



## Mr. William Chalk Tyree

June 13, 1943 - September 7, 2015

William Chalk Tyree, 72, of Salisbury, NC passed away Monday, September 7, 2015 at his residence.

Born June 13, 1943 in Rowan County to the late Floy Summitt Tyree and William Charlton Tyree, he was a graduate of Boyden High School. Mr. Tyree attended NC State University where he studied Mechanical Engineering. While attending NC State he acted as the school mascot for the athletic department. He worked for K.W. Arthur for many years then with Cyclone Roofing as an estimator until his retirement.

Mr. Tyree was a member of First United Methodist Church of Salisbury. He was an active member of the Civitan Club of Salisbury since 1977. In the Civitan Club he was awarded Rookie of the Year in 1979 and Civitan of the Year in 1981. He was an avid fisherman who supported the DIFF Club. Mr. Tyree was a Little League coach for over 10 years.

Preceding him in death was his wife, Linda Sommers Tyree on May 18, 2006.

Surviving is his son, Eric Christopher Tyree of Salisbury, NC and daughter, Stacie Tyree Schreiner and husband Erik Anton Schreiner of Raleigh, NC; brother, James Summitt Tyree and wife Sylvia and grandchildren, Sophie Emma Schreiner and Gretchen Sommers Schreiner.

The family will receive friends from 10-11 AM Saturday (Sept 12) at Summersett Funeral Home.

A funeral service will follow at 11 AM Saturday at Summersett Memorial Chapel. Burial will follow the service at Rowan Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to American Heart Association, 128 S. Tryon St. Suite 1588, Charlotte, NC 28202; American Diabetes Association, 222 South Church Street, Suite 336M, Charlotte, NC 28202; or the Davis Island Fishing Foundation, PO Box 1467, Walkertown, NC 27051.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home

1315 W. Innes St.

Salisbury, NC 28144

(704) 633-2111

<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

## Service

SEP 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel

1315 W. Innes St.

Salisbury, NC 28144

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. William Chalk Tyree.*



September 11, 2015 at 04:13 PM



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September 11, 2015 at 01:25 PM

WG

“ *To Stacie and Eric (and extended family): our deepest sympathies on the loss of your dad. Always enjoyed talking with Chalk at family get-togethers, especially hearing about his fishing exploits on the Outer Banks. Love the story about Chalk serving as the mascot for NC State athletic teams --- that soft-spoken, unassuming guy was full of surprises! - Wayne and Susie Gall Gall & family*

**Wayne Gall** - September 11, 2015 at 09:40 AM

TL

“ *Chalk was a great guy. I enjoyed every fishing trip to the Outer Banks with him (including the ride down and back).*

**Toby Lawson** - September 10, 2015 at 05:03 PM

HR

“ *I remember Chalk well in high school. We were in Demolay together. My condolences to the family.*

*Harold Ritchie  
El Cajon, CA*

**Harold Ritchie** - September 10, 2015 at 02:19 PM

DF

“ Doug Sokolowski and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. William Chalk Tyree.



Doug Sokolowski and family - September 10, 2015 at 01:52 PM

DS

“ Chalk was my brother's Little League coach back around 1982. He didn't even have a son on the team as Eric had aged out the year before. I can still picture Stacie as the batgirl as if it was yesterday. He also let me hang out in his basement for about 5 years without complaint and I gained a lot of respect for him over the years. Chalk was a good man and will be missed by many.

Doug Sokolowski - September 10, 2015 at 12:58 PM

DS

“ I remember Chalk coaching my brother's Little League team back around 1982. Stacie was the bat-girl and Chalk was the coach. He was a good man, and was coaching the team without any kids directly on it. He was a good man.

Doug Sokolowski - September 10, 2015 at 12:32 PM

JH

“ Stacie, you and your family are in our thoughts & prayers. Your father was a sweet man & will be greatly missed.

Joanna Hoffman - September 10, 2015 at 11:07 AM

RD

“ Racine (Mrs. Steve) Douglas lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Chalk Tyree



Racine (Mrs. Steve) Douglas - September 10, 2015 at 10:54 AM

SM

“ Chalk and I were teammates on the Boyden High football team and hung out a lot together on weekends. A good friend.  
Steve Moose

Steve Moose - September 09, 2015 at 02:58 PM