

## Dr. John Cyrus Gilbreath



Dr. John C. Gilbreath, 105, died September 24, 2021. A memorial service will be 10:30 Thursday, September 30, 2021 at Hillcrest Baptist Church. Strode Funeral home is in charge of the arrangements.

Dr. John Cyrus Gilbreath, 105, died Friday, September 24, 2021 in Stillwater, Oklahoma. His memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 30, 2021 at Hillcrest Baptist Church in Stillwater. His interment will take place at Highland Cemetery in Pawnee, Oklahoma. Strode Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Born in Clinton, OK to John and Jainie Gilbreath, John was the youngest of 5 children. He is predeceased by his parents, sisters, and his son, Cyrus. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth, two daughters, Sandra Driskel and Karen Flora (Jerei), a son-in-law, a daughter-in-law (Marsha), four grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

John served in the Air Core WWII from 1942 to 1945 as an Air Control Operator. In 1951 John received his PhD from LSU, and taught at the University of Arkansas. He later retired from Oklahoma State University.

Two of his hobbies in life were taking care of his coonhounds and enjoying OSU wrestling.

Some of John's words of wisdom: "Become a Christian, study the Bible, and maintain a sense of humor."

Dr. John Gilbreath was a member of Hanner-Sharp American Legion Post 129 Stillwater.

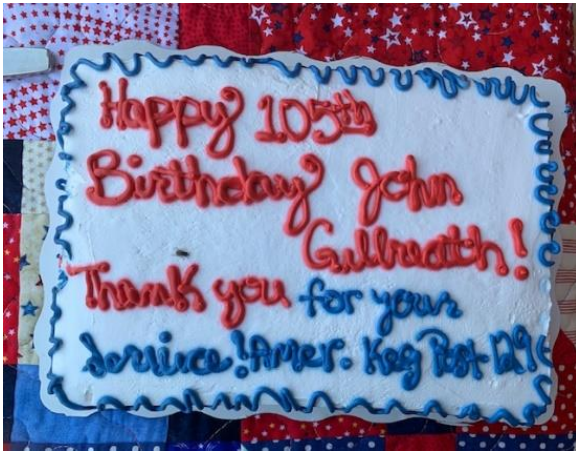
## John Gilbreath's 105 Birthday June 19, 2021



John Gilbreath's friends and Legion members attend birthday



Tom Yant, Jim Rutledge, Emmett Pybus, Dewey Clapp, Senator Dugger, Gerald McClain, John Gilbreath, Stan Witte



**Stan Witte Commander Post 129 presented Oklahoma Governor Stitt Commendation to John Gilbreath**



**Senator Dugger presented The State of Oklahoma Citation of Commendation to John Gilbreath**







**Oklahoma State University  
Agriculture Department Presented  
Citation to John Gilbreath**



**Oklahoma State University Agriculture  
Department Presented Citation to John  
Gilbreath.**



**Vice Commander Jim Rutledge  
Thanks John Gilbreath for his service**



**Stillwater Police thanks John Gilbreath  
for his service.**



**10 Police Cars**



**3 Fire Trucks**

