



Larry Hicks Fain

August 29, 1940 - September 13, 2023

Larry Hicks Fain, 83, of Salisbury, NC passed away Wednesday, September 13, 2023 at Novant Health Rowan Medical Center.

Mr. Fain was born August 29, 1940 in Rowan County, NC to the late Rev. Eugene Mack Fain and Cordia Watson Fain. He was a proud Veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving July 1959 – July 1963. He was a graduate of Catawba College and earned a Master's Degree from NC A & T State University, Greensboro. He worked at West Rowan Middle School as a Physical Education and Health teacher until his retirement.

Mr. Fain was a faithful member of First United Methodist Church, where he and his wife served on numerous committees and made lifelong friends through their service to their church and community.

Larry loved the outdoors and spent his days golfing, fishing, coaching football and camping with friends and family. His love for football and the Carolina Panthers was known by all who knew him.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving wife of 51 years, Kathryn "Kathy" Fain on May 21, 2020 and one brother, Earl Fain.

Those left to cherish his memory are his son, Jason Scott Fain and wife Alisha of Concord, NC, daughter, Christy Fain Anderson and husband Brad of Mocksville, NC; sisters, Joy Clement of Salisbury, NC and Barbara Matthews of Birmingham, Alabama; and grandchildren, Makenzie Fain, Kathryn Bradley Anderson, Charlotte Anderson and Chance Anderson.

A Graveside Service will be held Friday (Sept 22) at 11 AM at the U.S.

National Cemetery, Statesville Blvd location, Salisbury, NC, conducted by Rev. Dr. Mark Conforti. Military Honors will be conducted by the Rowan County Honor Guard and the US Navy Honor Guard. Family and friends are welcome to attend the service. The family will receive friends after the service in the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, 217 S. Church Street, Salisbury, NC 28144.

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

Cemetery Details

Salisbury National Cemetery

501 Statesville Blvd.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Salisbury National Cemetery
501 Statesville Blvd.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Visitation Following Service

SEP **22** (ET)

First United Methodist Church
217 S. Church St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of your dad’s passing. I worked with him one summer at Meadowbrook Pool and he was always kind and cheerful. My mom taught with him and your mom at West Junior High and had the highest respect for them both. My sincere condolences and prayers to your family.

Anne Greenland Kennedy - September 20, 2023 at 01:45 PM

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“ Jason and family. my sympathies to you all in the passing of our teacher and friend. Larry was a darn fine teacher and coach and I have always had great memories of my time under his tenure at West Junior High School. He will surely be missed.

TOMMY COHEN - September 19, 2023 at 02:20 PM

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“ 1959 Classmates of Landis High School



Landis, NC - September 16, 2023 at 05:51 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Larry Hicks Fain.

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“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of
Larry Hicks Fain.



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