



Mrs Jo Ann Evans Safley

March 6, 1937 - October 28, 2015

Mrs. Jo Ann Evans Safley, 78, of Salisbury, NC passed away Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at Liberty Commons Nursing Home.

Born March 6, 1937 in Rowan County Mrs. Safley was the daughter of the late Lillian Blanche Freeze Evans and Gregg Robert Evans, Sr.

Mrs. Safley was a graduate of Woodleaf High School. She worked and later retired from Hoechst Celanese as a librarian and specification coordinator with the textile plant. She enjoyed sewing, crafts, cooking, and writing poetry. Mrs. Safley was a former Miss Woodleaf and Miss Rowan County.

Mrs. Safley was a member of Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church. She attended the Harry Steele Sunday School class, was a member of the Church Guild, United Methodist Women, Friendship Club, and sang in the church choir.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her sister, Loretta E. Naile.

Those left to cherish her memory are her husband, Bobby Peeler Safley of Salisbury; daughter, Teresa Weddington (Michael) of Salisbury; brothers, Bob Surratt (Betty) of Dallas, NC, Aldoph Evans (Kay) of Longwood, FL., Gregg Evans Jr. (Katie) of Salisbury, Dennis Evans (Jana) Branson, MO, Harvey Evans (Rose) of Valdese, NC; sisters, Judy Earnhardt of Rockwell, NC, Delores Waggoner (Terry) of Mt. Ulla, NC, Helen Meares, Nokesville, VA, Julia Barrette of Atlanta, GA, Daryce Rimmer (Michael) of Salisbury; grandchildren, Anthony Cole Weddington of Salisbury, and Summer JoAnn Weddington

Lowe (Greg) of Cleveland, NC.

Visitation will be held Saturday, October 31, 2015 from 12-2PM in Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Funeral service will follow in the church at 2PM with Rev. Frank and Mary Gordon officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church, 5545 Woodleaf Rd., Salisbury, NC 28147.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Safley family. Online condolences and memorial tributes may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Hi my name is Kayla and I am a local bible teacher. I am so sorry for the loss of your loved one. There is a very comforting scripture at Isaiah 25:8. It says that soon Jehovah will swallow up death forever and that he will wipe away all of the tears. So we can all look forward to a time when death will be no more. I hope that this scripture can bring some true comfort during these difficult times.



kayla - November 07, 2015 at 02:24 PM

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“ Teresa, please know that your WRMS family is thinking of you, and holding you up in prayer! Love Michelle Owens

Michelle Owens - October 30, 2015 at 05:44 AM

DA

“ She was a beautiful lady and very well loved. She was a hard worker but also a lot of fun. I enjoyed spending time with her and she always told me how Pretty I was. We will miss you sweet beautiful lady. Love and Prayers for her family. Dee Angel

Dee Angel - October 29, 2015 at 08:02 AM