



## James Holroyd West Jr.

July 18, 1935 - May 8, 2017

Mr. James Holroyd West, Jr., 81 of Salisbury passed away Monday morning May 8, at his home surrounded by his loving family.

Born July 18, 1935 in Charleston, SC he was the son of the late Catherine Cecil (Caca) and James H. West, Sr. (Pike). He graduated from Boyden High School in 1953 and Davidson College in 1957 where he was an outstanding athlete in football and baseball. Mr. West was also an avid golfer enjoying the game his entire life.

While at Davidson he completed Officer Candidate School and afterwards proudly served as a lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps. Upon completion of the Marines Mr. West moved back to Salisbury and joined Bamby Bakery in 1961 where he eventually became President.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Salisbury where he served on various committees over the years. He served as President of the Kiwanis Club, and was on the board of Directors for Home Federal Savings Bank. Mr. West delivered Meals on Wheels for 26 years.

He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Jean Wilhelm West; sons: James H. West, III. (Lisa) of Atlanta, GA; Gregory Peeler West of Cornelius, NC; Bradford Robinson West of Salisbury, NC; and Justin Schuyler West of Duck, NC; grandchildren, of whom he was tremendously proud and who brought him great joy, Alex, Nathan, and Nicholas West, Avery and Schyler West, Spencer and Davis West, and Althea Jean West; brother, David P. West (Fran) of Rockingham, SC; and numerous nephews.

The Memorial Service will be held 11 AM Friday (May 12) at First United Methodist Church; officiated by Rev. Dr. Mark Conforti. A reception for family and friends will be held following the memorial service in the church Fellowship Hall.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church Music Fund,

217 S. Church St., Salisbury, NC 28144; The V Foundation for Cancer Research, 14600 Weston Parkway, Cary, NC 27513 or Hospice of Rowan County, 720 Grove St., Salisbury, NC 28144.

Our sincere thanks to Dr. Bill Brinkley and Hospice of Rowan for their care and support during his brief illness.

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

# Tribute Wall

KP

“ Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you Jean and the entire family. May God provide you with comfort and peace.  
With sympathy,  
David and Kathy Pulliam  
Kathryn Graham

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**Kathy Graham Pulliam** - May 11, 2017 at 05:31 AM

BG

“ I echo the comments shared by my good friend, Mr. Charlie Walters regarding the Boyden High School breakfast members. Mr. West and these gentlemen were members of my Dad's very first English class at BHS (Class of 1953) and he affectionately referred to them as "my boys"! Mr. West was a fine man; a strong leader; a loyal patriot who loved his country, and a very proud Marine who will be missed by many people! Well done, CAPT West. Jean - my prayers are with you and the entire family. Sincerely, Bruce Greenland, Woodbridge, VA

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**Bruce Greenland** - May 10, 2017 at 02:11 PM

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“ Deepest sympathy to Jean and family for their loss.  
Ann Powlas

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**Ann Powlas** - May 10, 2017 at 10:10 AM

 Jamie  
Kimmer

“ Deepest sympathy to Jean and all of Jim's family. I enjoyed working with Jim at Flowers Industries (Bamby Bakers) and Jean too. Jim always had a smile for all of us. I will miss running into Jim about town and many times when he was eating with his many friends at Winks!  
Thoughts, Prayers and Peace  
Jamie Moose Kimmer

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**Jamie Kimmer** - May 09, 2017 at 08:20 PM

CW

“ I shall always remember the good times at our regular BHS Saturday morning breakfasts and the many conversations regarding little league baseball games, grand- children, all sports, etc. I have lost a good and great friend. Charlie walters

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**Charlie Walters** - May 09, 2017 at 07:45 PM