



## Rebecca Withers Harper

June 15, 1932 - December 19, 2009

Mrs. Rebecca Withers Harper, 77, of Spencer, passed away Saturday, December 19, 2009 at Rowan Regional Medical Center.

Born June 15, 1932 in Rowan County, she was the daughter of the late Henry Grady Withers, Sr., and Myrtle Barringer Withers.

Mrs. Harper graduated from Spencer City Schools in 1950, and attended Catawba College. She graduated Duke University School of Nursing Class of 1954. She was with Rowan Memorial Hospital from 1954-1955, and worked in the field of Psychiatric Nursing at several hospitals in the state before her retirement.

She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Mrs. Harper is preceded in death by her parents; brother, Henry G. Withers, Jr.; and husband, Matt Harper.

She is survived by a close friend and caregiver, Sarah Stoops; several cousins, and other close friends.

A graveside service will be held at Rowan Memorial Park on Tuesday, December 22, 2009 at 3:00 PM.

Memorials may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church 375 Lumen Christi  
Lance Salisbury, NC 28147

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Harper family. Online condolences  
may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).