



Myrna Salerno

December 31, 1929 - July 9, 2015

Myrna McMillan Salerno

Pawleys Island

Myrna McMillan Salerno, age 85 of Pawleys Island died, Thursday, July 9, 2015 at Tideland Hospice House.

Born in Honea Path, SC, Myrna was the daughter of the late James Clinton and Mamie Hall McMillan. She attended Limestone College and was a graduate of Erskine College, class of 1951. Myrna taught school in Anderson, Bennettsville and Blenheim. She moved to Valley Cottage, NY where she also taught in the Nyack school system. Myrna and Francis retired to the Litchfield Beach area. Myrna was the "flower queen" for special events. She always shared her beautiful flowers from her bountiful garden. She was a member of St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church for 26 years, where she was a charter member of the St. Paul's Book Club. She was an avid reader, a fascinating conversationalist, and a tremendous asset to the St. Paul's Book Club. Myrna was also a member of the United Methodist Women's Group, and an original member of the community canasta club.

Surviving are her husband of 62 years, Francis Salerno of Pawleys Island; daughters, Amy DeCola of Washington DC; Laura Lee of New York City;

grandchildren Rob, Daniel and Dale DeCola, TyAnn Lee and great-grandchild Caroline DeCola.

A memorial service will be held 11:00 am, Monday, July 13, 2015 at St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

GW

“ *Mrs. Salerno was my teacher in the Fourth grade in Bennettsville. I remember her as my favorite and understanding teacher. She was a special teacher & I have many good memories of her. Sympathy and prayers for her husband and family - Sincerely,
Gail Reardon "Womble*

Gail "Reardon" Womble - July 20, 2015 at 12:03 AM

SH

“ *When Myna joined St Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church we were meeting in the theatre across from where we are now. She brought a lovely smile and gentle voice to our congregation. We became closer when the gulf war came along. I recorded our services and she collected copies to send to our members over there. They really appreciated her dedication to getting, packaging, and mailing the tapes, weekly. She will be missed, but her sincere smiling face will remain in memory. God bless all.
Shirley Hutcheson*

Shirley Hutcheson - July 14, 2015 at 06:48 AM

BO

“ *Sincere sympathy to Francis, Amy, Laura, TyAnn, Rob, Dale, Daniel and Caroline. Sorry for your loss... God Bless ... tnx b*

Bob - July 13, 2015 at 09:39 AM

DV

“ So sorry for your loss, Myrna was a lovely and caring lady...I have been their " Cook " for the last 2 years and have enjoyed being with the two of them every Monday...Myrna will be dearly missed. My prayers are with the Salerno Family at this difficult time.

God Bless and Love, Diane Visbaras

Diane Visbaras - July 12, 2015 at 08:53 AM

NS

“ With our sincere sympathy, Uncle Francis, Amy, Laura and grandchildren. Losing someone this close is so very difficult. Hopefully, the thought that she is with family who loves her can help ease the pain, somewhat.

Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers.

*With Love,
Noreen and John*

Noreen Sollers - July 11, 2015 at 01:27 PM

SB

“ Sending much love and deepest sympathies to Uncle Francis. Amy, Laura and grandchildren. Always enjoyed Aunt Myrna's company, thought so very highly of her. Will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers.

*Love,
Susan and Bruce Breeman*

Susan and Bruce Breeman - July 10, 2015 at 07:44 PM