



Martha Hoffman Kennerly

January 17, 1921 - July 26, 2009

Martha Hoffman Kennerly, 88, of Salisbury died Sunday, July 26, 2009 at Rowan Regional Medical Center.

Born January 17, 1921 in Salisbury, she was the daughter of the late Arthur J. and Ruth Cornelison Hoffman. She was educated in the Salisbury schools and graduated from Boyden High School.

Mrs. Kennerly was a homemaker and a member of Bethel Lutheran Church, W.E.L.C.A. and the McCombs Circle. She was very special grandmother to her grandchildren, and enjoyed traveling and camping in her RV with the Holiday Ramblers Camping Club.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, John Cyrus Kennerly, Jr. on March 21, 1997 and a grandson, Jamie Rabon on September 8, 1999, brothers, David Hoffman and Henry Hoffman; sister, Elizabeth Williams.

She is survived by her daughter, Betsy K. Rabon and husband Eddie of Salisbury; son, Charles R. "Bob" Kennerly and wife Judy of Salisbury; sisters, Pat Harris and husband Harold, Joyce Morefield, and Eleanor Balestrino all of Salisbury and Ann Hargis of Salisbury; brothers, Al Hoffman and fiancée Mary Ann Davis and Sam Hoffman and wife Barbara of Salisbury and Pete Hoffman

and wife Lorrie of Atlanta, GA; grandchildren, Rhonda Hunt and husband Duke of Salisbury, Mark Kennerly and wife Jennifer of Mt. Ulla, Brittany Rabon of Salisbury, Shane Rabon and wife Aimee of Granite Quarry; great-grandchildren, Hailey and Kandiss Hunt of Salisbury, Amber and Brook Kennerly of Mt. Ulla and Triston Rabon of Salisbury.

A Celebration of Life for Mrs. Kennerly will be conducted 11:00 AM – Wednesday at Bethel Lutheran Church with the Rev. Carroll Robinson, officiating. Interment will follow at Bethel Lutheran Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7-9:00 PM - Tuesday at Summersett Funeral Home and at other times the family will be at the residence, 1265 E. Ridge Rd..

Memorials may be made to Bethel Lutheran Church, 365 E. Ridge Road, Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ *Betsy & Eddie & Family,
We are so sorry for your loss. May God comfort you at this difficult
time in your life. We are here for you anytime day or night. you have
our deepest sympathies.##imported-begin##Auther & Debbie
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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Martha and John were the best and
great landlords. She will be greatly missed. You will be in my
thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Teresa
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“ Betsy, Eddie, Bob, Judy, and families:

I am so sorry to hear of Mrs. Kennerly's passing. She was such a sweet and thoughtful lady and I'm so glad that our paths crossed at Genesis's. She was a perfect roommate for my mom and they really seemed to get along well.

I'm thankful that she was able to come over to visit and that we were able to visit her as well. We'll hold the memories dear to our hearts.

May your memories comfort you during this difficult time. Each day is a gift and be thankful for all of the days that you had her.

Sharon Hartley

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HARTLEY##imported-end##*

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