



## John Melvin Cashion

March 31, 1925 - September 27, 2013

John Melvin Cashion age 88, of Salisbury, passed away Friday, September 27, 2013 surrounded by his wife and family. He was born March 31, 1925 to the late John Barsabus Cashion and Ella Mae Stewart Cashion in Stony Point, NC. Married Helen Poole Cashion September 27, 1946.

Worked at Cannon Mills in Kannapolis for 28 years. Was a member of Neel Road Baptist Church and had served as Deacon. Was a member of the American Legion and the North Carolina Baptist Men. He enjoyed Fishing, Camping, Gardening, watching ballgames and going on Mission Trips.

He served in the US Army in the 15th Engineer Battalion, 9th Inf. Division. Was a Veteran of 5 Campaigns during World War II: Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central Europe. Was awarded the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in battle in October, 1944. Received Honorable Discharge in October 1945.

Survived by his wife of 67 years, Helen Cashion. Sons: Steve Cashion( wife Pat) and Gene Cashion (wife Regeana) daughter: Cindy Russell (husband Hayes.) Grandchildren: Paul Cashion (wife Laurie) Christy Jeansonne( Husband John) Bryce Russell (wife Nikki) Katie Yacevich (husband Kyle) Zack Russell, Jordan Mammano, Tommy Long. Great grandchildren : Chelesea and Luke Jeansonne and several step great grandchildren. Sister: Nevada Douglas and many beloved nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death, Siblings: Aileen Shumake, Linford Cashion, and Deanie Stikeleather.

Visitation and Services: Family will receive friends at Neel Road Baptist

Church in Salisbury on Monday September 30th from 12:30 until 2 pm.  
Funeral will follow at 2 pm. Reverend Charles Allard and Dr. Neil Westbrook officiating. Burial will be Tuesday October 1st at the Salisbury National Cemetery at the Hefner VA Medical Center. The body will be at Chapman Funeral Home, 158 Stony Point School Road, Stony Point, NC 28678 prior to the services. Viewing available Sunday September 29th, from 2-4pm.  
Memorials: Donations can be made to Neel Road Baptist Church, 135 Neel Road, Salisbury, NC 28147 and to NC Baptist Men, PO Box 1107, Cary, NC 27512.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Melvin Cashion*

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