



## Anita Louise " The Cake Lady " Franklin

September 21, 1934 - April 25, 2023

Anita Louise " The Cake Lady " Franklin, 88, of Ladson, wife of Herbert Franklin passed away Tuesday, April 25, 2023 in the comfort of her home.

A private interment will be held on Saturday, May 6, 2023. If you would like to send flowers, please send them to the James A. Dyal Funeral Home.

Memorial donations may be made to the C & B Volunteer Fire Department.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, June 24, 2023, at C & B Fire Department, 509 Royle Rd, Ladson, SC 29456. A remembrance filled with stories and memories will be held from 2:00-3:00 followed by fellowship with the family.

Louise was born September 21, 1934 in Yeadon, PA, daughter of Alfred and Anita (Speidel) Padula. She enjoyed cake decorating, volunteering at the fire department and spending time with her family. She was a member of the C & B Fire Department. Louise worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad before becoming a Computer Programmer with the US Naval Shipyard. Louise retired from the US Naval Reserve in the early 1980s.

She survived by her husband, Herbert Franklin of Ladson, SC, daughters Lisa Trotter of Houston, TX, and Donna Johnson of Mechanicsville, VA, and grandchildren, Sarah, Ryan, and Matthew Trotter and Logan and Ryder

Johnson. Anita was preceded in death by father, Alfred Padula, mother, Anita Padula, and Sister, Tina Mattei.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at [www.jamesadyal.com](http://www.jamesadyal.com).

Services are under the direction of James A. Dyal Funeral Home, Inc., 303 South Main Street, Summerville, South Carolina 29483 - 6011 (843) 873-4040

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUN **24.** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

C & B Volunteer Fire Department  
509 Royle Road  
Ladson, SC 29456

# Tribute Wall

SL

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Louise was one of the busiest people we knew, always involved in something! Her cakes were beautiful and Donna definitely inherited her skills.  
Sheila and Margie

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**Sheila Lawrence** - May 07, 2023 at 01:36 PM

GT

“ I never knew your wife but send sympathy to you and yours in this very sad time.  
Gail Thomason

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**Gail Owens Thomason** - May 01, 2023 at 03:01 PM

KB

“ Omg words are not enough. She was one tough cookie. Always n forever in our hearts. C & B will never be the same. Fly high with the angels n firefighters.

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**Kathy Barr** - April 30, 2023 at 11:16 AM

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“ My American mom, my American family for ever.

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**Severine** - April 30, 2023 at 10:47 AM