



Katherine Cherry Lundy

May 25, 1928 - May 8, 2018

Katherine Cherry Lundy, age 89, passed away Tuesday, May 8, 2018.

Born May 25, 1928 in Conway, she was the daughter of the late William A. and Myra Burroughs Cherry. Mrs. Lundy was a 1945 graduate of Conway High School and a 1949 graduate of Winthrop University. She taught at Homewood Elementary School for more than 30 years. She also volunteered at Homewood Elementary for 25 years and Conway Medical Center for over 23 years, earning over 4800 hours. Mrs. Lundy was an active member of Kingston Presbyterian Church since the age of 9. She served as a Sunday School teacher, deacon, Elder Emeritus, and was a member of the Women's Circle. Along with her parents, Mrs. Lundy was predeceased by her husband, Lloyd Lundy.

Surviving are her four daughters, Suzanne Lundy Collins of Cartersville, GA, Jo Lundy Webb (Jimmy) of Clinton, SC, Jane Lundy Martin of Aynor, SC, and June Lundy Childers (Dennis) of Jackson, OH; ten grandchildren, Lloyd Collins (Julie), Joseph Collins, Andrew Webb (Mindy), Heather Webb, Clay Webb, Bryan Squires (Jenna), Katherine Hutson (Nathan), Elizabeth Arthur (Matthew), Sarah Peck (Joe), and Rebecca Childers; and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Friday, May 11, 2018 at Kingston

Presbyterian Church with Rev. Rhett Talbert officiating. Entombment will follow at Hillcrest Mausoleum.

Visitation will be held Thursday evening from 5:00PM-7:00PM at the funeral home.

The family requests that memorial donations be made to Don Steins Scholarship Fund, c/o Kingston Presbyterian Church, 800 3rd Avenue, Conway, SC 29526.

Please sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

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

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Mausoleum

1000 Highway 544
Conway, SC 29526

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel
608 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526

Funeral Service

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kingston Presbyterian Church
800 Third Avenue
Conway, SC 29526-5141

Tribute Wall

JV

“ *Jerrie Bredemeyer- Vibbert lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy*



Jerrie Bredemeyer- Vibbert - May 14, 2018 at 11:38 AM

PG

“ *Jo and family,
So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I know she is where there is no more pain no more sorrow. I could always see a sparkle in her eyes . It was a blessing to know her and your family all my life. Extra treat seeing ya'll at Aunt Carolyn's.
Your mother always stopped to "catch up " when I saw her in town. She always made me feel special and cared for.
May your good memories soon crowd your sadness.*

*Much love,
Tricia*

Patricia Gainey - May 11, 2018 at 08:20 AM

KC

“ *Kent Chinnes lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy*



kent chinnes - May 10, 2018 at 10:35 PM

LC

“ Dear Jo and family,

Bruce & I send sympathy & love. Our hearts are with you and may God continue to surround y'all with his immeasurable love. My memories of your mother always make me smile because she always greeted me with a friendly smile! Such a sweet lady & proud mother of the gift of family that God blessed her with for many years.

Love you,

Lee Taylor Colhoun

Lee T Colhoun - May 10, 2018 at 01:17 PM

BM

“ *Bessie Mishoe & Jackie Martin lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy*



Bessie Mishoe & Jackie Martin - May 10, 2018 at 12:28 PM

TH

“ *Tammy Howell lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy*



Tammy Howell - May 10, 2018 at 10:55 AM

DB

“ Miss Katharine was a dear friend of my mother, the late Ruebelle Hendrick.



deborah j. britton - May 10, 2018 at 09:08 AM

MK

“ My deepest sympathy to Mrs. Lundy's family.

Mona King - May 09, 2018 at 11:18 PM

JS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the whole family during this time. I met Mrs. Lundy after Jo came to Clinton to teach. It was always excitement in her eyes when I would turn around in church and she would be on the back row with Mema I light the red candle in memory of her becoming a Red Devil fan through all these years



Joy Smith - May 09, 2018 at 10:46 PM

RB

“ Rhonda Sanders Butler lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy



rhonda sanders butler - May 09, 2018 at 09:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Katherine Cherry Lundy.



May 09, 2018 at 08:21 PM

“ On a May day in 1955, I was with Suzanne, Jo, and some neighborhood kids in the yard next door to the Lundys' house. A boy more adventurous than careful, I went in search of a dead snake to identify it. Four or five steps into the canebrake and I looked down and saw the object of my search—under my right foot. The copperhead wasted no time, once I'd removed my foot from his head, in striking my ankle, sending me into paroxysms of sheer terror.

Hearing the commotion, Tat came to see what was the matter. She quickly retrieved from the ironing she was doing one of Lloyd's handkerchiefs, tied a tourniquet around my leg, called my mother at work, crammed me and the other kids into the car, and got me to the old Conway Hospital in probably no more than 10 minutes. It's not too much to say that she saved my life that day with her quick thinking and calm response.

She could be that way: no nonsense, yet compassionate; funny yet reliably steady; firm yet imminently approachable. I have somewhere an old photo taken when she, a senior in high school, held me, a newborn, probably only days after I was born. I came into her life just a short while before she left for Winthrop, and one of the first really big trips I made was with Aunt Myra to see her graduate from college--the first Burroughs grandchild to do so. I strained to see her walk down the aisle at Kingston Presbyterian Church to wed Lloyd a couple of years later, went multiple times out to Jordanville to meet and play with her new Lundy relatives, picked beans and shelled peas with her in the summer. I even have a few memories of aggravating her, as when I wandered into her house weeks before her marriage and took it upon myself to rearrange her gifts that she'd carefully laid out in the dining room. She brooked no foolishness of that sort.

Years went by and my visits to Conway were sparse. Time came when my mother was dead and my father was living in a skilled care facility. When I'd visit, her house became the place where I was

always welcome, always well fed, and treated to conversations in which I would sometimes turn over her tickle-box when I imitated various relatives. There were many subjects we never discussed, and to this day I never knew her opinions on a variety of hot-button issues. But there was one position that I knew well firsthand, and that was how accepting and inclusive she was. Having a gay cousin seems not to have crossed her mind until on one visit I told her she had such a one. She neither sat in silence nor rushed to gush over me nor uttered a word of disapproval or disavowal. From that day forward, her home and heart were open to anyone who happened along with me. I rather doubt that I was anywhere near an exception to any rule. She knew how to practice hospitality, which, after all, was the broadest, most creative, most limit-challenging ministry that Christ ever had. And, to her credit, while we chatted a bit from time to time about religion and my vocation in it, she never invoked to me a religious reason for doing anything. She just did what she did because it was the right thing to do.

She was more than a cousin. She was a sister. The only one I've ever had. And I couldn't have had a better.

*Frank Dunn
May 9, 2018*

Frank Dunn - May 09, 2018 at 07:07 PM

LR

“ *Lois Roberts lit a candle in memory of Katherine Cherry Lundy*



Lois Roberts - May 09, 2018 at 04:26 PM

NC

“ My first teaching job in 1975 was at Homewood Elementary. “Ma Lundy” was a fabulous mentor. After many years being out of touch, we communicated via written letter and email a few months ago. She is a perfect example of a true Southern lady.

Norma Cooler - May 09, 2018 at 04:16 PM

TE

“ My sincere condolences to you Jane and other family members for the loss of your dear Mother. May God stand by each one of you during this special time of sorrow.

Tessa Edmondson - May 09, 2018 at 03:41 PM

VE

“ Ms. Jane you are loved and I stand alongside of you and your family in spirit as you prepare to send your mom home to our Lord. In a place of unimaginable beauty, Joy and no pain or worries of the world.

We have a promise of everlasting Life in the presence of The lord. I rejoice in my knowledge that he will open the doors to welcome her home.

May the Love of Jesus bring you all peace and understanding.

Veronica

Veronica - May 09, 2018 at 01:31 PM