



Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.

April 3, 1922 - April 19, 2017

Charles Kirkland Dunlap Jr. died peacefully at his home on April 19, 2017. Kirk was born April 3, 1922 in Hartsville, SC, the son of the late Charles K. Dunlap and Katherine Connor Dunlap. He grew up in Hartsville, attended Hartsville city schools, and graduated from Clemson College in 1943 where he earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering. During World War II, he served in the Army Air Corps in the Pacific. He was employed by Sonoco Products Company for 31 years, retiring as Vice-President Engineering, Research and Development. He served on the Board of Directors of Sonoco Products Company, Mutual Savings and Loan Company, Girl Scouts of the Pee Dee, Big Brothers of the Pee Dee, and Kalmia Gardens. He was President of Dunlap Forestry, LLC. He also served on the Board of Trustees of Coker College and was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humanities degree. He had been active in the Boy Scouts and had been a Big Brother. He served as a Deacon, Elder, and Trustee of First Presbyterian Church of Hartsville.

Kirk is survived by his wife, Jane Coker Dunlap of Florence, SC; sister, Louise D. Howell of Macon, GA; daughters, Martha D. Hamlett (Will) of Chapel Hill, NC, Katherine D. Moore of Hartsville, SC, Jenny D. Rogers of Hartsville, SC; son, Charles K. Dunlap III (Deborah) of Society Hill, SC; son-in-law, David O'Connor of Arlington, VA; grandchildren, Kathleen Hamlett of Elkhart, IN, Alex Hamlett (Jessica) of Parker, CO, Janie Byrd of Hartsville, SC, Robert Moore (Tasha) of Hartsville, SC, Katie Colgan (Randy) of Salt Lake City, UT,

Daniel O'Connor of Arlington, VA, Lee Rogers (Mary Kate) of Bishopville, SC, Charles Rogers of Hartsville, SC, and Rebecca Rogers (Landon Ivie) of Hartsville, SC; and great-grandchildren, Chloe Moore, Charley Moore, Isabel Moore, Mills Moore, Ella Gray Camak, Eliza Byrd, Flora Byrd, Carlos Acosta, Alexis Hamlett, Lock Rogers, and Rachel Rogers. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Betsy O'Connor; sister, Katherine D. Stackhouse; grandson, Hayes Hamlett; and son-in-law, T-Bone Moore.

A graveside service will be held at Magnolia Cemetery on Saturday, April 22, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. The Reverend Dr. Dan Sansbury will officiate. The family will receive friends on Friday, April 21, 2017 from 5:00 - 7:00 pm at the home of Kathy Moore, 1346 W Carolina Ave, Hartsville, SC. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 213 W. Home Ave. Hartsville, SC 29550 or to Agape Hospice of Florence, 2182 W Evans St, Florence, SC 29501. Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family.

Cemetery Details

Magnolia Cemetery

140 South Cedar Lane
Hartsville, SC 29550
(843) 383-3004

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

at the home, 820 Tema Rd.
Hartsville, SC

Service

APR **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SA

“ Steve Allen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Steve Allen - May 17, 2017 at 02:18 PM

CB

“ Jane, I am so sorry to hear about Kirk's passing. My love and condolences to you and family. Claire(your cousin in Florida).

Claire Niven Broussard - April 29, 2017 at 08:54 AM

CJ

“ 2 files added to the album New Album Name



Chris Judge - April 26, 2017 at 02:02 PM

DP

“ Sorry for your loss. Mr. and Mrs, Dan Porter



Dan Porter - April 24, 2017 at 08:09 PM



“ *Jesse F Powell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Jesse F Powell - April 24, 2017 at 10:02 AM



“ *Linda & Bill Price lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Linda & Bill Price - April 24, 2017 at 08:27 AM



“ *Mr Dunlap was a very generous man. The crew of the Kolb Site Project are very appreciative of all that he did to help with this project. He will be missed.
My prayers are with you
Catherine Byrd*

Catherine Byrd - April 22, 2017 at 08:11 AM



“ *My mother's brother, my farher's roommate at Clemson, Kirk was one the smartest and kindest men I've ever met. We will all miss you "Uncle Bud".*

Rob Howell - April 21, 2017 at 09:36 PM

TB

“ I send my condolences to Kirk III and the family. I remember Mr. Dunlap coming by our store on many occasions in Society Hill and I had great respect for him. He was a very good and knowledgeable man that cared very much about our town and was always willing to help as he often did. As Mayor I can say he will be long remembered and missed in our community. May God bless.

tommy bradshaw - April 21, 2017 at 08:57 PM

AG

“ Thoughts and prayers for you all. Mr. Kirk was a special person. He will be missed.

Angie Gainey - April 21, 2017 at 05:17 PM

BN

“ Some of my fondest memories are the few Thanksgivings we spent at Roblyn's Neck as "special invitees." I'm pretty sure we were the only non family members there, but Kirk knew our young and small family did not have a gathering of our own just yet. So we enjoyed the high privilege of being "honorary Dunlaps" on this day, and I never felt so proud as I was to be lovingly folded into this wonderful clan. We will miss this great man, but we will rejoice in a life well lived and a proud and enduring legacy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Bond Nickles - April 21, 2017 at 04:08 PM

GA

“ Garymims lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



garymims - April 21, 2017 at 01:48 PM

BR

“ 1 file added to the album Trust



Brantley - April 21, 2017 at 10:57 AM

BR

Mr. Dunlap was a great and trusting man, I was blessed to receive that, I know that he will be missed, Kirk and family be strong, God is there.
Brantley

Brantley - April 21, 2017 at 11:09 AM

JF

Got to know him and his wonderful wife after we opened Pam's restaurant. Each time he would greet me such poise and dignity. He was truly a southern gentleman and will not be replaced by anyone anytime soon. One of a very few .

jim and pam flowers - April 21, 2017 at 05:56 PM

RH

“ Rodney And Tina Hurst lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Rodney and Tina Hurst - April 21, 2017 at 10:19 AM

RW

“ So very sorry for your loss. May God comfort and bless you.



Rene Wallace - April 21, 2017 at 08:49 AM

GM

“ Goode & Gail Mobley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Goode & Gail Mobley - April 21, 2017 at 07:33 AM

GG

“ Gene And Teresa Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Gene and Teresa Gibson - April 20, 2017 at 10:31 PM

SJ

“ Sally Thrailkill Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Sally Thrailkill Johnson - April 20, 2017 at 10:10 PM

SJ

Sending my sympathy, love and prayers to the entire Dunlap family.

Sally Thraikill Johnson - April 20, 2017 at 10:12 PM

J(

“ Jane Warren (Thraikill) lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Jane Warren (Thraikill) - April 20, 2017 at 09:11 PM

J(

Jane, Kathy, and whole family--I am so sorry for your loss and my prayers are with you all.

Jane Warren (Thraikill) - April 20, 2017 at 09:42 PM

PJ

“ Mr. Kirk was such a wonderful man. I always enjoyed talking to him when he would come to Dr. Bubba Nickles office. My thoughts and prayers are with all of the family.
Pat James



Pat James - April 20, 2017 at 08:41 PM

AB

“ Archie Biggs lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Archie Biggs - April 20, 2017 at 07:16 PM

CF

“ *Carole Flowers*

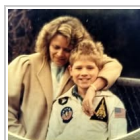


carole flowers - April 20, 2017 at 06:49 PM

CF

I'm thinking of you all and empathize with the changes that loss brings. What a wonderful life Mr. Dunlap lived.

carole flowers - April 20, 2017 at 07:00 PM



“ *Kirk and family, Taz and I were so sorry to hear of the loss of your father. Please know we have you all in our prayers.*

Olivia Baird - April 20, 2017 at 03:18 PM

LL

“ *Lawrence, Cindy,Lance&Tyler Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Lawrence, Cindy,Lance&Tyler Lowe - April 20, 2017 at 02:18 PM

PJ

“ *Phillip Gandy, Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Phillip Gandy, Jr. - April 20, 2017 at 12:48 PM

FB

“ Fletcher Biggs lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Fletcher Biggs - April 20, 2017 at 12:32 PM

LK

“ Linda Knorr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Linda Knorr - April 20, 2017 at 12:23 PM

Wendy Hughes

“ Wendy Hughes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Wendy Hughes - April 20, 2017 at 11:35 AM



“ Terri Goodwin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Terri Goodwin - April 20, 2017 at 11:31 AM

FN

“ *Faye Newsome lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Faye Newsome - April 20, 2017 at 10:59 AM

JC

“ *Memories of C.K. Dunlap, Jr, better know as "Uncle Kirk"*

I was very fortunate to have a man such as Uncle Kirk in my life for as long as I can remember. He lived life fully. He retired at the age of 55 and spent the next 40 years doing those things that he enjoyed.

When I was young he was always there with my Daddy and me, as we went quail hunting, dove hunting and fishing. My Daddy died when I was 8 years old and Uncle Kirk stepped right in and became my "Big Brother". We continued to do all of the things that we had done when my Daddy was still alive, plus he mentored me as I grew up. We even learned how to blow stumps out of the ground using dynamite. I bet my Mama was not so happy with that, but we had a blast. When I got married he was my best man in my wedding. Most recently he and I kept up with one another through an app called, "Find My Friends" on our iPhones. On many occasions I would get a text from him asking me why in the world was I in Miami, or wherever the case might be. Every day I checked on him to see if he was home or out turkey hunting.

Uncle Kirk was always there for me through the good and the bad. He was a very special person to so many, and especially to me. I will miss him more than I can ever express. I love his children just as if they were my sisters and brother. There will always be a special place in my heart for the wonderful memories of the times we spent together.

I know that we will be together again along with all of our loved ones! I imagine that he, T-Bone, and Wilson are making some sort of plan for a hunt right now.

John Coker

John Coker - April 20, 2017 at 10:27 AM

WW

“ Kirk, Sorry of the passing of your Dad.
Sincerest sympathies to you and your family.
Love, Wes, Kathy and Brandon



Wes, Kathy and Brandon Walters - April 20, 2017 at 10:26 AM

RS

“ Rebecca Skinner lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Rebecca Skinner - April 20, 2017 at 09:18 AM

WK

“ One of the finest men I have ever known,
both professionally and personally. As I
worked with this fine man during my Sonoco
years I felt as if he and his family were apart
of my life also. He loved his family at home
and his Sonoco family also.
My deepest sympathy goes out to you and your families.
Love,
Elsie A. Byrd



Winnie King - April 20, 2017 at 09:13 AM

GG

“ Kirk and his family were friends with my parents, Jim and Loree Gandy, for decades and I always enjoyed talking with Kirk about Society Hill and Hartsville history. He was a fine gentleman and will be missed.

Sincere sympathy to his lovely family.

Gail Gandy - April 20, 2017 at 09:10 AM

TT

“ The Tuckers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



The Tuckers - April 20, 2017 at 08:19 AM

RJ

“ Rhonda Jones-Norton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Rhonda Jones-Norton - April 20, 2017 at 08:16 AM

CB

“ Carol Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



carol bryant - April 20, 2017 at 08:01 AM

CB

Kirk was a kind and genuine friend to all. I am so blessed to have known him. He always had a story to share, especially about the "turkey" that was "spooked" You will be missed, my dear friend. Love to you and your precious family. Carol

carol bryant - April 20, 2017 at 08:22 AM

WN

“ *Truly one of the finest men I have ever had the privilege to know! When our family moved to Hartsville 52 years ago, the Dunlaps reached out and made us feel welcome. Mr. Dunlap even trusted my dad enough to become one of his first patients! That friendship lasted for more than 5 decades and my father frequently referred to Kirk as his best friend.*

My formative years would not be the same without the wonderful memories of amazing times at "Mr. Dunlap's Farm" hunting, fishing, and gathering around the fireplace telling tall stories. I will miss Mr. Dunlap terribly, but I cannot express enough my gratitude for the wonderful memories and love I received from him.

My love, support, and deepest sympathies go out to his amazing family. You remain in my prayers now and always.

Will Nickles

William Nickles - April 20, 2017 at 07:25 AM

DS

“ *DICKIE & JANET SHERMAN lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



DICKIE & JANET SHERMAN - April 20, 2017 at 07:07 AM

DS

Kathy and family, Dickie and I were so sorry to read of your loss of Mr. Kirk. He was a sweet and kind man. We hope you will be comforted by knowing that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

DICKIE and Janet Sherman - April 20, 2017 at 07:11 AM

AW

“ *Anna Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



anna williams - April 20, 2017 at 06:14 AM

BB

“ *Bobby And Violet Bragdon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Bobby and Violet Bragdon - April 19, 2017 at 05:56 PM

DE

“ *Diane And Joe Euten lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.*



Diane and Joe Euten - April 19, 2017 at 05:47 PM

JM

“ Johnny And Denise McLain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Kirkland "Kirk" Dunlap Jr.



Johnny and Denise McLain - April 19, 2017 at 03:26 PM

FW

Kathy and family, we are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers. Freddie and Lynn Woodham.

Freddie Woodham - April 23, 2017 at 07:44 AM