



Judy Shoaf McLaughlin

February 2, 1942 - September 28, 2025

Judy Shoaf McLaughlin, 83, of Salisbury, NC passed away Sunday, September 28, 2025 at The Lutheran Home at Trinity Oaks.

Judy was born February 2, 1942 in Salisbury, NC to the late Richard Lee Shoaf and Annie Marie Kepley. She was graduate of the Class of 1960 at West Rowan High School. Judy worked as an administrative assistant with Hoechst Celanese.

She was a devout Christian and lifelong member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church where she played the organ, sang in the choir, served as a Sunday school teacher, and was the lay Eucharist minister.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband Onlie Graham McLaughlin; brothers, Gerald Shoaf and Perry Shoaf.

Left to cherish her memory is her daughter, Tracey McLaughlin Motley and her husband Tommy of Salisbury, NC; and sister, Carol Smith of Salisbury, NC.

The family will receive friends from 12-1PM, October 2, 2025 at Summersett Funeral Home. The funeral service will be at 1pm in Summersett Memorial Chapel. Burial will follow at Rowan Memorial Park cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 4401 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury, NC 28147.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the McLaughlin family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Rowan Memorial Park

4125 Franklin Comm Center Rd
Salisbury, NC 28144
(704) 636-8751

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

OCT 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ Patricia Marlin sent a virtual gift in memory of Judy McLaughlin



Patricia Marlin - October 02, 2025 at 09:34 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. We loved Judy. Merle & Patricia Marlin

Patricia Marlin - October 02, 2025 at 09:33 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.

September 30, 2025 at 08:40 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.

September 30, 2025 at 02:10 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.



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“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.



September 29, 2025 at 05:57 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.

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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.

September 29, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish* was purchased for the family of Judy Shoaf McLaughlin.



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