



Richard Calvin Vanhoy

December 8, 1928 - May 2, 2021

Richard Calvin Vanhoy, 92, of Salisbury passed away Sunday, May 2, 2021 at Novant Health Rowan Medical Center..

Born December 8, 1928 in Stanly County, he was the son of Spencer and Pearl Shepherd Vanhoy.

He attended Albemarle High School and served his country in the United States Air Force in Japan.

Mr. Vanhoy worked at Rowan Printing Company, Rowan Business Forms and Butler's Office Machines, Salisbury before retiring 1993.

He loved sports, especially bowling, golf and baseball. He bowled 60 years at Woodleaf Lanes, enjoyed golfing and watching his favorite baseball teams with his "Babe".

He loved his family as well as Annette's, especially attending family reunions.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, James Vanhoy, Lee Vanhoy, Tommy Vanhoy; sister, Betty Cranford.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife of 65 ½ years, "Babe" Annette

Thompson Vanhoy; brothers, Billy Vanhoy (Brenda) of Concord, John Vanhoy (Debbie) of Charlotte; sisters, Louise Mathis of Albemarle, Ruby Stoker (Robert) of Albemarle, Peggy Goodman of Albemarle; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends from 10-11 AM Wednesday at Stallings Memorial Baptist Church followed by the service at 11 AM with the Rev. Larry Gilbreath, minister and Rev. Quinton Covington officiating. Entombment will follow at Rowan Memorial Park Mausoleum.

Special thanks to Annette's niece, Juanita Russell and Richard's nephew, Ed Vanhoy who were so faithful to be with Annette during this difficult time.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Stallings Memorial Baptist Church, 817 S. Main Street, Salisbury, NC 28144

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

Cemetery Details

Rowan Memorial Park Mausoleum

4125 Fanklin Community Center Road
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ *Summersett Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard Calvin Vanhoy*



Summersett Funeral Home and Cremation Center - May 18, 2022 at 03:59 PM

CB

“ *Annette, I'm so sorry to hear of Richard's passing. You two had a beautiful love story. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*
Cathy Books

Cathy Books - May 11, 2021 at 10:09 PM

KK

“ *Annette, and family,*
So sorry for your loss..Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.
Kelly, Tim,, and Emily Kerley

Kelly Kerley - May 04, 2021 at 10:45 PM

CC

“ *Annette, I just found out about Uncle Richard. It won't seem the same at the Thompson Reunion without him. He was such a caring soul and always made a point of making everyone feel welcome. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Cynthia Little Collins
Florence, SC*

Cynthia Collins - May 04, 2021 at 09:27 PM

YD

“ *Sorry for the loss of Richard and it will be hard on a lot of us. You have our most deepest sympathy and we will always remember him as we see one we see the other. Richard was a very good and loving man and he will be missed, We are here for you Annette.*

NC State USBC Association

Yvette Davis - May 04, 2021 at 07:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Calvin Vanhoy.*



May 04, 2021 at 06:20 PM

JS

“ Richard, I can never thank you enough for you're friendship after just moving hear from Pittsburgh. Those times were great and will never be forgotten and nether will the great job you did selling raffle tickets for the KING&QUEENS BOWLING LEAGUE . RIP my friend Jim Schnupp President King/ Queens Bowling League

Jim P Schnupp - May 04, 2021 at 06:09 PM

AH

“ Dear Annette,
I was so sorry to read of the passing of Richard. May our Savior give you the strength, comfort, and peace you need for these difficult days.
God bless,
Ann Heard
Marion, NC formerly of Salisbury

Ann Heard - May 04, 2021 at 04:29 PM

SE

“ Mr. Richard will be missed. I know growing up I always dreamed of having a marriage like the two of you had, and the love in his eyes when you walked into a room. Such a beautiful spirit and caring person. I know you both watched me grow up, and he always knew when to cheer you up. Love you both dearly. Prayers are always around. Need anything please let me or mom know.
Suzan Eudy

Suzan Eudy - May 04, 2021 at 11:53 AM

RJ

“ Annette, very sorry to hear about Richard. He will be greatly missed. I guess Ruth will let the squirrels have the pecans. Really sorry to see Richard go. Love Sonny and Ruth.

ROY G MYERS JR - May 04, 2021 at 10:14 AM

AR

“ DEAR BILL, BRENDA AND VANHOY FAMILY,
OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU IN THE
PASSING OF YOUR BROTHER. WE PRAY GOD WILL GIVE ALL
OF YOU STRENGTH, COURAGE, COMFORT AND PEACE
DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME.
GOD'S BLESSINGS,
ARCHIE AND WANDA RITCHIE

Archie and Wanda Ritchie - May 03, 2021 at 07:56 PM

BB

“ Annette, I'm so sorry to hear about Richard. Rudy thought so much
of him. You are in my prayers. Cherish the memories...that does
help.
Warmest regards,
Bo

Bo Butler - May 03, 2021 at 04:18 PM