



Ann Coughenour Boyd

April 25, 1927 - March 26, 2010

Ann Coughenour Boyd, 82, of Salisbury, died Friday, March 26, 2010, at the N.C. Lutheran Home at Trinity Oaks after a short illness.

Born April 25, 1927, in Salisbury, she was the daughter of Ruby Rollins Gray and William Chambers Coughenour. She was preceded in death by her husband Louis Miller Boyd, Jr. and by two brothers, William Chambers Coughenour and Richard Chambers Coughenour.

She is survived by one sister, Nancy Coughenour Nicholes of Salisbury, son Louis Boyd and wife, Cathy, of Mt. Pleasant, S.C., daughter Betsy Cunningham and husband, Dean, of Salisbury, and five grandchildren Cham Boyd, Kristin Boyd, Justin Cunningham and wife, Emily, Anna Cunningham and Mary Cunningham, and great granddaughter Elena Kate Cunningham.

She graduated from Boyden High School, attended Mary Washington College, in Fredericksburg, Va., and completed real estate courses at Pfeiffer College and Davidson County Community College.

Ann was involved with the Historic Salisbury Foundation and other historic interests, serving on the Rowan Museum board of directors for many years. She served on the city planning board in the early 1970's and was a past president of the League of Women Voters. She enjoyed membership in the Travelers Club, the Christian Reid Book Club and bridge clubs. She was among the first women in Salisbury to take up a real estate career.

Service: The funeral service will be 11:00 am Monday, March 29, 2010, at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Salisbury, officiated by Rev. Wayne M. Hougland, Jr. Burial will follow at Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

Visitation: The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at her residence.

Memorials: May be made to St. Luke's Episcopal Church Foundation, 131 W. Council St.,

Salisbury, NC 28144, the Rowan Public Library Christian Reid Book Club Endowment, 201 W. Fisher St., Salisbury, NC or organization of donor's choice.

Summersett Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com

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“ We were saddened to hear of Ann's sudden death. We are her neighbors at the corner of W. Bank and S. Ellis and although we did not know her well, we had the opportunity to have several conversations with her. She made us feel welcomed, inviting us to join her for cocktails at 5 pm. Regretably we never took her up on it. We loved her sense of humor and wit. She will be missed from the neighborhood. I can only imagine the loss for her family and close friends. Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you today.
Sincerely, Frank Labagnara and David Garling.##imported-begin##Dr. Frank Labagnara##imported-end##

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