



Mr James Marvin Kelly

July 20, 1937 - October 2, 2013

Mr. James Marvin Kelly, 76, of Salisbury, NC passed away Wednesday, October 02, 2013 at Novant Health Rowan Medical Center.

Born July 20, 1937 in New Orleans, LA he was the son of the late Ellen Corneille and James Leon Kelly. He was a graduate of Pensacola High School and University of Southern Mississippi. Mr. Kelly served in the U.S. Army and was a chemical engineer with Fiber Industry and retired in 1995. He was an avid golfer, an antique dealer, and longtime member of the North Carolina, Virginia, and Florida Athletic Officiating Association.

Mr. Kelly was a member of First Baptist Church.

Surviving is his wife of 53 years, Marjorie Grantham Kelly; sons, Douglas Kelly of Salisbury, NC and Karl Kelly of Holly Springs, NC; daughters, Phyllis Laubach of Carlsbad, CA and Dixie Clegg of Easley, SC; grandchildren, Ben Kelly, Kevin Kelly, Elizabeth Laubach, Allison Laubach, Sydney Kelly, Tyler March, Emily Kelly, Kelli Clegg; and three great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held from 6-8PM Saturday, October 5, 2013 at Summersett Funeral Home.

The funeral service will be at 2:00 PM Sunday, October 6, 2013 at

Summersett Memorial Chapel, conducted by Rev. Dr. Kenneth Lance. Burial will follow at Rowan Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church of Salisbury, 223 N. Fulton St., Salisbury, NC 28144 and the N.C. Lutheran Home at Trinity Oaks, 820 Klumac Rd., Salisbury, NC 28144.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Kelly family. Memorial tributes and online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

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“ *Margie: Was so sorry to read about Jim. Always enjoyed sharing antique tales with him. My deepest sympathy to you and all the family. Shirley Frazier*

Shirley Frazier - October 05, 2013 at 08:34 AM

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“ *Dana C Wilhelm purchased the A Full Life for the family of Mr James Marvin Kelly.*



Dana C Wilhelm - October 04, 2013 at 05:57 PM

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“ *For the Kelly family,
I was a co-worker with Jim at Fiber Industries in the early 1980's. We remained friends with Jim and Margie, and I continued to help him set up at the annual Hillsville Labor Day Flea Market for almost 30 years. I treasure their friendship dearly, and will miss Jim as a companion. Prayers and love to all the family from Dana and I.
Doug Wilhelm*

Douglas Wilhelm - October 04, 2013 at 10:47 AM

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“ *Mrs. Kelly, Phyllis, and all the family,
I am so saddened to hear of the loss of Mr. Kelly. He was a very fine
man and I have fond memories of being around your entire family
through my friendship with Phyllis during our high school years. My
sympathy to all. You are in my prayers.*

Renae Talley Brown

renae brown - October 03, 2013 at 07:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Mr James Marvin Kelly.*



October 03, 2013 at 06:56 PM