



Frances J. Ward

July 4, 1929 - February 24, 2023

Frances Jordan Ward, loving wife, mother and grandmother and great grandmother passed away peacefully on February 24, 2023 at Inlet Oaks assisted living in Murrells Inlet, SC.

She has gone on to a better place to be in presence of the Lord and join her husband Dugan of 63 years, and her 6 brothers and sisters who have gone before her. Frances was 93 years old and a long standing member of Bakers Chapel Baptist Church, Aynor, SC and formerly First Baptist Church of Myrtle Beach.

A native of Conway, SC, Frances was born on July 4, 1929. She married Talmadge Dugan Ward in 1948. Together they raised three daughters, Sue Colway (Jamie), Gwen Ward and Stephanie Brown (Stephen). Husband, Dugan, passed away in 2011.

During the 1960s-70s Dugan and Frances owned and operated several small motels along the Grand Strand as Myrtle Beach was emerging as a popular vacation place. Prior to this she worked 20 years with AVX.

Frances loved cooking and gardening. She enjoyed life serving God with church needs and events. After retiring from the motel business, they moved to the country. Frances then worked at Lakewood Campground for 15 years.

Frances is survived by her three daughters, Sue Colway (Jamie) of Myrtle Beach, Gwen Ward of Murrells Inlet and Stephanie Brown (Stephen) of Greer, SC, eight grand children and four great grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held Sunday, February 26 at 2:00PM at Bakers Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery, officiated by Rev. Jeremy Todd.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 950 West Farris Road, Greenville, SC 29605 or Bakers Chapel Baptist Church, 3261 Bakers, Chapel Road, Aynor, SC 29511.

Please sign the online guest register at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Bakers Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery

3261 Bakers Chapel Road
Aynor, SC 29511

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ I had the pleasure of getting to know Frances while she lived at the manor I done her hair weekly and enjoyed talking to her about her life she was truly. Beautiful inside and out

jojo Lewis - July 25, 2023 at 07:00 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Frances J. Ward.



February 27, 2023 at 07:23 AM



“ Edward Jordan lit a candle in memory of Frances J. Ward



Edward Jordan - February 26, 2023 at 08:29 AM