



## Judy Hess Carden

February 27, 1944 - October 20, 2021

Judy Hess Carden, 77, of Salisbury, passed away Wednesday, October 20, 2021 at Monroe Rehabilitation, Monroe.

Born February 27, 1944 in Salisbury, she was the daughter of the late Annie Lee Martin Hess and Franklin Lewis Hess, Sr.

She was educated in the Salisbury schools and graduated from Boyden High School and Appalachian State Teachers College.

Mrs. Carden taught in the Salisbury/Rowan School system and taught Home Economics at East Rowan High School before retiring.

She was a lifelong member of North Main Baptist Church where she taught children's Sunday School and the Adult ladies. Mrs. Carden served as President of the Women's Missionary Union.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Larry Norton Carden on August 31, 2013 and a brother, Franklin Lewis Hess, Jr.

Those left to cherish her memory are her children, Christopher Larry Carden (Kathy) of Nags Head, Matthew Brian Carden (Emily) of Landis and Laura Carden Smith (Thomas) of Concord; grandchildren, Ella Carden, Miles

Carden, Connor Winstead, John Winstead, Jace Smith and Braxton Abel Smith.

The family will receive friends from 1-2 PM Sunday (Oct. 24) at North Main Baptist Church followed by the funeral service at 2 PM with the Rev. Dr. Dale Robertson officiating. Entombment will follow at Rowan Memorial Park Mausoleum.

Memorials may be made to North Main Baptist Church, 1501 N. Main Street, Salisbury, NC 28144

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

# Cemetery Details

## Rowan Memorial Park Mausoleum

4125 Fanklin Community Center Road  
Salisbury, NC 28144

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

North Main Baptist Church  
Salisbury, NC

## Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

North Main Baptist Church  
Salisbury, NC

# Tribute Wall

JP

“ I grew up in Dukeville with Larry and even though he didn't graduate with me in 1957 we always included him and Judy in our reunion get togethers. After Larry passed away I would run into Judy every now and then and always enjoyed talking with her. Was sad to learn of her passing.

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**Joyce Poole** - October 28, 2021 at 01:56 PM

HR

“ Judy and I were in the same class at Henderson School in Salisbury from 1950 to 1958, and then we attended Boyden High School from 1958 to 1962. I will always remember her as such a nice person. I pray for you during this sad time.

Sincerely,  
Harold Ritchie

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**Harold Ritchie** - October 25, 2021 at 02:42 PM

SB

“ I had Mrs. Carden in high school in Foods class. She was a sweet and smart person. She taught me a lot about food and health and how to cook. I really enjoyed her class! I will really miss her! 💔💔



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**Shane Bowman** - October 25, 2021 at 08:52 AM

NS

“ To Judy's family.  
I have known Judy for many years. We graduated together at Boyden High School. She was a sweet, caring, loving friend. When we were having our lunch get togethers, it was always such a joy to visit with her. Many times after lunch we would see each other again at Marshall's or Wal Mart. I will miss seeing her. My prayers are with her family at this difficult time.

Long time friend,  
Nancy Satterwhite

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**Nancy Satterwhite** - October 25, 2021 at 12:56 AM

SS

“ Judy Carden was a really special person...she always saw only the good in people including her students. We taught together (even in the same room) for years and never once did she say a bad word about anybody. My heartfelt condolences go to her children and grandchildren...we are all going to miss her.

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**Sharon Shatterly** - October 24, 2021 at 01:13 PM

PS

“ My condolences to all on her passing. Hope you are comforted in the good memories and knowledge that you will all be reunited.

Phil Suggs.

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**Phil Suggs** - October 24, 2021 at 11:57 AM

AR

“ Hello Laura  
We are sending condolences to you and your family. We are so sorry to hear of your mother's passing.  
She was a kind, sweet and caring woman who was always willing to help. I know you all will miss her.  
You were in my little Brownie troop at Union Lutheran.  
Prayers for you,  
Amanda Russell and family

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**Amanda russell** - October 24, 2021 at 08:57 AM

AP

“ Mrs. Carden was one of my Favorite teachers at East Rowan High School. She was my Homeschool teacher for over a year and my Life skills teacher my Senior year. She was an Amazing Lady and Teacher. I'm Sincerely Sorry to her Children, Family, and Her Friends. You are All in my Thoughts and Prayers.

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**Angela Pierce** - October 22, 2021 at 09:31 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Judy Hess Carden.



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October 22, 2021 at 07:30 PM

EB

“ Sending prayers! Judy was a special and caring lady! She will be missed greatly! Always enjoyed working with her at school! Coach Ed Bowles and wife Sandy Bowles

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**Ed Bowles** - October 22, 2021 at 04:24 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Judy Hess Carden.*



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October 22, 2021 at 03:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Judy Hess Carden.*



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October 21, 2021 at 10:41 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Judy Hess Carden.*



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October 21, 2021 at 03:09 PM