



## Robert Alton Gibson

February 5, 1936 - November 19, 2022

Saluda, SC

Robert Alton Gibson

Robert Alton Gibson, 86, died Saturday, November 19, 2022 at his home.

Born in Saluda County, he was a son of the late Harvey Rufus Gibson and Ruby Lee Sanders Gibson. Mr. Gibson served in the South Carolina National Guard, Battery "B" 2D AW BN (SP) 263D ARTY in Easley, SC. He was a retired South Carolina Highway Patrol and a former employee of Electrolux. His community involvement included membership in various organizations including the Keowee Masonic Lodge #79, Hejaz Shriners, former constables, and an active member of Fraternal Order of Police. He was a member of Bethany United Methodist Church of Saluda, SC and a former member of Grace United Methodist Church in Pickens, SC.

Surviving are three daughters, Cynthia Peek (John) of Mt. Pleasant, Mary Lee Bunnells of Saluda and Angela Rodgers (Mike) of Ward, two sisters, Daisy Massey of West Columbia and Sandra Blount of Panama City Beach, FL, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mr. Gibson was preceded in death by two brothers, Doyle Gibson and Carl

Gibson and a son in-law, Kenneth Bunnells.

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m., Wednesday, November 23, 2022 at Bethany United Methodist Church with Rev. Valerie Mireb officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends following the service in the fellowship hall.

Memorials may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children - Greenville, 950 West Faris Rd., Greenville, SC 29605, Bethany United Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Clara Riley, 242 Bethany Church Rd., Saluda, SC 29138 or to the S.C. Troopers Foundation Association, 4961 Broad River Rd., Columbia, SC 29212.

Please share your memories and condolences online at [www.rameyfuneralhome.com](http://www.rameyfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Bethany United Methodist Church Cemetery

363 Bethany Road  
Saluda, SC 29138

# Previous Events

## Funeral

NOV 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church  
363 Bethany Road  
Saluda, SC 29138

## Visitation following Burial

NOV 23 (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church  
363 Bethany Road  
Saluda, SC 29138

# Tribute Wall

DM

“ *Those we hold in our hearts never really leave us. They live on in the kindnesses they showed, the comfort they shared and the love they brought into our lives. R.A. was a steadfast FOP member who kept us moving forward in the right direction. With all my sympathy, David (SCFOP State Secretary)*

David McClure - November 23, 2022 at 08:25 AM

RP

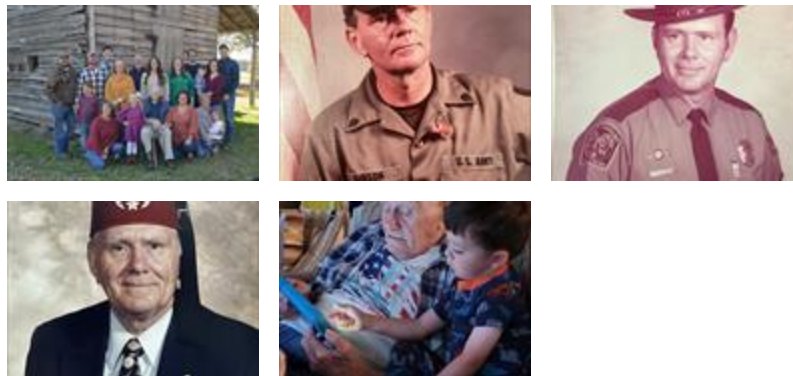
“ *Regina Peppers lit a candle in memory of Robert Gibson*



Regina Peppers - November 22, 2022 at 08:16 PM

JR

“ *5 files added to the tribute wall*



Jason Rodgers - November 22, 2022 at 03:25 PM

MB

“ So very sorry for your loss. Please know I am thinking of you.  
*Marie Blount*

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**Marie Thomas Blount** - November 22, 2022 at 01:32 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of  
*Robert Alton Gibson.*



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November 22, 2022 at 12:24 PM

JE

“ *Our deepest condolences to the Gibson family and close friends.  
We are very sorry for your loss.*

*Mr. Gibson lived across the street from my parents for many years  
in the Glassy Mountain neighborhood in Pickens. He was good  
friends with my father and our family. He will be missed and  
remembered.*

*The Jennings Family*

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**Jennings** - November 22, 2022 at 12:03 PM

JR

“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



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**Jason Rodgers** - November 21, 2022 at 11:23 PM

JR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Jason Rodgers** - November 21, 2022 at 11:18 PM