Greg,
We want you to know how much Mr. Dobson encouraged us and befriended us at NHC since last June. He told us that he loved it there and the people were all so kind and wonderful. We will miss seeing him everyday scooting around in his motor chair. He always brightened our day with his smile and kind words. He was so proud of Matthew and Preston, too! We will be praying for your family as you remember fun times and miss him. Love, suzy and Dan##imported-begin##Suzy and Dan McFarlane##imported-end##*

December 13, 2008 at 09:35 AM



“ *Greg,
Please accept my most sincere condolences for your loss.
Bill Cantrell
Johnson Electric##imported-begin##BILL CANTRELL##imported-end##*

December 12, 2008 at 12:06 PM



“ We will surely miss Mr. Dobson. His smiling face and joking way made us smile daily. Your family is in our prayers at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Jennifer Culbertson##imported-end##

December 12, 2008 at 11:35 AM