



## Barbara "Bobbie" Lentz Melton

November 21, 1933 - June 19, 2026

Barbara "Bobbie" Lentz Melton, 92, of Salisbury passed away Friday, June 19, 2026 at

Novant Health Glenn Kiser Hospice House.

Bobbie was born November 21, 1933, in Rowan County to the late Elva Valley Lentz and David Caleb Lentz. She graduated from Boyden High School, Class of 1952. Bobbie was a devoted homemaker and worked for Salisbury Schools Food Services for 15 years. She was a member of First United Methodist Church where she volunteered at the church office and was a member of the Adam & Eve Sunday School Class. She was a mentor/counselor for Camp Discovery.

Preceding her in death was her husband of 46 years, C.R. Melton Jr. who died on October 6, 1997; grandson Matthew Lee Carleton; brothers: David Lentz Jr., James V. Lentz, and Lawrence K. Lentz; and sisters Margaret Shulenberger, Lillian Doyle, Hazel Allen, and Edith Snider.

Those left to cherish her memories are her son, Joey Melton (Jane) of Salisbury; daughter, Wanda Melton Carleton (Richard) of Southport, NC; grandchildren Laura Melton Passmore (Rick), David Melton (Mary Allison) and Chris Carleton (Kayla); great-grandchildren Ben, Ava and Emma Passmore, Charley Horton and Cooper Melton, Matthew and Alexandra Carleton.

A graveside service will be held at 10 AM Wednesday (June 24) at Rowan Memorial Park. The Celebration of Life service will follow at 11 AM at First United Methodist Church, officiated by Rev. Jason Harvey. The family will

receive friends following the service.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church,  
Camp Discovery Fund, 217 S. Church Street, Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Melton Family. Online condolences  
may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Rowan Memorial Park

4125 Franklin Comm Center Rd  
Salisbury, NC 28144  
(704) 636-8751

# Upcoming Events

## Graveside Service

JUN 24. 10:00 AM (ET)

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## Memorial Service

JUN 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
217 S. Church St.  
Salisbury, NC 28144

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Racine Douglas lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Bobbie" Melton*



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**Racine Douglas** - Yesterday at 08:43 PM

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“ *Wanda, and family, Judi and I send our heartfelt condolences for the loss of Barbara. You all were blessed to enjoy her for many years. Blessings to you all.*  
*Judi & Ralph*

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**Judi Brittain** - Yesterday at 08:42 PM