



Robert D. Austin

March 16, 1922 - February 23, 2007

North Augusta, SC—Funeral services for Mr. Robert Doughton Austin, 84, of North Augusta, who entered into rest February 23, 2007, will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Nicholson Funeral Home, Statesville, NC. Dr. Scott Eanes and Rev. Dwight Somers officiating. Interment in Fairview Baptist Church Cemetery, Statesville.

Mr. Austin was a native of Iredell County, a resident of 37 years of Charlotte, NC, having recently made North Augusta his home. He served in the United States Army and was a veteran of World War II. Upon returning from the war, he attended United Television Laboratory in Louisville, KY and was employed with Westinghouse Corp., Charlotte. Mr. Austin served as a Deacon, Chairman of the Building Committee, Stewardship Committee and Superintendent of the Sunday School at Thomasboro Baptist Church, Charlotte. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of North Augusta. Mr. Austin was the son of the late Carl Bagby Austin and Annie Bell Eagle Austin.

Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Ruby Williams Austin; three daughters and sons-in-law, Jane and Cecil Faircloth, North Augusta, Vicki "Candy" McKenzie, Charlotte, and Robin and Bill Lund, High Point, NC; three brothers and sisters-in-law, Blake and Elsie Austin, Huntsville, AL, Kenneth and Louise Austin, Statesville, and Lynn and Margaret Austin, Clinton, MD; one sister and brother-in-law, Ester and Victor Crosby, Statesville; three grandchildren, Brady

McKenzie, Joy Manley, Tracy Smith; two great-granddaughters, Georgia Smith and McKenna Manley.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church of North Augusta Children's Center Building Fund, 625 Georgia Avenue, North Augusta, SC 29841.

The family will receive friends at the Nicholson Funeral Home one prior to the service.

The North Augusta family will be at the residence of Jane and Cecil Faircloth, 962 Campbellton Drive, North Augusta, SC.

Stephen D. Posey Funeral Home of North Augusta in charge of local arrangements (803-278-1181). Visit the registry online at www.poseyfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **26**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Nicholson Funeral Home
135 E. Front Street
Statesville, NC

Service

FEB **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Nicholson Funeral Home
135 E. Front Street
Statesville, NC

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert D. Austin*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Robert D. Austin*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *Ms. Ruby & family,
I am so sorry to hear about Mr. Bob. He had a sweet soul about him. I know he can hear the angels trumpets now! Please know we are thinking of you with our hearts and prayers.##imported-begin##Sheilah Lowe (Elizabeth's All About Hair)##imported-end##*

February 26, 2007 at 12:30 AM



“ *Jane, I was so sorry to hear about your fathers death. Please know you are in my prayers. May God give you peace at this sad time. We will see you when you get back to North Augusta. Love, The Mike Flippo Family##imported-begin##Marti FLippo##imported-end##*

February 25, 2007 at 04:41 PM



“ *Dear Jane,
We are so sorry for your loss. Leon and Vickie##imported-begin##Leon and Vickie Walden##imported-end##*

February 25, 2007 at 01:30 PM



“ *To the family of Robert Austin:*

Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time. He was such a special man and will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

From the O'Neal family##imported-begin##Ed and Sandy O'Neal##imported-end##

February 25, 2007 at 11:23 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you..See you soon...much love##imported-begin##George and Willine Barnes##imported-end##*

February 24, 2007 at 03:14 PM



“ *Jane,Cecil, Joy---Mackey and I are thinking and praying for you. I stopped by your Dad's room when I was out at NHC Friday. I know these times are hard, but God and your friends will get you thru. Love, Dell##imported-begin##Dell Ballard##imported-end##*

February 24, 2007 at 01:25 PM