



Robert "Bob" Gilbert

September 8, 1944 - May 13, 2020

Robert "Bob" Gilbert 75, of Ringgold passed away on Wednesday, May 13, 2020. He was a lifelong resident of Ringgold and a member of Ringgold First Baptist church. Bob was a Mason and a member of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers and enjoyed working around the family farm. He is preceded in death by his wife, Rita Irene Gordy Gilbert; father, Malen Gilbert; mother, Edna Dickson Gilbert Murry; step-father, Roy Murry; brother, James Gilbert; grandfather, George Dickson; grandmother, Pearl Templeton Dickson Vess.

He is survived by his sons, Scott (Christina) Gilbert and Todd (Susan) Gilbert; siblings, Tommy (Sue) Gilbert, Frances Gilbert, Evelyn (John) Wilson; grandchildren, Cade, Callie, Zane, and Ariel Gilbert, Nathan Barbee, Marcus Knight, Mackenzie Knight; greatgrandchild, Finley Scott Barbee, as well as several nieces and nephews.

A private graveside service will be held in Anderson Memorial Gardens.

Online guest book at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Ringgold, GA.

Cemetery Details

Anderson Memorial Gardens

Christian Drive
Ringgold, GA 30736

Tribute Wall

PB

“ Maurice and I were so saddened to hear about Bob’s passing. Such a good husband, father, grandfather and neighbor. We will greatly miss seeing him out on his tractor making the fields so beautiful. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family through this difficult time. God bless you all and give you peace. He and Rita are rejoicing together at last, forever.

Peggy Bandy - May 15, 2020 at 11:18 PM

GC

“ To the Bob Gilbert family I would like to express my Condolences. Bob and I worked together at Combustion/ABB/Alstom for over 37 years. Bob and I were not only coworkers we were good friends. We served together as Boilermaker 656 Committeemen for over 10 years i as Chairman & Bob as a Committeeman and he wore two hats he was also Insurance & Pension Committee Person. Needless to say he was my right hand. Not only was Bob one of the best Union men I ever worked with he was also one of the finest men I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. Rest in peace my Brother.

Gary Cookston - May 14, 2020 at 10:57 PM

SG

Thank you Gary , I remember him saying your name many times back in the Combustion days

Scott Gilbert - May 17, 2020 at 07:10 PM

MW

“ To the Gilbert Family: I first knew Rita through working at Buster Brown; she and I became good friends and I still mourn her passing. Now the sad news that Bob has passed but good news that they are now joined in their forever Home. Your parents were wonderful; I know how proud of you and the grandchildren they were. Please know that I grieve with you and pray that you keep many happy memories of Bob and Rita.

Mary Anne Wilkey

Mary Anne Wilkey - May 14, 2020 at 09:00 AM

SG

Thank you

Scott Gilbert - May 17, 2020 at 07:09 PM

MS

“ Scott, Todd and family. I'm am so sad to learn of Bob's passing. I have loved him and your Mom since meeting them in 1968. What a wonderful heritage they passed on to you all

Mary Beth Smith - May 13, 2020 at 06:02 PM

SG

Thank you

Scott Gilbert - May 17, 2020 at 07:08 PM