



Valda S. Rudowske

March 16, 1922 - September 17, 2017

Valda S. Rudowske, 95, of Hollywood, SC, widow of CMSgt. Herman E. "Rudy" Rudowske (Maj USAF Ret), passed away Thursday, September 7, 2017, at Hospice of Charleston.

Valda was born on March 16, 1922, the daughter of the late Elliott Sherburn and Lydia Walker Sherburn, in Berrien Springs, MI, where she was educated through high school. On May 23, 1942, she was united in marriage to Herman Rudowske, while he was in pilot training with the Army Air Corps. In 1955, military transfer brought them to the Charleston area, where they raised their family and remained after Rudy retired. Val was a matriarch of Palmetto Community Church and previous member of Adams Run Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters: Kay Slusarz (Robert) of Rome, NY, and Beth Rudowske (Davis Whiteman) of Rock Hill, SC; three grandchildren: Andrew Slusarz, Karen Cristman (Ross) and Daniel Whiteman; one great-grandchild, Finn David Cristman; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband (1993), grandson David Slusarz (2001), and three brothers and three sisters.

Val's funeral service will be held on Sunday, Sep 24, 4 pm, at Palmetto Community Church, 1965 Bees Ferry Rd, Charleston. Visitation at the church beginning 2 pm. Interment at Carolina Memorial Gardens Mausoleum.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Palmetto Community Church "Vision Fund," 1965 Bees Ferry Rd., Charleston, SC 29414.

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.

Cemetery Details

Carolina Memorial Park

7113 Rivers Ave
N. Charleston, SC 29406

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 24. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Palmetto Community Church
1965 Bees Ferry Road
Charleston, SC 29414

Service

SEP 24. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Palmetto Community Church
1965 Bees Ferry Road
Charleston, SC 29414

Tribute Wall



“ *Valda S. Rudowske*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *My every other Friday feels so empty. I miss doing your hair and our special talks about pies, and so many other recipes and family stories. We both shared a great love of dark chocolate and the same birthday Month. March. RIP my sweet friend*

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“ *Vickie Garvin lit a candle in memory of Valda S. Rudowske*



Vickie Garvin - September 24, 2017 at 12:54 PM



“ *You were a great person and will be missed by so many whom you made a great impact on. Will never forget your smiling face and the great times I spent around you. Forever in my heart. Diane D.*



Diane Dillard - September 24, 2017 at 12:29 PM