



Abigail Lynn Harris

June 24, 1945 - November 6, 2013

Abigail "Abbye" Lynn Harris, 68, of Spencer, NC passed away Wednesday, November 6, 2013 at Novant Health Rowan Medical Center.

She was born to the late Zenus and Arlene Williamson Harris, June 24, 1945 in Elkin, NC. Abbye graduated from Elkin High School in 1963. She received a BA from Wake Forest University in 1967. She received a Masters degree from UNC-Chapel Hill in 1969. Abbye enjoyed a fulfilling career as a Clinical Social Worker at the VA Medical Center in Salisbury until she retired in 1996.

She traveled extensively and had many friends across the nation. Her favorite city was New Orleans which she visited yearly. Each year she spent several months RV camping in Myrtle Beach.

Abbye is survived by Virginia Dare Bean, her companion for 36 years, sister, Betty Fletcher and her husband, Charles; nephew, Bill Fletcher and his wife Jenny, and their children, Eva and Ruth, nephew Greg Fletcher and his children Abby, Jesse and Sarah Beth; niece, Betsy and her husband, Walter and their daughter Faith and of course her beloved pugs, Gracie and Paula.

A celebration of her life will be held Saturday, November 9, 2013.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made to the

Rowan County Animal Shelter; c/o Rowan County Health Department, 1811 East Innes Street, Salisbury, NC 28146-6030.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Harris family. Online condolences and memorial tributes may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ I am very sorry I about your loss. Although I did not know Abbye, I can relate to the deep pain that comes with losing someone you love. My brief word of comfort comes from God's word in Revelation 21:4--"And he (God) will wipe out every tear from your eyes and death will be no more..." Job 14:15--"You will call and I myself shall answer you." Knowing our dear God will bring back to life our precious loved ones can bring us hope and peace. It is my wish you will find some comfort in these words.

Debbie Rich - November 11, 2013 at 08:00 AM

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“ So sorry to hear of Abby's passing. May God be with you Dare. Sylvia Chillcott and Patsy Duncan Spencer NC



patsy duncan - November 09, 2013 at 09:46 AM

JS

“ Dare,

Our hearts were deeply saddened to hear of your loss. I will forever remember Abbye for her love, guidance and acceptance throughout the years and will always be honored that my first child is named after her. May you find comfort during this time of loss.

Jan Smith - November 08, 2013 at 09:09 AM



Dare,

*May the warm winds of Heaven blow softly on you and your family.
Thinking of you! Love you, Cindy Atwell Compton*

cindy - November 10, 2013 at 05:23 PM