



Patricia "Patsy" Jo Harrison Paxton

September 28, 1938 - November 27, 2025

Patricia "Patsy" Jo Harrison Paxton, 87, of Salisbury, NC passed away Thursday, November 27, 2025 at Novant Health Rowan Regional Medical Center.

Patsy was born September 28, 1938, in Rowan County, NC to the late Ruth Louise Fisher Harrison and the late Burton Kesler Harrison. She was a graduate of Boyden High School and worked for several daycare centers and before that at Rowan Cotton Mill.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Shirley Ray Paxton on January 2, 2014; son, David Ray Paxton on June 26, 2023; brother, Sonny Harrison on November 17, 2001; and sister, Nancy Knight on January 28, 2021.

Surviving are her sons, Paul Darren Paxton of Woodleaf, NC and Johnny Neal Paxton of Enochville, NC; sister, Bobbie Troutman of Salisbury, NC; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, December 4, 2025 at First United Church of Christ from 10:00AM-11:00AM. Funeral services will follow at 11:00AM, officiated by Pastor Larry Bolick. Burial will follow at Rowan Memorial Park.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Church of Christ
207 W. Horah St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Funeral Service

DEC 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



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