



Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey

August 17, 1936 - November 15, 2013

Rachel Walker Storey, age 77, of Salisbury has gone to be with our Lord Friday, November 15, 2013. She has been in declining health for 2 years and seriously ill for several months.

Rachel was born August 17, 1936 in Mt. Morne, the daughter of the late Lucy Ervin Walker and William Bill Walker. Mrs. Storey was a member of Park Avenue Methodist church until she left to serve God at other Methodist churches until her husband's retirement. She was a licensed beautician at Loflins of Salisbury for many years and received certification as a Lay Speaker for the United Methodist Church.

Preceding her in death was her daughter Susan Martin and a brother Allen Walker.

Those left to cherish her memories are her loving husband of 59 years the retired Rev. Neville Storey of the Laurels; she was the awesome mother to three biological children Lynn Messick of Woodleaf and Ray Storey and (Laura) of Salisbury; adopted mother of Debbie Hudson (Gordon) of Salisbury; sisters Diane Arrington (Kenneth) and Wanda Golden (Buck) both from Mooresville; 6 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Visitation and Service: Visitation from 1:30-2:30 PM Tuesday, November 19 at

Summersett Funeral Home with the Service following at 2:30 in Summersett Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Joe Thomas.

Memorials: Rowan Hospice and Palliative Care, Glenn A. Kiser Hospice House, 720 Grove St., Salisbury, NC 28144 or to the Western Carolina Chapter of Alzheimer's Association, 3800 Shamrock Dr., Charlotte, NC 28215-3220.

The family acknowledges with appreciation and love her many friends, caregivers and in-laws Roger Storey, Ned and Shully Storey and Ron and Freeda Storey who have each given of themselves to assisting and caring for their mother.

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

Cemetery Details

City Memorial Park

1316 West Innes St
Salisbury, NC 28144

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 19. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
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Service

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Tribute Wall

LB

“ Rachel, Neville and their kids were our neighbors growing up. We could not have had better neighbors! Even as we kids grew up and our parents lived there without us, Rachel & Neville were still there as wonderful neighbors, kind and supportive.

My heart goes out to Rachel's family for the great loss they are experiencing.

Blessings, Luann Rufty Bridle

Luann Bridle - November 22, 2013 at 09:39 PM

RR

“ Dear Storey Family,
Your dear parents have meant so much to me and my family for so long. I wonder if your Dad knows how much he was loved by Rachel? She can be at rest now.

Your dear Mother took such good care of my Mother for so many years as a friend (and a beautician), and finally gave her her "last rights" of a beautiful hair style before we laid her body to rest. I'll never forget that as long as I live.

I regret that I only just today learned of her passing. Seeing her photo hear warms my heart.

My sisters and I send our love and sympathies to you all.



Raye Rufty Ratliff - November 22, 2013 at 04:23 PM

KA

“ LIT A CANDLE FOR RACHEL TODAY. WILL MISS YOU.

KENNY AND DIANNE ARRINGTON AND FAMILY



KENNETH ARRINGTON - November 19, 2013 at 10:42 AM

JP

“ *Rachel has been a wonderful part of our family. I prayed for all the family peace and comfort and we have wonderful memories of a gracious lady. Jim and Susan Price, Huntersville, NC*

Jim Price - November 19, 2013 at 08:41 AM

LM

“ *Lynn Messick lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey*



Lynn Messick - November 19, 2013 at 07:59 AM

LM

“ *Mom, today we lay you to rest. My heart aches for you and I will miss you always. I am glad that you are with God and will suffer no more. You leave a legacy of love that we will never forget.*

Lynn Messick - November 19, 2013 at 07:56 AM

GT

“ *We were so sorry to hear about Rachel. We are praying of all the family at this time. In Loveing memory Pat And Gerald Thompson*

Gerald And Pat Thompson - November 18, 2013 at 02:26 PM

GT

“ Gerald & Pat Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey



Gerald & Pat Thompson - November 18, 2013 at 02:11 PM

GE

We are so sorry for your loss. We are are praying for all the family.
Gerald and Pat Thopson

Gerald - November 18, 2013 at 02:17 PM

BG

“ This is sister number 3 Wanda Golden. My husband Buck and I will miss Rachel so much. We love her and always will. Sister number 2 Dianne and I will miss her so much because we always tried to have lunch and talk and enjoy each other whenever possible. We will continue getting together and there won't be an empty seat because we will have so many fond memories to keep us going. She will remain in my heart forever. May God bless all of her family.
Buck and Wanda Golden

Buckand Wanda Golden - November 18, 2013 at 01:24 AM

BG

“ Buckand Wanda Golden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey



Buckand Wanda Golden - November 18, 2013 at 12:39 AM



“ *Deanna Dillard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey*



Deanna Dillard - November 17, 2013 at 10:14 PM



“ *Dave Poole lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rachel Walker Storey*



Dave Poole - November 17, 2013 at 08:04 PM



“ *As her only grandson I must say that I NEVER, knew a more loving woman in all of my life. I thank god above I was blessed just to know her. She will be eternally remembered as my "Weetie".*

David Brandon Poole

Dave Poole - November 17, 2013 at 08:03 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss, Shirley Harris*

Shirley Harris - November 17, 2013 at 06:03 PM

JR

“ Lynn, I have you and your family in my heartfelt prayers....God Bless you with His Love!



Judy Williams Ridenhour - November 17, 2013 at 09:26 AM

KA

“ THIS IS FROM DIANNE ARRINGTON AND HER HUSBAND KENNY. DIANNE IS RACHEL'S SISTER. RACHEL WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON ALWAYS CONSIDERING EVERYBODY FIRST. AS RACHELS BROTHER - IN-LAW I CAN TRULY SAY I ENJOYED ALL MY TIME SPENT WITH HER. AND OF COURSE DIANNE ADORED HER. THEY ALWAYS SAID THEY WERE THE 3 SISTERS AND LIVED FOR EACH OTHER JUST LIKE THAT. RACHEL WILL BE MISSED SO VERY MUCH. TOO THE FAMILY WE SAY WE WILL B E THERE IF YOU NEED US.. MAY GOD BLESS EACH OF YOU.

KENNY AND DIANNE ARRINGTON

KENNETH ARRINGTON - November 16, 2013 at 05:29 PM