



MSGT DOUG WILSON, USAF, RET

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M Sgt. Douglas “Doug” Reid Wilson, U.S. Air Force, Ret., formerly of Perry, passed away peacefully on Saturday, January 8, 2022. He was 90 years old. Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, January 12, 2022. Visitation will be at Watson-Hunt Funeral Home in Perry from 1:00 until 1:45 p.m. followed by a Graveside Service beginning at 2:00 p.m. in Perry Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests memorial contributions to the donor’s favorite charity or to the VFW, National Headquarters, 406 W. 34th Street, Kansas City, MO 64111.

Doug was born on March 9, 1931, in Anderson, South Carolina, to the late Curry and Mayzelle Powell Wilson. Doug proudly served our country in the U.S. Air Force, joining in 1947 at the age of 16 with his parents’ blessing. Through his military career, he served as a Supply Liaison in Puerto Rico, Trinidad, Thule, Greenland, and the Philippines. Doug retired after 20 years of service and then settled in Atlanta, where he worked for Mingledorff’s as Warehouse Manager for many years. After retiring a second time, he then settled in Perry, Georgia, in 1982.

Doug was preceded in death by his wife, Frances Evelyn Donaldson; his daughter, Jeannette Wilson; his brother, Connie Wilson; his sisters, Sybil Wilson Jones and Sara Wilson Osborne; and his wife, Florrie Anne Haygood Wilson.

Left to cherish the memories they made with Doug are his daughters, Annette Wilson Brown (Ed) of Auburn, GA, Linda Wilson Helgerson (Rick) of McDonough, and his son, Mike Wilson (Gwen) of Statesboro; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; his brother Gary Wilson (Marie); his sister, Terry Ann Wilson; and several nieces and nephews.

Condolences for the family may be left in the online guestbook at www.watsonhunt.com. Watson-Hunt Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.



Events

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Visitation

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

1:00 PM - 1:45 PM ET

Watson - Hunt Funeral Home
1208 Main Street, Perry GA 31069

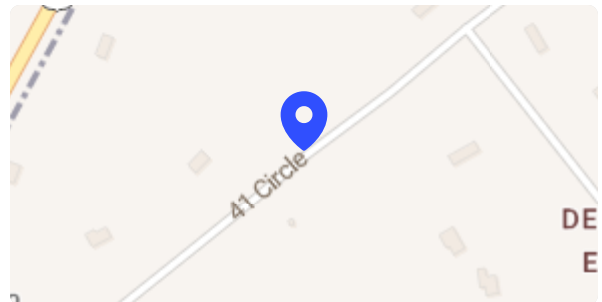


Graveside Service

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

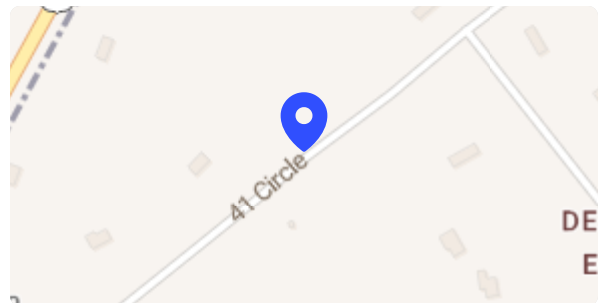
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Perry Memorial Gardens
2106 Highway 41 North, Perry GA 31069



Cemetery Details

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EW

Essie Wilson posted:

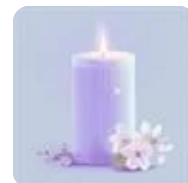
I loved him with all my heart and I'm sorry I did not know anything about his passing or funeral events.. I am asking the family to contact me, Essie Wilson 158 fox run dr. Perry, Georgia, 31069, 478-214-1794 Ann, Linda, and Mike Love you, Lee

January 12 at 1:49 PM

CA

Chris Albritton lit a candle in honor of MSGT DOUG.

The entire Darsey family just heard of Doug's passing and are so sorry we were not there for his family today. Each of us loved Doug and were proud that he was once married to our sister, Lee. He was a very special man and will always be in our hearts and thoughts. We pray God will bless his family and give them comfort and peace.



January 12 at 1:10 PM



Anonymous sent an Eternal Love to the WILSON, USAF, RET family.



January 11 at 7:22 AM

RS

Robert Spainhour posted:

Sorry to read about Doug passing. I knew him for many years and always enjoyed his company. He was a fine gentleman to all that knew him. Rest in Peace Doug.

January 10 at 3:27 PM

ML

Michael Lane posted:

Michael and Jeanie offer our sincere condolences to family and friends. We are sure he had a loving relationship with close persons who knew him. We hope the family can cherish him memory.

January 10 at 2:21 PM

FP

Frances Pate January 12 at 3:56 PM

I'm sorry to hear of Doug's passing! He was married to my Aunt Lee Wilson for many years. We loved him and he loved us! He always shared his zest for life and his beautiful smile! Rest In Peace Doug! Frances and Danny Pate



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring MSGT DOUG by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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