



## Marian Adams Spain

November 23, 1939 - March 8, 2013

Marian Adams Spain, 73, of Salisbury passed away Friday, March 8, 2013 at the Laurels of Salisbury.

Born November 23, 1939 in Richmond, VA, she was the daughter of the late Rosa Rock Adams and Joseph Alexander Adams, Sr.

Mrs. Spain graduated from Thomas Dale High School, Chester, VA and received her BA degree in Mathematics from Mary Washington University, Fredericksburg, VA and her Masters degree in Education from the University of North Carolina, Greensboro.

She was a finance secretary for churches in Eden, Mooresville, Reidsville, and Salisbury before retiring.

Mrs. Spain was an active member of Stallings Memorial Baptist Church and taught the Ruth Sunday School Class before her illness. She was also a member of the Quilters Guild of Salisbury.

Those left to cherish her memory are her husband of 50 years, Carl E. Spain, whom she married August 4, 1962; sons, David A. Spain of Greensboro and James E. "Jim" Spain and wife Melissa of Raleigh; brothers, Joseph A. Adams, Jr. and wife Stella of Hilton Head, SC, Larry S. Adams and wife Lynn

of Goshen, KY; grandchildren, Katie Spain, Andrew Spain and Klara Spain of Raleigh.

The family will receive friends from 11 AM – 12 Noon Tuesday in the Rhyne Fellowship Building at Stallings Memorial Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be conducted 12 Noon Tuesday at Stallings Memorial Baptist Church with the Rev. Bobby Seagroves and Rev. Dr. Billy Cashwell, minister of Benson Grove Baptist Church, Benson, NC, officiating. Mrs. Spain will lie in state 1 hour prior to the service.

Interment will follow at the VA National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Rowan Hospice and Palliative Care, 720 Grove St., Salisbury, NC 28144 or Stallings Memorial Baptist Church Bus Fund, 817 S. Main St., Salisbury, NC 28144

# Tribute Wall



“ David, I want to express my sympathies for the loss of your Mother. I know she will be greatly missed but so many lives she has touched and the memories will always be carried in their hearts. Praying for all of the family. No more pain and in the Loving Arms of Our Lord. Julia Sheppard/Living Way Church##imported-begin##Julia Sheppard##imported-end##

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March 11, 2013 at 11:55 AM



“ I worked with Marian in the church office of Stallings Memorial Baptist Church for over seven years, having the privilege of seeing into her heart many times. She was to me a knowledgeable teacher, compassionate counselor, trusted co-worker and treasured friend. Even though Heaven has rejoiced at her homecoming, those who loved her will sorrowfully feel her absence. If ever there was a lady who knew Jesus Christ on a personal level, it was Marian, and I know without a doubt that upon her entrance into the Promised Land she heard the words, “Well done, my good and faithful servant.” Mat.25:21. With a heavy heart, Rene Barger##imported-begin##Rene Barger##imported-end##

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March 10, 2013 at 02:32 PM



“ We send our love and sympathy. What good Taft & Wilson St. family memories!

*Mrs. B hopes to join you on Tues. Mr. B will be at Mars Hill College judging at choral contest.*

*For joy in the Lord always!##imported-begin##Duane & Gloria Best##imported-end##*

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March 09, 2013 at 08:26 PM



“ Our beloved Marian---gracious, warm and loving as our Grandmother Hearn.

*Nancy & family##imported-begin##Nancy Boush##imported-end##*

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March 09, 2013 at 02:17 PM



“ To you and your family, we send you our deepest sympathy##imported-begin##Lee & Kerstin Spain##imported-end##

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March 09, 2013 at 07:27 AM



“ To the Family of Marian Spain:

*My heart goes out to you and all your family for the grief you are experiencing. It will be wonderful when Jehovah God swallows up death forever. (Isa 25:8) This will be when God's Kingdom, the one that Jesus taught us to pray for will rule over the earth from heaven. (Matt 6:9,10) Then Jesus will resurrect the dead and we can have the joy of being reunited with those who have died. (John 5:28,29) Please when the mourning of Marian has subsided, consider having a Bible study and get the comfort that only the scriptures can give. (John 17:3) (Psalms 37: 9-11, 29) (Rev 21:3-5)##imported-begin##Linda Harrison##imported-end##*

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March 09, 2013 at 03:01 AM



“ Prayers of peace and comfort for the Spain Family. I am so sorry David, anytime you need an ear, I'm here for you:), she was a beautiful lady.##imported-begin##Dedi Gaither##imported-end##

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March 08, 2013 at 05:16 PM