



Norma Kelaher

August 8, 1935 - March 25, 2015

Surfside Beach

Norma M. Kelaher, 79 of Deerfield Plantation died Wednesday, March 25, 2014 at Waccamaw Community Hospital.

Born in Bayonne, NJ, she was the daughter of the late Louis and Dorothy Conte. Norma will be remembered for taking care of her family and cooking spectacular Italian food for everyone. She took in people who were without family and made them part of her own. She loved many and was loved by many. Norma was a member of Church of the Resurrection, Surfside Beach and Christ The King, Pawleys Island. Her late husband, Jerome "Jerry" Kelaher and Norma founded The Charleston Cafe in Surfside Beach.

Surviving are sons, Edward Kelaher and wife Patricia, and Lou Kelaher and his fiancée, Monica Miller; daughter, Judith Succo and husband Anthony; eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Services will be 11:00 AM, Saturday at Church of Resurrection, Hwy 17 Bypass, Surfside Beach. Entombment will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to National Cystic Fibrosis, 6931 Arlington Road, Suite 200, Bethesda, MD 20814.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

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

Previous Events

Service

MAR 28. 11:00 AM (PT)

Church of the Ressionurrection

PO Box 14548

Surfside Beach, SC 29587-4548

Tribute Wall

TM

“ *Ed and Family....a beautiful woman and a service fitting of her journey here on earth.*

*Deborah & Tom Marchant+
379 Golden Bear Drive, Unit J-2
Pawleys Island, SC 29585*

Tom Marchant - April 13, 2015 at 09:47 AM

MW

“ *We loved Norma and always enjoyed seeing her smiling face when we would see her in the back rows at CTK. Lowell and I will be praying that God's love will comfort each of you during this sad time. Father Ed and Patty you both have been on our minds often in the last few years but we know God is working wonders thru your ministry in Washington, DC. Just wish we were closer to enjoy those great sermons!*

Love and God Bless Margaret and Lowell Witt

Margaret Witt - March 29, 2015 at 11:50 PM

JH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

*John & Sara Hought
Garden City Beach, SC & Church of the Resurrection*

John Hought - March 27, 2015 at 01:37 PM

MO

“ *She was the sweetest person we ever met, a smiling, kind, and generous woman who took care of everyone. We am so sad that we lost our dear Norma, and can only imagine her family’s grief. At least she is with Jerry now.*

Mike & Donna O'Brien

Mike O'Brien - March 27, 2015 at 09:34 AM

SR

“ *Ed, I was so sorry to read of your mother's passing. Prayers and thoughts are with you and the family. May our heavenly Father bless and comfort you in the days ahead.*

*Sylvia Richardson
Conway, SC*



Sylvia Richardson - March 27, 2015 at 09:22 AM

CM

“ *What a beautiful Wife, Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother and Friend to so many! I use to always say to her, "look at your great family, you and Jerry have!" We use to always talk about the day she brought me a HUGE tray of her FAMOUS meatballs, we cherished every bite! She will be missed but thought of so very often! All our thoughts and prayers for all those she touched!*

Cathy & Joe Mason - March 27, 2015 at 07:46 AM

YF

“ Your AKIMA Family purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Norma Kelaher.



Your AKIMA Family - March 26, 2015 at 04:04 PM

KB

“ Jen & Family,
So sorry to hear of the passing of your Grandmother. Ozzie said she was such a loving person! Our thoughts & prayers are with you all during this difficult time!

Kelly-Ozzie-Dom-Delanie St. Blanchard - March 26, 2015 at 02:24 PM

KB

“ Last time I spoke with Norma was at Jens baby shower! I was telling her how much I missed Jerry her husband and all the fond memories I have of him. She turned to me and said, "will you miss me?" I sure will...now I have been blessed with memories of two special people!! My thoughts are with the entire family!
Kathy Mason-St. Blanchard

Kathy Mason-St. Blanchard - March 26, 2015 at 02:21 PM