



## Roy Springer

May 5, 2019

Roy Springer, 98, of 305 Park Ridge Road, Spring Arbor, Albemarle, NC passed away at 3:55 PM Friday, May 3rd, 2019 at Liberty Hospice House, VA Medical Center, Salisbury, NC, with his family at his side.

The family will receive friends Tuesday, May 7th, 6:00 PM-8:00 PM at Stanly Funeral and Cremation Care of Albemarle. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, May 8th at 2:00 PM at Albemarle Wesleyan Church. Rev. James Valk and Rev. Michael Greer will officiate. Burial will take place in Fairview Memorial Park, with full Military Rites.

Mr. Springer was born October 13, 1920 in Stanly County, and was the son of the late Clarence J. and Ollie Talbert Springer.

Mr. Springer was a lifelong member of the Albemarle Wesleyan

Church, (formerly the Pilgrim Holiness Church) and was a Word War II Veteran,

proudly serving in General Patton's Army.

He was a recipient of the Purple Heart.

He was wounded during fierce combat in Germany in 1944 and was treated for his injuries in both England and Scotland before returning to the United States where he received treatment in New York and 1st Indorsement Welch Convalescent Hospital, Daytona Beach.

He was Honorably Discharged June 7th, 1945. He was a Life Time member of the Stanly County DAV.

He was married for 52 years to the former Willie Ramelle

Davis, who preceded him in death in 1991, as did his infant son, Ricky Joe Springer in 1941. Mr. Springer is

survived by his son Roy William Springer, wife Peggy, one granddaughter, the love of his life, Tonya Springer Graeff, husband Shawn, one great granddaughter

Riley Davis Graeff all of Albemarle. He

is also survived by a number of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his wife, infant son, parents, Mr. Springer

was predeceased by four sisters, Blanche Chandler Vanhoy, Pearline Huneycutt,

Ruby Jordan, Goldie Holt, and two brothers Wilton Springer and Nevin Springer.

The family request in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to  
Albemarle Wesleyan Church Building Fund or Stanly County Chapter of DAV.

# Tribute Wall

JA

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Mr. Springer was the first of our neighbors to introduce himself when my husband and I moved into our first home on Webb Street 20 years ago. He was such a nice gentleman; it was a pleasure to know him.

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**Joy Almond** - May 06, 2019 at 01:46 PM

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“ Peggy and Roy, so sorry to hear of your loss. Praying for you. Love you.

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**Lisa Davis** - May 05, 2019 at 03:43 PM

KW

“ You all are im prayers... I had the pleasure of many conversations with Mr. Roy, my momma was down the hall. He enjoyed seeing and talking to my little granddaughter. His smile will be missed.

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**Karen Whitley** - May 05, 2019 at 01:43 PM

GG

“ Roy and Peggy, I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Roys passing. I am happy for him but sad for you'all.

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**Gary Gray** - May 05, 2019 at 10:54 AM