



Emmala R. Hanlin

July 19, 1926 - October 17, 2022

Emmala Rice Hanlin, 96, of Summerville, wife of the late Lt. Col (USAF) John E. Hanlin, entered into eternal rest on Monday, October 17, 2022.

Family and friends are invited to a gathering at 2 o'clock, service at 3 o'clock on Friday, October 21, 2022, at James A. Dyal Funeral Home, 303 South Main Street, Summerville, SC 29483.

Emmala was born on July 19, 1926 in Columbia, SC. She was a devoted and loving wife to John, her husband of 65 years. She was mother to four children: John Hanlin, Jr., William Hanlin, Sherry Irwin and Linda Hanlin. Grandmother to nine and great grandmother to thirteen, all of whom were the loves of her life. She was a mentor and inspiration to all who knew and loved her.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Samaritan's Purse.

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

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843)873-4040.

Previous Events

Gathering

OCT **21**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

OCT **21**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Emmala R. Hanlin



James A Dyal Funeral Home - October 20, 2022 at 06:01 PM

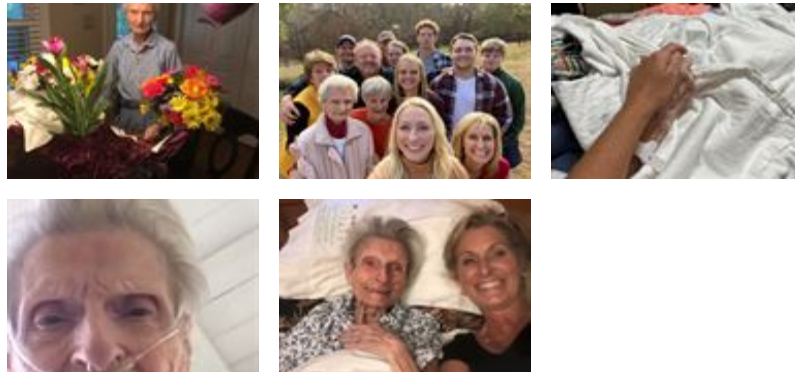
JH

“ Rest in peace, sweet friend of so many years. I will miss your bright eyes and sweet smile and most of all, your beautiful spirit. Janie

Jane Hanlin - October 23, 2022 at 12:58 AM



“ 97 files added to the album LifeTributes



James A Dyal Funeral Home - October 20, 2022 at 04:52 PM

YL

“ Yards by Hammer LLC purchased the Sweet Ten derness for the family of Emmala R. Hanlin.



Yards by Hammer LLC - October 20, 2022 at 09:20 AM

MB

“ I first met Emma thru her daughter Sherry when she lived in Charleston - from the very beginning Emma made me feel like family - she truly loved life and especially her family - she is now with John - Rest in Peace - to her family know she will always bring smiles to friends that knew her and there blessed to be that lucky



Maureen Camp Benton - October 19, 2022 at 11:41 PM

JC

“ I've had the honor and privilege of doing Emmala's hair for over 20 years. She was the sweetest lady and most amazing women that I have ever met. My sincerest condolences to John, Bill, Sherry, Linda and all the grandchildren. I loved her as my own. Rest In Peace dear Emmala
Jodie Corn

Jodie Corn - October 19, 2022 at 08:47 PM

LH

“ It was an honor and delight to know Emmala in many aspects of my life. I first knew her as the flower planting, tennis playing mother of my neighbor and her daughter Sherry. A few years later we reunited as friends when her granddaughter Angie married my son Allen. Who would have ever thought this would happen ? We would touch base when she would come to Calhoun to visit them, Hannah and Drew !! Anyone who had the privilege of knowing Emmala knows that she was, indeed, a treasure and the epitome of a true "southern lady". Heaven has gained an angel and I am certain that she is already sitting at a table playing cards. Rest in Peace, Emmala. You had a long and lovely life. May your friends and family be comforted in knowing you and John are at peace.

Lovingly,

Loretta Gravitt Harris

Loretta Harris - October 19, 2022 at 04:46 PM

SP

“ Sending peace and comfort to Sherry and the entire family. What an amazing life lived. 🙏

Sue Payne - October 19, 2022 at 07:54 AM

SH

“ Prayers for peace and strength.

Stacey Hill - October 19, 2022 at 07:45 AM

SH

“ Stacey Hill lit a candle in memory of Emmala R. Hanlin



Stacey Hill - October 19, 2022 at 07:43 AM

JT

“ Emma was one of a kind..!!! Full of energy and life..! A fun and kind soul..!! She will be missed by so many family and friends..!! You have your Angel wings now so fly high and have fun in heaven.. say hi to Jesus for me... love you..!!!❤️❤️

June Barrett Terry - October 18, 2022 at 06:37 PM

TF

“ The Coburn & Terry Families purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Emmala R. Hanlin.



The Coburn & Terry Families - October 18, 2022 at 06:19 PM