



## George Thomas Gossler

December 28, 1936 - July 8, 2019

George Thomas Gossler, 82, formerly of Altavista, died Monday, July 8, 2019 at Runk and Pratt Residential Adult Care. He was the husband of Shelby Jean Hughes Gossler for 64 years.

He was born December 28, 1936 in Elizabeth City County, a son of the late Fred Gossler and Irma Farson Gossler Reynolds. Mr. Gossler was a retired employee of BWXT and a member of Penuel Baptist Church, where he was a past Deacon. He loved playing on the church softball team and going to the lake.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Tom Gossler and his wife, Sandy and Roger Gossler and his wife, Laurie all of Forest; two sisters, Nora Hart of Altavista and Rachel Mix of Spotsylvania; three grandchildren, Michael Gossler and his wife, Emily and Jennifer Henry and her husband, Peter both of Forest, and Stuart Gossler of Richmond; and nine great grandchildren, Chandler, Trevor, Sydney, Connor, Brynna, Kamryn, Tyler, Myer, and Desmond.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Tom Reynolds.

A funeral service will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 10, 2019 at Penuel Baptist Church by the Rev. Carlton Gunter entombment to follow in

Altavista Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 6:30 until 8:00 p.m., Tuesday at Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence of Tom and Sandy Gossler, 424 Casaloma Dr., Forest.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the Parkinson's Foundation, 200 SE 1st St., Ste. 800, Miami, FL 33131, Alzheimer's Asso., 355 Rio West Rd., Ste. 102, Charlottesville, VA 22901, or Gideons International, Altavista Camp, PO Box 193, Altavista, VA 24517

# Cemetery Details

## Altavista Memorial Park Mausoleum

642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **9**. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

## Funeral Service

JUL **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Penuel Baptist Church  
2770 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Tribute Wall



“ Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of George Thomas Gossler



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - July 09, 2019 at 12:00 PM

JH

“ Sorry to hear about the passing of George (Red). He was a friend at BWXT during the working years and at the BWXT Fitness Center during retirement.

*John Healy, Lynchburg*

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**John Healy** - July 14, 2019 at 10:36 PM

DR

“ Darlene Robertson lit a candle in memory of George Thomas Gossler



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**Darlene Robertson** - July 11, 2019 at 08:35 AM



“ *Ralph Woods lit a candle in memory of George Thomas Gossler*



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**Ralph Woods** - July 10, 2019 at 09:14 PM



“ *Cindy Stewart lit a candle in memory of George Thomas Gossler*



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**Cindy Stewart** - July 09, 2019 at 02:08 PM



“ *Great person to work with. Always had a smile on his face. Sympathy and prayers for his family. He will be missed by all who knew him. Betty Phillips*

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**Betty Phillips** - July 09, 2019 at 12:11 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of George Thomas Gossler.*



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July 09, 2019 at 11:06 AM

KG

“ Roger, Laurie ,Stuart and family, we are so sorry for your loss.  
Thinking of you and your family. Kay and Jimmy Green

Kay and Jimmy Green - July 09, 2019 at 09:30 AM

DB

“ David Brooks sent a virtual gift in memory of  
George Thomas Gossler



David Brooks - July 09, 2019 at 09:18 AM

DB

Deepest Sympathy!

David Brooks - July 09, 2019 at 09:19 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the  
family of George Thomas Gossler.



July 09, 2019 at 08:53 AM

AP

“ Roger, Laurie, Stuart and Gossler Family:  
Thinking of you all with a heart full of  
sympathy and love. ❤️



Anita Freeman Phillips - July 09, 2019 at 08:25 AM

BD

“ *BWXT IT Department purchased the Large Basket and Garden for the family of George Thomas Gossler.*



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**BWXT IT Department** - July 09, 2019 at 07:05 AM

CA

“ *Connie And C.j. Austin sent a virtual gift in memory of George Thomas Gossler*



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**connie and c.j. austin** - July 09, 2019 at 07:00 AM

GW

“ *Sorry for your loss*

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**Gwenda Willard** - July 08, 2019 at 09:48 PM

EG

“ *Elaine Gowen lit a candle in memory of George Thomas Gossler*



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**Elaine Gowen** - July 08, 2019 at 07:45 PM

RH

“ *Prayers for peace and comfort during this difficult time.*  
*Rhonda Keese Hudson*

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**Rhonda Hudson** - July 08, 2019 at 07:30 PM

AK

“ Thoughts & Prayers for Jean and the Family.  
Alice Faye Krantz Keesee



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**Alice K Keesee** - July 08, 2019 at 05:55 PM

FC

“ From Harold & Suzanne Crockett purchased the  
Basket Full of Wishes for the family of George  
Thomas Gossler.



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**From Harold & Suzanne Crockett** - July 08, 2019 at 05:15 PM

DI

“ Dianne Irby lit a candle in memory of George  
Thomas Gossler



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**Dianne Irby** - July 08, 2019 at 03:04 PM



“ 99 files added to the album Life Tributes



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Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - July 08, 2019 at 02:43 PM