



Frances Carolyn Raney Ward

March 16, 1939 - March 9, 2022

Frances Carolyn Raney Ward, 82, of Salisbury, passed away Wednesday, March 9, 2022 at Autumn Care of Salisbury.

Born March 16, 1939 in Rowan County she was the daughter of the late Quinn William Raney and Edith Virginia Jones Raney. She was a graduate of Woodleaf High School and attended Appalachian State University for one year. She worked for Hoechst Celanese until her retirement.

She loved doing arts and crafts and was a collector of many of many things. She had many interests, including word search puzzles, reading, bird watching, gardening, Bingo and loved to wear hats. She enjoyed Mexican food, big breakfasts and hotdogs at the Big Pig. She loved her family, especially her great-grandbabies. She was someone who loved to “bling out”, laugh and be a little bit sassy.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a brother, Mickey Raney and former husband, Harry Ward.

Left to cherish her memory are her son, Tony Ward of Salisbury; daughter, Lori Parks (David) of Marion, NC; brother, David Raney (Brenda) of China Grove; grandchildren, Leah Monday (Mark), Tanner Parks, Emmanuel Parks, and Robin Myers (David); great-grandchildren. Nolan Miller and Nora Miller; and many nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 20, 2022 at Summersett Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 2:30 p.m. in Summersett Memorial Chapel. Burial will follow in Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

The family requests that attendees please wear colorful clothes, as much bling as possible and a fun, pretty hat if you have one.

In lieu of cut flowers, the family requests flowers or plants that can be replanted in a memorial garden in Mama's memory.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Ward family. Online condolences may be made at summersettfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Chestnut Hill Cemetery

Salisbury, NC

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144
(704) 633-2111
<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

MAR 20. 2:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.* ”



March 19, 2022 at 10:07 AM



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March 19, 2022 at 12:25 AM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.* ”



March 18, 2022 at 10:55 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.* ”



March 18, 2022 at 02:15 PM

BR

“ *Brenda S Raney purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.*



Brenda S Raney - March 13, 2022 at 05:59 PM

JP

“ *Such a wonderful lady ! Strong , caring and always a joy to be around . Prayers for the family ! Fly high my sweet friend.*

June Phelps - March 12, 2022 at 10:19 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.*



March 11, 2022 at 09:15 PM

JW

“ *Tony and family--so sorry to hear that Frances passed away. She was one that enjoyed life and I know that you were always an inspiration and help whenever she was in need. Prayers for you and your family.. Jay Whittington*

Jay Whittington - March 11, 2022 at 08:11 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Frances Carolyn Raney Ward.*



March 11, 2022 at 07:24 PM