



## Judy L. Hall

October 10, 1940 - October 7, 2022

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Judy Louise (Lowery) Hall age 81, went home to be with her Lord on Friday morning, October 7, 2022, at her home in Murrells Inlet, South Carolina. Her husband and daughter were with her. Born October 10, 1940 in Meyersdale, Pennsylvania, she was the daughter of the late Kenneth and Althea (Sturtz) Lowery. She moved to Northern Virginia in 1958, where she resided for 45 years in Alexandria, Herndon and Fredericksburg. She was employed by the Farm Service Agency, US Department of Agriculture, Washington D.C., as a secretary, budget analyst and meeting planner for 33 years. She retired in 1994.

Family was extremely important to her, and she took pride in her Irish/German heritage and spoke fondly of the summers of her youth spent on her grandparent's farm near Meyersdale, helping with chores and reading the Bible to them by lamplight. Judy treasured her children, and her beloved five grandchildren gave her much joy, even being blessed with twins. Judy loved people and many were drawn to her beautifully warm, radiant smile. She was an excellent cook and loved reading and collecting cookbooks, acquiring some 1,500 over the years, especially during her travels. Her other interests included avid reading, shopping and traveling to some 20 countries. Judy

loved the mountains, especially the Blue Ridge Mountains in Virginia where she spent time there with her husband and family/friends every year for decades.

Judy adored dogs and cats, especially her cat, Mr. Checkers. She had a genuine talent for interior design and enjoyed furnishing and decorating her homes and pursuing just the "right" piece. She enjoyed small group Bible study and traveling to Christian retreats, conferences and live theater presentations, especially in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, where she felt a kinship with the Amish and Mennonite communities. Judy was an active member of Timberlake Baptist Church during the time she worshipped there, for many years.

Survivors include her husband of 32 years, David Hall; her three children from a previous marriage: son Bernard Oravec Jr. (Andrea) of Manassas, Virginia, son Kenny Oravec (Nicole) of Morgantown, West Virginia, daughter Kimberly (Oravec) Strickland (Brad) of Chantilly, Virginia and stepson Peter Hall (Meagan) of Richmond, Virginia. Also surviving are grandchildren Connor Williams, Alexis Oravec, Josh Oravec, Madeline Oravec and Wyatt Oravec; cousins Bobby King, Lorna Scarpitti and Barbara Lucas; and brother and sister-in-law Danny and Candy Hall and Chris and Lynne Hall of Texas.

Judy will remain in our hearts, precious wife, mother, grandmother and friend to many, especially her dearest lifelong friends Maxine Butts, Janet Jacobs, Alzine Hoffman and Esther Haugher. Her funeral service will be at 11:00 am on Saturday, October 15th, 2022, at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel, with Chaplain Robert Taylor officiating. Private burial will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery.

Livestream Link: <https://vimeo.com/event/2516089>



# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT **15**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home Beach Chapel  
11528 Highway 17 Bypass  
Murrells Inlet  
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576

# Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Judy L. Hall



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**Goldfinch Funeral Home** - October 13, 2022 at 03:38 PM

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“ Oh how I miss you, my sweet Momma.

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**Kimberly Strickland** - October 24, 2022 at 01:48 PM

JJ

“ We want to extend our heartfelt sympathy to Dave, Kimberly, Bernie, Kenny, and family.  
Judy never met a stranger! She had an infectious smile, laughter, a caring heart and was very approachable.  
We met at U.S Department of Agriculture, Wash., DC in 1959 and it was an instant friendship that lasted a lifetime.  
In our early years, when opportunity occurred, Judy demonstrated her cheerleading skills and I performed my majorette routines. Only missing items were a Megaphone and a Baton!  
Cherishing the wonderful memories Judy and I shared will always be in my heart. I will miss Judy's phone calls and hearing "Janet, this is Judy."  
Love you always my best friend.  
Janet and Ralph Jacobs

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**Janet Jacobs** - October 14, 2022 at 11:37 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 14, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 14, 2022 at 10:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 13, 2022 at 07:04 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 13, 2022 at 01:31 PM



“ *Divine Light* was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



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October 13, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ *Cynthia* lit a candle in memory of Judy L. Hall



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**Cynthia** - October 13, 2022 at 11:10 AM



“ *Garden Accent* - "When someone you love..." was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



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October 13, 2022 at 11:05 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket* was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



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October 13, 2022 at 10:56 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



October 13, 2022 at 01:10 AM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



October 12, 2022 at 10:24 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.



October 12, 2022 at 08:19 PM



“ Your Loving Husband Dave purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Judy L. Hall.



**Your Loving Husband Dave** - October 12, 2022 at 06:31 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 12, 2022 at 02:35 PM



“ *Judy was such a beautiful lady inside and out .. She was my patient at a dental practice and she always came in wearing a big smile and always loved to talk .. Heaven gained a very special lady*

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**Nancy Reece** - October 11, 2022 at 10:32 PM



“ *My prayers are with Ms Judy's children and Dave, couldn't pass the opportunity to say how much I loved Ms Judy, I've seen her every 2 weeks for the past 10 years, I would show up to clean, and Ms Judy would say "sit lets talk a while " so we talked, I met Ms Judy at a mutual friends house to bake cookies, I thought we would scope some cookie dough out of a tub, but no..Ms Judy and Janey wasn't playing, they had 10 lbs flour 5lbs pecans 5lbs of coconut, I told Ms Judy that I would never underestimate her cookie baking skills, she loved to cook, she loved her cook books even more, Ms Judy I am gonna miss you and our talks, but I know you are in heaven, having a glorious time, with a smile on your face, I'm just sad for myself, and your family, Rest in peace my sweet friend*

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**Diane Holdaway** - October 11, 2022 at 05:47 PM



“ *My dear sweet cousin Judy was the most wonderful person!!! My condolences to all of her family and friends!! RIP Judy!!*

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**Lorna Scarpitti** - October 11, 2022 at 04:13 PM

VC

“ *Judy was a kind soul that I knew most of my life. I knew her children best and have fond memories of the times spent with them. Her smile and laugh will truly be missed by all that knew her. Valerie Campbell*

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**valerie Campbell** - October 10, 2022 at 06:17 PM

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“ *Love you. purchased the Lavender Reflections S pray for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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**Love you.** - October 10, 2022 at 04:46 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 10, 2022 at 04:38 PM

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“ *Joe and Deetz Orlowski purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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**Joe and Deetz Orlowski** - October 10, 2022 at 11:35 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 10, 2022 at 06:52 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Judy L. Hall.*



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October 09, 2022 at 07:27 PM