



Helen Ball Barrett

June 27, 1960 - January 15, 2019

A Celebration of Life for Helen Ball Barrett, 58, will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 19, 2019 in the Chapel of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Barrett entered into rest on Tuesday, January 15, 2019. Born in Belton, SC, she was a daughter of the late Hastings and Helen Ball Henderson. She was a teacher at Carolina Elementary in Hartsville. She had a passion for horses, dolphins, crocheting, Disney, and the Gamecocks.

Surviving are her husband, Kevin Barrett of Hartsville, SC; son, Bradley Stephen Barrett of Hartsville, SC; brother Hastings "Hakey" Henderson (Jeff) of Orlando, FL.

She was preceded in death by her son, Kevin Scott Barrett, II.

Bradley's education was always very important to Ball. In keeping with her desire, memorials may be made to Bradley Barrett, 615 Lyndale Dr., Hartsville, SC 29550 to help with his education at USC-Aiken.

Previous Events

Service

JAN 19. 12:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home
306 West Home Avenue
Hartsville, SC 29550

Tribute Wall

AM

“ Kevin and Bradley I am so sorry for your loss. Helen was a kind, spunky, loving, special lady that Tanner and myself thought a lot of. She will definitely be missed by many but never forgotten.



April Rivers - Tanners Mom - February 10, 2019 at 09:16 PM

BW

“ Bess Watkins lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Bess Watkins - January 24, 2019 at 08:53 PM

CV

“ Clyde & Carolyn Vaughn sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



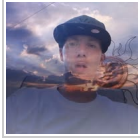
Clyde & Carolyn Vaughn - January 22, 2019 at 11:15 AM

JW

“ Judy Walters lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



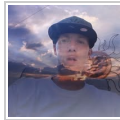
Judy Walters - January 20, 2019 at 07:25 PM



“ *Lynette Harbaugh lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Lynette Harbaugh - January 19, 2019 at 02:17 PM



Kevin, although I never met Ball in person you always spoke so highly of her I feel I knew her. So sorry for your loss...just hold close to your faith and keep your memories fresh. She is now watching over you and Bradley and she is healed of all earthly illness and pain. Prayers and Positive Thoughts heading your way.

Lynette Harbaugh - January 19, 2019 at 02:20 PM



“ *43 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - January 19, 2019 at 06:46 AM

SP

“ I am so sorry at the loss of Ball, she was certainly loved and loved you both with all her heart! I pray that you allow God to comfort you in this time of grief & know that God loves you!



Sherry Photenas - January 18, 2019 at 09:36 PM

MJ

“ Mary Jarrell lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Mary Jarrell - January 18, 2019 at 09:05 PM

DC

“ Deanna L Canaday lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Deanna L Canaday - January 18, 2019 at 09:05 PM

PP

“ Paul Pabst lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Paul Pabst - January 18, 2019 at 02:58 PM

GJ

“ Gretchen Johnson lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Gretchen Johnson - January 18, 2019 at 11:57 AM



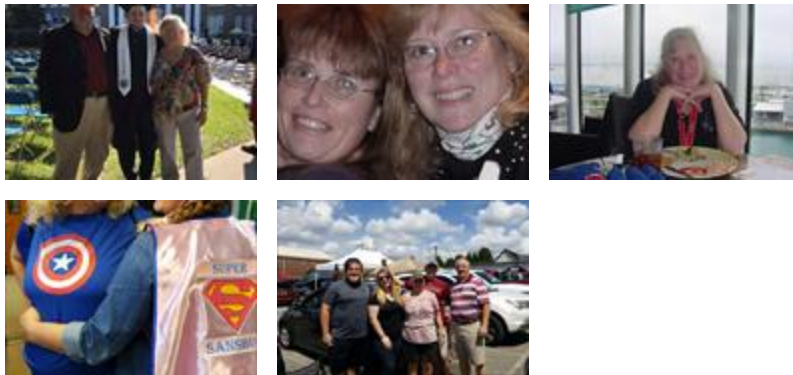
“ Daniel Jarrell lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Daniel Jarrell - January 18, 2019 at 11:31 AM

KB

“ 26 files added to the album Helen Ball Barrett



Kevin Barrett - January 18, 2019 at 08:54 AM

JW

“ *Judy Walters lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Judy Walters - January 18, 2019 at 08:03 AM

BC

“ *Bruce D Carter lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Bruce D Carter - January 18, 2019 at 01:19 AM

JT

“ *Judy Thompson lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Judy Thompson - January 17, 2019 at 09:21 PM

AB

“ *I knew Ball when she was a little girl as we both lived on Alston rd in Columbia. She was the cutest child. And I was so thrilled when she married my brother. That didn't work out but they stayed friends. Glad she finally had a happy life and family. God bless her.*

Ann Blencowe - January 17, 2019 at 06:53 PM

CA

“ *Caroljean Abbott lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



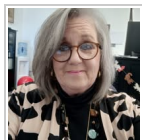
Caroljean Abbott - January 17, 2019 at 12:55 PM

JB

“ *Jeannie Brown lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Jeannie Brown - January 17, 2019 at 10:40 AM



“ *I am just heartbroken over Ball's passing. One of the sweetest people I've ever known. Ball, Hakey and I grew up together in Columbia, all of us members of St. Martin's in the Fields Episcopal Church. So many memories of EYC adventures together. We are all in shock here, and know, Kevin, Bradley and Hakey, you are forever in my prayers.*



Cullen Zawada - January 17, 2019 at 08:15 AM

MG

“ *MaryLou Gruel lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



MaryLou Gruel - January 17, 2019 at 07:32 AM

MD

“ *Missy Dunbar lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Missy Dunbar - January 16, 2019 at 09:14 PM

JD

“ *Joan Donnelly lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Joan Donnelly - January 16, 2019 at 08:03 PM

MR

“ *Marcia Rhyne lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Marcia Rhyne - January 16, 2019 at 03:04 PM

BC

“ *May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. Please accept our sincere condolences. The Chambers Family*



Brandi C. Chambers - January 16, 2019 at 01:07 PM

SM

“ *Sheila Mullis lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Sheila Mullis - January 16, 2019 at 11:46 AM

JG

“ *Jewel Gibson lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Jewel Gibson - January 16, 2019 at 11:30 AM

KB

“ *Kathy Brandis lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Kathy Brandis - January 16, 2019 at 11:29 AM

LR

“ *Lisa Ribeyro lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



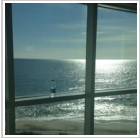
Lisa Ribeyro - January 16, 2019 at 10:41 AM

JK

“ *Jacqueline King lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



jacqueline king - January 16, 2019 at 10:21 AM



“ *Bill Stokes lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Bill Stokes - January 16, 2019 at 10:08 AM

GD

“ *Gregg And Becky Dixon lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Gregg and Becky Dixon - January 16, 2019 at 10:08 AM

IW

“ *I can't believe this , I loved her when she worked at TSA and I will miss from the concession stand at Byrely Park. May you rest in peace*💜💜💜



Isreana Washington - January 16, 2019 at 08:36 AM

CW

“ *Carolyn Williams lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Carolyn Williams - January 16, 2019 at 08:35 AM

AO

“ *Allison Garbade O'Kelley lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Allison Garbade O'Kelley - January 16, 2019 at 07:38 AM

MG

“ *Michelle Grantham lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Michelle Grantham - January 16, 2019 at 04:56 AM

JW

“ *Judy Walters lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Judy Walters - January 16, 2019 at 03:23 AM

EC

“ *Sending my deepest condolences to the Barrett family. Just want you to know you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Evonne



Evonne C - January 15, 2019 at 10:57 PM

KR

“ *Kelley Radcliff lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Kelley Radcliff - January 15, 2019 at 10:14 PM

KR

Such a wonderful lady she will be missed so much at CES and the ball field always had a smile and such a hard worker. Prayers and love sent to her family.

Kelley Radcliff - January 15, 2019 at 10:16 PM

DO

“ *Diane Ollis lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Diane Ollis - January 15, 2019 at 09:48 PM

CT

“ Curtis Tyner lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Curtis Tyner - January 15, 2019 at 09:33 PM

KG

“ CES is going to truly miss this sweet lady who spent many hours volunteering her time to help us. Prayers for your peace during this difficult time.

Kourtney Grant - January 15, 2019 at 09:28 PM

AL

“ Angela Lane lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Angela Lane - January 15, 2019 at 09:21 PM

JC

“ JoAnn Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



JoAnn Carpenter - January 15, 2019 at 08:18 PM

JC

The Carpenter family has you, Bradley, and Ball's brother in our thoughts and prayers. I hope the Lord will give you strength and comfort during this difficult time. Sending love ❤️

JoAnn Carpenter - January 15, 2019 at 08:22 PM

GG

“ Kevin and Bradley, please know that we, all have you all in our love and Prayers. May you all find comfort in the beautiful memories you all shared. Such a sweet soul who loved her family with all her heart. May God wrap his loving arms around you during this difficult time. Love you!



Gene and Teresa Gibson - January 15, 2019 at 08:05 PM

CR

“ Charles Roberts lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Charles Roberts - January 15, 2019 at 07:55 PM

SR

“ She was a joy to work with.



Susan Rose - January 15, 2019 at 07:51 PM

DW

“ Drew Walters lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Drew Walters - January 15, 2019 at 07:33 PM

LM

“ My sincere condolences to Kevin and Bradley as well as her brother. So very,very sorry for your loss. It is my sincere prayer that all of you find peace in the days to come,as I know they will be very difficult. I will always remember her and her love for all things Disney(as I do myself)! May the peace and love of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.Amen!



Lori Morris - January 15, 2019 at 07:32 PM

CH

“ Charlene Hodges lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Charlene Hodges - January 15, 2019 at 07:28 PM

HF

“ HARLESS FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



HARLESS FAMILY - January 15, 2019 at 07:28 PM

SJ

“ *Steve And Brenda Jordan lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Steve and Brenda Jordan - January 15, 2019 at 07:16 PM

RP

“ *Helen will be greatly missed as a friend and coworker. We always had something to laugh and to talk about. Many prayers go to the family. I will miss you my friend.*



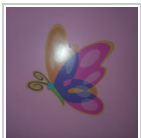
Rachel Pletcher - January 15, 2019 at 06:47 PM



“ *Tonda Bunch lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Tonda Bunch - January 15, 2019 at 06:41 PM



“ *Tonda Bunch lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Tonda Bunch - January 15, 2019 at 06:41 PM

BO

“ Kevin, I am so sorry for your loss! You, Bradley and your extended family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Bootsie - January 15, 2019 at 06:39 PM

JW

“ Kevin & Bradley
I am so sorry to hear about Helen. We spent many hours at the ball field concession stand and she talked about was Bradley. She was so proud of Bradley. I am thankful for all the memories we had. May God give you comfort through this.

Janice Woodham - January 15, 2019 at 04:48 PM

JW

“ Judy Walters lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Judy Walters - January 15, 2019 at 04:00 PM

LL

“ May precious memories of Helen, and the love of family and friends, surround you and give you strength in the days ahead. Love and prayers to you all.



Lori and Randy Lowe - January 15, 2019 at 02:36 PM

DW

“ Loved talking with this fun lady. We reminisced about Carolina, laughed about how much our family drove us crazy, solved world problems and generally had a good time together. She not only loved her family but enjoyed spending as much time as possible with them. She was generous with her time and helped out wherever she was needed. I will miss her greatly.



Dana White - January 15, 2019 at 02:35 PM

AC

“ Ann Crowley lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Ann Crowley - January 15, 2019 at 01:24 PM

TW

“ Dear Kevin and Bradley, I am so sorry...I loved Ball...and you, two, were her life..that was her main subject when talking with her...Thinking of you and sending my love.
Terri

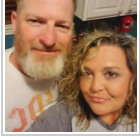
Terri Woodham - January 15, 2019 at 12:39 PM

VP

“ Vickie Parker lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett



Vickie Parker - January 15, 2019 at 12:01 PM



“ *Tonya Amerson lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Tonya Amerson - January 15, 2019 at 11:56 AM

SH

“ *Summer Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Summer Hoffman - January 15, 2019 at 11:42 AM

SH

“ *Kevin and Bradley I am so sorry for your loss. She was one of a kind and loved everyone. She adored you Bradley and was so very proud of you. You all are in my thoughts and prayers for the days to come.*

Summer Hoffman - January 15, 2019 at 11:42 AM

LD

“ *Lynn DeWitt lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Lynn DeWitt - January 15, 2019 at 11:40 AM

AN

“ *Angela Neal lit a candle in memory of Helen Ball Barrett*



Angela Neal - January 15, 2019 at 11:27 AM

AN

She was a very giving person who loved everyone. She will be missed. So sorry for the family

Angela Neal - January 15, 2019 at 11:31 AM

RK

My friend Ball (Helen) Barrett was one of a kind. Until I met her, I never knew a girl who was called "Ball", and I have never met another. Certainly not one like this wonderful woman. Ball handled life's ups and downs with total grace, took great care of my buddy Kevin and their sons, and had a positive impact on all who were lucky enough to know her.

Kevin worked for me and I got to spend fun times with the Barrett's when I was in their area. When their young son Scott was called home by the Lord, I shared in their sorrow. No child was ever loved or missed more. Together Ball and Kevin pressed on, and they were blessed with another son in Bradley. Although I have yet to meet him, I know he is a good son, and a fine young man who will continue to make his parents and his brother proud.

Through the years, the Barrett's and I have remained friends, even though we live on opposite sides of the country. I have been able to share their adventures via phone calls, e-mails, pictures and through Facebook. It is clear that Ball lived a full and fun life, but apparently she was needed in Heaven way earlier than any of us would have liked.

My life is better for knowing Helen "Ball" Barrett, and I will miss her smile, her posts, and her spirit. May God bless her family and give them comfort in knowing that this wonderful woman is now making heaven a much nicer place.

Heaven's gain is our loss. Rest in peace, my friend.

Ron Kirkeeng - January 15, 2019 at 07:25 PM

CA

Ball and I shared many a good time and I miss her already. Prayers always for her precious son, Bradley and for her husband, Kevin. May God be with them during this horrible time.

Caroljean Abbott - January 17, 2019 at 12:53 PM

MY

Bradley,

I'm so sorry when I saw you and told me that your mom had passed. I know you loved her so very much, as much she loved you. She is going to be missed very much. She is with god now with no pain. One day you will be together again

Tracy Myers

myers - January 17, 2019 at 02:12 PM