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Dale Gilbert, 80, passed away April 9, 2013. He was born June 4, 1932 in Waco, Texas to the late George and Edna (Galloway) Gilbert. Dale moved to Lee County in 1993 from Beaver Dam, Wisconsin. He retired after 33 years as the Plant Supervisor of Green Giant. Dale's career led him and his family to locations such as Australia and New Zealand with the opportunity to experience travel around the world as a result. An now he continues with the Lord on his greatest adventure yet. Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 60 years, Velma; children, Gary Gilbert and his wife Dianna, Suzanne Gilbert, Janet Moriarty and her husband Frank and their son Ryan, Joe Gilbert and his wife Marcia; grandchildren, Ryan, Matt, Katie, Russell, Tonisha, Aaron, Ethan and Jossie; great grandchildren, Jake, Brooklyn and Bailey all of Minnesota; brother, Darrell Gilbert and sister Mary Gilbert both of Oklahoma; cousins, Bobby and his wife Sandi of Kentucky, Larry and his wife Gloria of Kentucky, Patsy and Shirley of Texas. Memorial contributions may be made to Hope Hospice at www.hopehospice.org. Condolences may be left online at www.fortmyersmemorial.com.



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CL

Colleen Ladd posted:

Dale was in my dream the other night, he bought us lunch! What a very special man, I knew him from Green Giant and was my very special friend Janet's father. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. Colleen and Mark Ladd

April 29 at 1:50 PM

CL

Colleen Ladd posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Dale Gilbert

April 29 at 1:44 PM

BR

Bill & Kay Ross posted:

Velma Gilbert and Family – We were so sorry to hear of Dale's passing. He was a gentleman and a friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Bill & Kay Ross Kitty Hawk, NC

April 27 at 12:09 PM

BR

Bob Ruffalo posted:

Vel we will see you in Florida this winter. Dale was a great friend for lot of year .I enjoyed working with him and always talk with him..Dale ,George and I go back a long time.He was a smart man and fun to be around.Strong in his faith and dedicated to family his work,always fare and curious.Behind any great man there is a strong gal .Vel we will be thing of you and excited to see you this fall. You and Dale will be always in our thoughts prayer. love Bob and Lucy .

April 25 at 5:35 PM

JB

Jim And Brenda Barr posted:

To the Gilbert Family,Our deepest sympathy during this difficult time. May you cherish the many memories and know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Jim and Brenda Barr

April 12 at 11:04 AM



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LF

Latosha Furr posted:

I always loved coming to visit you and Vel in Florida! Many great memories growing up during our trips! Dale you were an awesome example of a man, husband, father, and grandfather! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We love you Vel! Love, Mitchell, latosha, camryn, and jaxon Furr

April 11 at 4:29 PM

LF

Latosha Furr posted:

I loved our trips to visit you and Vel!!!! You will dearly missed! They just don't make them like you anymore!!! Our thoughts are prayers are with your family. We love you Vel!

April 11 at 3:39 PM

TL

Tara Lanin posted:

To the Gilbert Family, My thoughts are with you. Although I never had the chance to meet Dale, I felt like I knew him. Janet has shared so many stories over the years and I would have loved the chance to get to know him. I hope you all are able to find comfort in the memories that you share. Tara lanin

April 11 at 8:23 AM

EN

Elsie Nelson posted:

My sympathy to Lawrence's family and friends. I'm a friend of Marcia and Joe and only met Lawrence once when they were visiting Minnesota.

April 11 at 7:52 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Dale by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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