



Broadus Dobson

August 29, 1924 - August 18, 2013

Broadus Bailey Dobson, 88, a lifelong resident of Greer, went to be with the Lord August 18, 2013.

Born August 29, 1924, to Alvin Charles and Irene Bailey Dobson, Broadus graduated from Greer High and attended Clemson University. He was the owner of BB Dobson Used Cars for over forty-five years. He served as a Greer city councilman for 16 years and was committed to his hometown. Broadus was a devoted life-long member of Memorial United Methodist Church. He demonstrated his love for his church through his service. He was a faithful member of the Ballenger-Duncan Sunday School Class, a lay speaker, active in mission work, and served on numerous committees. In the days before his passing he was presented the United Methodist Church, Special Mission Recognition Award by the United Methodist Women.

Broadus's life was a testament to his conviction: "Service to humanity is the best work of life. It gives me meaning and purpose."

In addition to his parents, Broadus was predeceased by three brothers and two sisters, Bill, Nell, Charles, Doris and Dickey.

Broadus is survived by his wife, Katherine Heidt Dobson, the love of his life for over 67 years. Surviving in addition to his wife are three daughters and one son, all residents of Greer: Kathy (Philip) Johnston, David (Sylvia) Dobson, Suzanne (Dean) Cuplin, Patti (Tommy) Simmons.

He was Papa to his eight grandchildren: Jennifer Dorn, Andy Johnston, Katie Jeter, Tricia Morris, John Barbrey, Rebecca Barbrey, Thomas Simmons and

Patrick Simmons; and three great-grandchildren: Zachary Dorn, Duncan Jeter and Olivia Morris.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Memorial United Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Joseph Curtis, Rev. John Rush and Rev. George Strait. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Grandsons and grandsons-in-law will serve as pallbearers.

Honorary escort will be the Ballenger-Duncan Sunday School Class.

Visitation will be held 6:00-8:00 p.m. Monday at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home of his son, David Dobson, 204 Drace Avenue, Greer, SC 29650.

Memorials may be made to Memorial United Methodist Church, 201 N. Main Street, Greer, SC 29650 or Greer Community Ministries, P.O. Box 1373, Greer, SC 29652.

A special thanks to Oak Leaf Assisted Living, Vista Care Hospice and his caregivers.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

AUG **20**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

JP

“ *Very sorry for your loss. A very fine man and friendly to us ,when we first moved in next to Kathy and Phil.a long time ago. Dan and Janet Porter and family .*

Janet Porter - August 22, 2013 at 07:05 PM

KT

“ *Keith And Shelby Thomason lit a candle in memory of Broadus Dobson*



Keith and Shelby Thomason - August 21, 2013 at 06:59 PM

KT

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Keith and Shelby Thomason - August 21, 2013 at 07:01 PM

BL

“ *David, words are not enough to express how deeply saddened I was to hear of the loss of your father. I know that God will provide you with the strength and courage you need to handle this difficult moment with success. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you. May you take comfort in knowing an angel is watching over you.*



Much love and sympathy to you and your family,

Brenda Lyles

Brenda Lyles - August 21, 2013 at 01:40 PM

BL

“ *Brenda Lyles sent a virtual gift in memory of Broadus Dobson*



Brenda Lyles - August 21, 2013 at 01:15 PM

EC

“ *Dear Dobson family, We were so saddened to hear of Broadus' passing but we rejoice in the fact that he is with the Lord. He was a wonderful man, full of joy and a true servant of God. I cant remember a time when I didnt see Broadus smiling and being helpful. Please know that our hearts, our thoughts and our prayers are with you during this difficult time. We love you all and miss you. Sincerely, Elizabeth, Meredith and Jamieson Clark*

elizabeth jamieson clark - August 21, 2013 at 12:33 PM

RJ

“ *We were so saddened to hear about Mr. BB. He was a fine man and yes he was always smiling and had the best attitude about life in general. He always saw the best in people and tried to help everyone. He will be missed very much but heaven is a lot sweeter with him there. I know we have missed him and his wife at El Jalisco for some time now. Our prayers are with all of the family and will continue to be as you miss him. Love, Rudy and Deb Jordan*

Rudy and Deb Jordan - August 21, 2013 at 07:49 AM

DB

“ This is the way I remember Mr. Dobson, always a smile. When he and Mrs. Dobson came into The Medicine Shoppe he always had something to tell me and was always happy. Never had anything bad to say about anything. He will be missed. Heaven got a special one and I know Mr. Dobson is still smiling today. Patti, and family "May God bless all of you and keep you in His loving care." You are in my prayers.

Love in Christ and friendship, Denise Barbare

Denise S. Barbare - August 20, 2013 at 11:06 PM

KG

“ Patti and David, I have fond memories of your dad when he had the garage across the street from my parents dry cleaners. He was always such a wonderful, positive and happy person. Know that my prayers are with you and the family

Kathy Good

Kathy Dickson Good - August 20, 2013 at 08:46 PM

LA

“ A sweet, sweet man. Thinking of you all.

Lillian Glenn Atkins

Lillian Atkins - August 20, 2013 at 01:59 PM

JH

“ Kathy & Family:

We were sorry to learn of your father's death. Please know that you and your family are in our prayers.

John & Bea Heberger

John & Bea Heberger - August 20, 2013 at 11:44 AM

RB

“ *Sympathy and prayers to your family. Rick and Allison Bruce*

Rick Bruce - August 20, 2013 at 11:31 AM

MG

“ *We know cousin Broadus is now whole. Please know the rest of the family is in our prayers as you go thru this difficult time. So many have said this is how they will always remember Broadus. I have to agree. We will always remember that warm smile and friendly face. He who has as many friends as Broadus is blessed. He will be missed !*



Mark Garcia - August 20, 2013 at 07:48 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Broadus Dobson.*



August 19, 2013 at 08:19 PM

TQ

“ *Suzanne and Patti,
I was sorry to hear the news about your dad. You are in my thoughts and prayers. I will be thinking of you and the rest of the family.
Tracy (Barton) Quinn*

Tracy Quinn - August 19, 2013 at 02:55 PM

JM

“ Our deep sympathy goes out to your family.
Judy and Zack McCall

Judy and Zack McCall - August 19, 2013 at 02:44 PM

LN

“ My prayers are with the the whole Dobson family. I taught at
Crestview with Katherine many years ago. Linda Nicholson

Linda Nicholson - August 19, 2013 at 02:38 PM

JD

“ Our thoughts snd prayers are with you. We are sorry for your loss.
Dan and Jennie Dobson

Jennie and Dan Dobson - August 19, 2013 at 12:02 PM

JC

“ Our thoughts are with the family at this difficult time. We are sorry
for your loss.
John and Sally Crocker.

John and Sally Crocker - August 19, 2013 at 09:47 AM

TC

“ Very sorry for your loss, Patti. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Teresa Coan

Teresa Coan - August 19, 2013 at 08:56 AM

PS

“ *May God comfort you during this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Most sincerely,
Pam and John Sarratt*

Pam Sarratt - August 19, 2013 at 07:24 AM

JG

“ *His photo says it all. He was always smiling with a friendly hello to everyone he met. Condolences to his family and friends.*

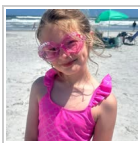
Jack Green - August 18, 2013 at 10:54 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Broadus Dobson.*



August 18, 2013 at 07:29 PM



“ *I cannot find the words to soothe the loss or lessen the grief for the Dobson family. Mr. Dobson was a wonderful person. He and my father enjoyed a friendship together, but I was honored to develop a special relationship when he and Mrs. Dobson became regular customers at the Clock. Mr. Dobson was devoted to his wife, family and country, but his love for humanity was beyond measure. My sincerest sympathy goes out to his loving family.*

Wanda Gresham



Wanda Gresham - August 18, 2013 at 06:00 PM

RC

“ *Even though I have known him but a short time he was always so kind to me and I will forever be grateful. Brenda and I continue to pray for all of you.*

Rev. Joseph Curtis - August 18, 2013 at 05:58 PM

HD

Cousin BB We sure will miss him at Sunday School. He always had a real message to share with all of us. Great photo of him. That is the way I will always remember him - always smiling.

Heath Dobson - August 19, 2013 at 11:33 AM