



Jean Murray Prather

October 23, 1937 - June 26, 2025

Jean Murray Prather, 87, of Summerville, SC passed away on Thursday, June 26th, 2025, surrounded by family.

Family and Friends are invited to a gathering on Wednesday, July 2nd, 2025, from 6pm to 8pm at James A. Dyal Funeral Home, 303 South Main Street, Summerville, SC 29483. Inurnment will be held on Friday, July 11th, 2025, at 11:00am at Beaufort National Cemetery, 1601 Boundary Street, Beaufort, SC 29902.

Jean was born on October 23rd, 1937, in England, a daughter of the late Thomas Murray and Violet Murray. Following high school, Jean married the love of her life, Dean Prather, and they spent 46 years together until his passing. She had many enjoyments in life including animals, especially her goat and dog, fishing, golfing, metal detecting, shopping at auctions, and most of all, spending time with her beloved family. Jean was always known to rescue and rehabilitate an animal in need. Her family was her pride and joy which provided her with purpose. She was a much beloved mother, grandmother, sister, and friend who will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her children: Cathy Haaf (Stefan) and Micheal D. Prather (Sonya); her grandchildren: Sandra Kulesza (Matthew), Allen Stephen Crawford II (Sharon), Amy Alexander (Bryce), Micheal D. Prather, Jr.

(Richelle), Ashley Bazemore, Brittany Prather, Micheal Bazemore (Emmy), and Ryan Prather; 18 beloved great grandchildren and 2 beloved great great grandchildren; her sister, Audrey Overson; as well as her son in law, Allen Stephen Crawford. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Carolyn Crawford; her husband; and her parents.

Previous Events

Gathering

JUL 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home
303 S. Main Street
Summerville, SC 29483
(843) 873-4040
<https://www.jamesadyal.com>

Inurnment

JUL 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Beaufort National Cemetery
1601 Boundary Street
Beaufort, SC 29902

Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jean Murray Prather



James A Dyal Funeral Home - July 01, 2025 at 12:21 PM

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“ Love and prayers Susan and Mel Cramer purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jean Murray Prather.



Love and prayers Susan and Mel Cramer - July 01, 2025 at 04:08 PM

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“ Love and prayers Susan and Mel Cramer planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jean Murray Prather.

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