



## Eddie Franklin Wilson

March 13, 1953 - November 16, 2025

Eddie Franklin Wilson, age 72, of Monroe and formerly of Charlotte, entered into eternal rest on November 16, 2025, surrounded by family and friends in the comfort of his home through the blessing of hospice care and his personal caretakers that made sacrifices over this past year so he could stay at home.

Born in Charlotte on March 13, 1953, Eddie was the beloved son of Loin Franklin Wilson and Dorothy Helms Wilson.

Eddie proudly enlisted in the United States Navy, serving his country with honor. His sister Lynn fondly remembers watching from the observation deck when his plane would return to Charlotte on leave—racing to the gate to be the first to welcome him home. After his honorable discharge, Eddie returned to Charlotte, where he built a life rooted in hard work, family, and friendship.

Blessed with a gift for working with his hands, Eddie could do most anything. He spent many years repairing and building houses, leaving behind not only structures but also the mark of his craftsmanship and care. More than any skill, however, Eddie cherished the time spent with his family and friends, who were the heart of his life.

Eddie is survived by his brother, Mike Wilson of Mount Holly, NC; his sister, Lynn Bentley of Bristol, TN; his niece, Michelle Stephens of Shelby, NC; his

nephew, Robbie Stephens of Monroe, NC; and two great-nieces, Austyn and Casey. He is further survived by numerous other relatives and friends who will miss his presence dearly. He was preceded in death by his parents.

In honor of his service, Eddie will be laid to rest privately at Salisbury National Cemetery.

On October 17, 2025, Eddie made the most important decision of his life—he trusted his heart to Jesus Christ. His sister Lynn shares:

“I’m looking forward to seeing you in heaven, and I love you with all my heart.”

As we celebrate Eddie’s life, we hold close the promise of scripture:

“For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” —

John 3:16

# Cemetery Details

## Salisbury National Cemetery

501 Statesville Blvd  
Salisbury, NC 28144  
[http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/salisbury.a  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ I will miss your call on My Birthday but We will be together again and Spend all eternity with Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ I will celebrate my birthday this year with gladness in My heart that you have been healed and reunited with Mama and Daddy

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**Lynn Bentley** - December 01, 2025 at 10:12 AM

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“ You will be missed. RIP till we meet again



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**Marjorie Hinson** - November 30, 2025 at 07:24 PM