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**Mr. Thomas
Ray Lisenby**

Mr. Thomas Ray Lisenby, 86, died Monday, March 3, 2014, at Ambassador Health and Rehab in Wadesboro.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, March 8, 2014, at Hanna Chapel United Methodist Church with Rev. Jimmie Furr officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

Thomas was born March 18, 1927, in Chesterfield County, SC, a son of the late Jefferson Davis and Lottie Adams Lisenby. He was a graduate of Deep Creek High School, and was retired from having worked in textiles with a long career with Burlington Industries. He was a member of Hanna Chapel United Methodist Church. Mr. Lisenby was a veteran of the United States Army, having served during World War II.

Surviving are his sons and daughters-in-law, Tommy and Vickie Lisenby of Monroe, Don and Vicki Lisenby of Sarasota, FL and Mike and Sarah Lisenby of Wadesboro; his sister, Nannie Rivers of Chesterfield; ten grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Christine Hanna Lisenby and by his brothers and sisters, Albert, Perry, Lowden and Knowlton Roy Lisenby, Ethel Moore, Mary Belle Honeycutt and Dethane Molaro.

Obituaries

Memorials may be made to Hanna Chapel United Methodist Church, c/o Jimmy Hanna, 126 Lennox Dr., Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The arrangements were in care of Leavitt Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at leavittfuneralhomewadesboro.com.

**Mr. John
R. Livingston**

Mr. Johnny R. (John R.) Livingston, 78, of Wadesboro died Sunday, March 9, after having suffered with Lewy Body Dementia for several years. At the time of his death he was a resident of Sandy Ridge Memory Care in Candor, NC.

A celebration of his life will be held on Sunday, March 16, 2014, at 2 p.m. at Calvary Episcopal Church in Wadesboro.

Johnny was the son of the late Hugh A. and Clara A. Livingston of McFarlan. After graduation from Wadesboro High School he spent a semester at NC State College, then joined the US Air Force where he spent four years. He graduated from Wingate Junior College and Catawba College.

Johnny worked for New York Life Insurance Company for 45 years. During that time he coached youth sports to the extent that some of those youth (now grown men) still called him Coach. He was a long-time member of the Order of Masons, the Wadesboro Rotary Club, Calvary Episcopal Church and Twin Valley Country Club. An avid golfer, he was always ready for a match, anytime, anywhere. He loved meeting new people and talking to all people.

He is survived by his best friend and wife of 56 years, Glenda Allen; his beloved sons, John Robinson, Jr. of Rockingham, Michael Allen (Patty) of Wadesboro and Richard Myers (Dana) of Richmond, Ky; his brother Henry (Sarah) of Morven, his sister Clara Gathings of

Wadesboro and his sister-in-law Shirley Livingston of West End; his grandchildren, Brittany Sekielewski, Shaeley Gilliam, Patrick Livingston, Matthew Livingston, Ashley Livingston, Sean Livingston and Cydney Livingston; three great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and many friends. Also left to grieve is Sugar, the only dog Johnny was ever known to kiss.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Anson County Historical Society, 206 East Wade Street, Wadesboro NC 28170.

**Mr. Ronald
F. Martin**

Mr. Ronald F. Martin, 68, died Saturday, March 8, 2014.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, March 12, 2014, at Leavitt Funeral Home with Rev. Kaye Fry officiating. Interment will follow in the Savannah United Methodist Church Cemetery. The family will greet friends prior to the service beginning at 1 p.m.

Ronald was born in Anson County on January 23, 1946, a son of the late Wilson Martin and Evelyn Poplin Martin. He worked a number of years for Bowater and later as a greeter at Walmart.

Survivors include two

children, Cory Martin of Lilesville and Kristie Michelle Martin Finger (Jon) of Kannapolis; five grandchildren, Alyssa Martin, Wesley Martin, Sophia Finger, Noah Finger and Savannah Finger.

Ronald was preceded in death by a grandchild, Carrie Cheyanne Downer.

Leavitt Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**Miss Elmina
Jane Pegram**

Miss Elmina Jane Pegram, 96, died Sunday, March 9, 2014, at Ambassador Health and Rehab in Wadesboro.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, March 11, 2014, in the Chapel of Leavitt Funeral Home with Rev. Jeff Goudelock and Rev. Johnny Johnson officiating. Interment will follow in Anson Memorial Park.

Elmina was born May 11, 1917, in Anson County, a daughter of the late William Ranford Pegram and the late Allie Jane Crider Pegram. She was retired from West Knitting Mills after 50 years of service to the company.

An avid fisherman, she enjoyed many trips to Florida with her dear friend Mary Hamilton for fishing trips and visits with friends

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Anson County Domestic Violence & Rape Crisis Center would like to recognize the generous sponsors of our 2014 Annual BBQ Fundraiser, held on Friday, February 28, 2014.

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We would also like to extend our appreciation to everyone who came out to volunteer their time to help and the generous monetary donations we received for the event.

ACDVC is a non-profit organization funded solely by grants and fundraisers such as this one. All proceeds will be used to assist victims of domestic violence and sexual assault in Anson County. We are overwhelmed by the support received from the community and appreciate your help in making this event a success!

Anyone who would like more information on volunteering with our agency, or to make a donation, please call our office at (704) 694-4499 Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm.



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