



## Harold Wade Buchanan

December 1, 1934 - October 4, 2022

Harold Wade Buchanan, 87, of Salisbury, passed away Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at the Laurels of Salisbury following a short illness.

Born December 1, 1934 at home in Cavel, N.C. he was the son of the late Almeade W. Buchanan and Wade Hampton Buchanan. He graduated from Roxboro High School and attended N.C. State University on a full academic scholarship. He worked in the textile industry in North Carolina and South Carolina.

He was of the Methodist faith and a member of PI KAPPA ALPHA, NCSU. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by a daughter, Elizabeth B. Wilson and sister, Bonnie Gay Buchanan.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 66 years, Rachel Long Buchanan; sons, William Harold Buchanan (Lauren), Joseph Phillip Buchanan (Tami), Michael David Buchanan; son-in-law, Jeffrey Scott Wilson; brothers, Michael Philip Buchanan (Denise); granddaughters, Emma Buchanan, Rose Buchanan (Chris), Sydney Buchanan, Victoria Buchanan, Madison Wilson, Christie Wilson, Natalie Buchanan and Sophia Buchanan.

A memorial service will be conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, October 8, 2022 at First United Methodist Church, Salisbury with Rev. Dr. Mark Conforti officiating. Inurnment will be in the First United Methodist Church Columbarium.

Memorials may be made to Meals on Wheels of Rowan Inc., P.O. Box 1914, Salisbury, NC 28145 or Salvation Army, P.O. Box 625, Salisbury, NC 28145.

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

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

WB

“ So sorry to hear of Harold's passing. He was a long time family friend that carried himself with class and grace. Please know our thoughts are with the family at this time. Go Pack! Walt and Tabitha Bagwell

Walt Bagwell - October 06, 2022 at 04:11 PM



“ Rachael: I'm so sad to hear of Harold's passing. I fondly remember our time together in Salisbury and always think of him when I see NC State play football. We had a great time singing and talking about football - especially between Denny, Harold, and Earl. Peace and Grace to you and the family.  
Bob Meyers

Bob Meyers - October 06, 2022 at 01:17 PM

FE

“ From James & Teresa Edwards purchased the Ful  
I Of Love Bouquet for the family of Harold Wade  
Buchanan.



From James & Teresa Edwards - October 06, 2022 at 12:23 PM

BL

“ Rachel, please accept my heartfelt condolences upon learning of Harold's passing. I have such lovely memories of choir experiences and seeing both of you at church and all about town. I thank God for the long and happy life you shared together. I ask that you feel God's peace and comfort with you.

Becky Lippard - October 06, 2022 at 12:08 PM

JE

“ Phillip sorry to hear about your dad our prayers and thoughts go out to you and your family in this time of sorry. James & ,Teresa Edwards

James Edwards - October 06, 2022 at 12:07 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Wade Buchanan.



October 06, 2022 at 10:43 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Harold Wade Buchanan.



October 05, 2022 at 08:08 PM



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October 05, 2022 at 08:05 PM

MD

“ Mike and Denise purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Harold Wade Buchanan.



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**Mike and Denise** - October 05, 2022 at 05:20 PM