



Larry Thomas Morris

April 17, 1939 - March 9, 2014

Larry Thomas Morris, 74, of Hampstead, NC, formally of Salisbury, NC passed away Sunday, March 9, 2014.

Larry was born to the late George and Rena Morris, April 17, 1939, in Salisbury, NC. Larry graduated from Boyden High School in 1957 and then served his country in the Air Force from 1957 to 1960. He married Evelyn Floyd on June 16, 1961, and they lived together in Salisbury, NC. He worked for MDM trucking before retiring to Hampstead with his wife in 2003.

Larry was a passionate volunteer for the Pender County Senior Center and an active member of the Topsail Island Moose Lodge. He spent his retirement years fishing, playing golf, volunteering and playing Santa Clause for the seniors and the children of the Moose.

Larry is survived by his wife Evelyn and three children: Jimmy David Morris and wife Brenda, of Sumter, SC; Dixie Morris Gish, of Henderson, Kentucky; and George Morris and wife Sarah, of Woodleaf, NC. He also is survived by his sister Pat Morris Floyd and husband Luther, seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at Bethel Lutheran Church on Thursday, March 13, 2014 at 4:00. The family will receive visitors prior to the service at 2:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations be made to Rufty Holmes Senior Center at 1120 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. Salisbury, NC 28144, the Topsail Island Moose Lodge #2061 at 13175 NC Hwy 50 Holly Ridge, NC 28445 or Pender County Senior Center at 20959 Hwy. 17, Hampstead, NC 28443.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Lutheran Church

Memorial Service

MAR 13. 4:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Lutheran Church

Tribute Wall

LM

“ *To Evelyn and Patsy: I am so sorry for your loss. Larry was a schoolmate of mine and I believe he also worked for Salisbury Fire dept. at same time my husband did. I know he will be greatly missed. He was a very likeable person. Praying for you all, LaSelle Thompson Miller.*

LaSelle Thompson Miller - March 13, 2014 at 11:51 AM

VD

“ *George & Sarah
So sorry to hear the sad news. I am sure you have many memories. Lean on God and He will help you thru this. I am praying for you and your family. Love Vickie*

Vickie Dry - March 12, 2014 at 01:31 PM

LG

“ *In your memories may you find comfort, in your friends and family may you find love, and in your heart, may you find the strength to help you through this sad time. God's word the Holy Bible promises "Your dead ones will live....They will rise up...{Isaiah 26:19}*

Lori Gatz - March 11, 2014 at 11:01 AM

PK

“ To Evelyn and family, Pete and my prayers are with you all. Just remember Larry is at peace now with our Good Lord. If there is ever anything Pete and I can do for you, all you have to do is let us know. God bless and take care of you.

*Pete and Sybil Koonce
422 NC hwy 22 N
Ramseur, NC 27317*

Pete and Sybil Koonce - March 11, 2014 at 10:28 AM

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“ APRIL SIMMONS lit a candle in memory of Larry Thomas Morris



APRIL SIMMONS - March 11, 2014 at 08:56 AM