



## Mary McCoy Pope

August 22, 1928 - March 7, 2024

Mary Ellis McCoy Pope went to be with the lord on March 7, 2024. She was born on August 22, 1928, to Ella DeLoach and Nathaniel Ellis McCoy. She was the 8th of 10 children with six reaching maturity: Hattie Rushing Thomas, Lloyd Tyler McCoy, Nerine McCoy Rushing, Bernard Lee McCoy Mary Ellis McCoy Pope and Quinton McCoy. They are all deceased now and four died as children. She grew up in Scotia, SC, and attended Garnett Grammar School. She graduated from Estill High School as Valedictorian of the class of 1947.

She married Carol R. (Jack) Pope on May 2, 1948 and they had four children: Jimmy, Linda, Johnny and Lisa. After living in the Cypress Creek area and Hampton, SC, they moved to Savannah and Guyton, GA, Gallatin, TN, and Ridgeland, SC, before moving to the Hollywood-Meggett area. She was a long-time member of Calvary Baptist Church serving as clerk for many years. In February 1966, Mary Ellis graduated from Rice Business College with an Executive Secretarial Diploma and went to work in the Personnel Department of the Naval Weapons Station in Goose Creek, SC. She retired in 1991 after 25 years of Federal Government Service. Twenty-two and one-half years were served as Secretary to the Director of Nursing Service at the Naval Hospital, Charleston, SC.

Mary Ellis was widowed in 1990 and lived many years at home in the Yonges Island (Hollywood) area with her daughter, Lisa. After her health started to decline, she lived in several assisted living facilities and ultimately had to

move to The Village at Summerville. Linda lives in Ravenel. Both boys are deceased.

She is survived by her two daughters: Linda Davis of Ravenel, SC, and Melissa (Lisa) Pope Sanders (Dewayne) of Hampton, SC; four grandchildren: Mary Sue Warner, James Pope, Randal Davis and Mark Davis; four great-grandchildren: Jimbo Warner, Mandi Bublitz, Alex and Tyler Pope; and six great-great grandchildren: Cayson, Penn and Wills Warner, Ryon Pope, Ellis and Sloane Bublitz.

A visitation will be held on Sunday, March 10, 2024 from 6:00PM to 8:00PM at James A. Dyal Funeral Home and the Funeral Service will be at 12:00 noon on March 11, 2024 in the chapel at James A. Dyal Funeral Home. Interment will be in the cemetery at Cypress Creek Church in Hampton.

Memorials can be made to the Nursing Home Ministry at Hopewell First Baptist Church, 6404 Hopewell Road in Hampton, SC 29924.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **10**. 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>

## Funeral Service

MAR **11**. 12:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home Chapel  
303 S. Main Street  
Summerville, SC 29483

# Tribute Wall

PR

“ Pat and Suzanne Rushing purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mary McCoy Pope.



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**Pat and Suzanne Rushing** - March 11, 2024 at 10:00 AM

SB

“ So sorry for your loss Lisa & all, prayers to all of you. Mom and Mary were best friends & cousins. I use to ride with Grandma and Granddad Edenfield to see Uncle Mack and Aunt Ella McCoy as a child.  
My Great Grandma was Lillian Ethal McCoy Tuten Mole Roark. So glad to have enjoyed Mary Ellis at a couple of Tuten Reunion's at Uncle Ab's in Estill and one of Mary's birthday parties. Prayers with you all.

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**Shirley Bowen** - March 10, 2024 at 09:17 PM

CG

“ I knew Mrs. Pope and her family for a very long time. She and Mr. Pope were very good neighbors to my grandfather on Yonges Island, SC. We would see them when we visited from NJ. I have stayed in touch with her all these years and was able to visit her several years ago. I will miss our phone calls and reminiscing. She was a wonderful woman and friend.

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**Carol Gillick** - March 10, 2024 at 07:46 PM

JD

“ I remember a wonderful and caring woman who I think I will always love she always treated you with love and care and also had a wonderful family. thank you my friend mrs. pope love you always joyce Driggers.

joyce driggers - March 10, 2024 at 08:55 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary McCoy Pope.



March 09, 2024 at 10:56 AM

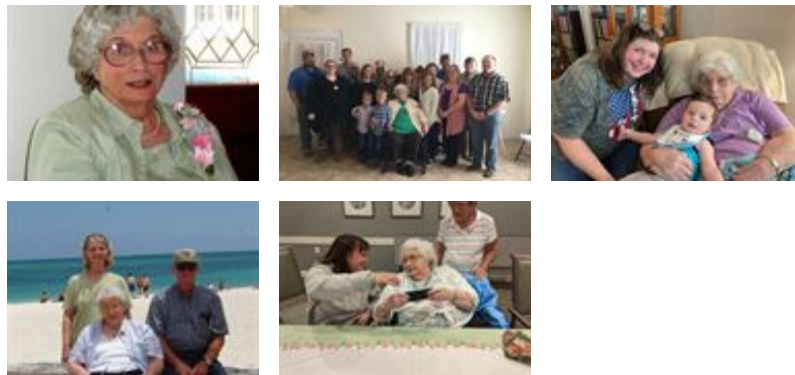
RK

“ Rev. Dr. Alan, Nicole, Gabe, & Karis planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary McCoy Pope.

Rev. Dr. Alan, Nicole, Gabe, & Karis - March 09, 2024 at 10:56 AM



“ 101 files added to the album Life Tributes



James A Dyal Funeral Home - March 08, 2024 at 09:09 PM

CP

“ *Corky and Stacey Price purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mary McCoy Pope.*



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**Corky and Stacey Price** - March 08, 2024 at 06:43 PM

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**Corky and Stacey Price** - March 08, 2024 at 06:43 PM