



Evelyn Terry Cleland

March 22, 1933 - May 8, 2020

Evelyn Terry Cleland, 87, of Summerville, SC, entered into eternal rest Friday afternoon at the home of her youngest daughter, surrounded by her family.

All services are private.

Evelyn was born on March 22, 1933 in Varnville, SC, to the late James Louis Terry and Iona Youmans Terry. She was a retired Library Media Clerk from RB Stall High School, but her favorite job was spending time with her family as a wife to the love of her life, Walter Freddie Cleland, Jr., mother to her five children, grandmother to her eleven grandchildren and great grandmother to her twelve great grandchildren. She was a member of Riverbluff Church, formally known as Midland Park Baptist Church. She also loved traveling, gardening, cooking, visiting with friends and neighbors, and family functions.

Evelyn was predeceased by her husband, Walter Freddie Cleland, her two brothers Edward Terry and Melvin Terry, and a granddaughter Brittany LeAnn Cleland.

She is survived by her five children, Faye Cleland Brewer (Richard) of North Charleston, Freddie Ray Cleland (Lizbeth) of North Charleston, Michael Randy Cleland (Daphne) of Pawley's Island, Christie Cleland Kemmerlin of Summerville, and Carey Ross Cleland (Gidget) of North Charleston. She is also survived by her eleven grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren: Brandi Griffith (Gilli & Landry), Dallas Brewer, III (Dallas IV & Page), Kristian Swicord, Ronnie Cleland, Michael Cleland (Tyler), Tiffany Cleland (Mason), Amber Goins (Sydney), Olivia Farr (James), Tupper Greenhill (Joshua & Josie), Amanda Knight (Lucas & Lilly) and Kimberly Cleland.

Due to the COVID19 virus quarantine a memorial service may be held, at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial donation may be made in her honor to Riverbluff Church, 5421 Riverbluff Parkway, North Charleston, SC 29420.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at www.jamesadyal.com.

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Comments



“ My eyes hurt from all the tears and my heart is broken because no longer can I call or hold hands with my best friend (my Grandmother) but my soul is at peace knowing you are with Papa and you look down on me everyday. I can feel you all around me (mostly telling me to clean my house) but even more your loving arms holding me. I will rejoice in meeting with you again and I know you look down on me continuing to give me guidance. I love you Grandma.

Amanda Knight (Granddaughter) - May 12 at 06:26 PM



“ Evelyn was my neighbor for many years in Oakbrook Commons. She was a very kind lady who always brought a plate of cookies and candies to me every Christmas. She loved her family and she always smiled when she talked about them. She loved to cook and work with vegetables, as she always told me. She loved her church and had many church friends who visited her. When she moved away, I was sad for a long time because she was such a dear friend whom I will always cherish, and will miss greatly. May God bless her family because I know they will miss her, too. Emily Watts

Emily Watts - May 12 at 09:14 AM



“ Such a warm, loving and happy friend. I have so many wonderful memories of her, especially cutting up with mom. Just to think of her still makes me smile. She was one of God's many gifts to us. She will be always missed and loved.

Marjorie Lynn B Redfern - May 11 at 10:34 AM



“ What a wonderful woman, so patient and kind. My deepest condolences to you all.

Shirley Tant Livingston

Shirley Livingston - May 10 at 11:15 AM