



## Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler

September 4, 1939 - January 28, 2025

It is with deep sorrow that Mrs. Mary Ruth Hinson Zeigler and her family announce the death of her beloved husband, Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler, 85.

Mr. Zeigler entered into rest peacefully in his home on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, after a brief illness. The Directors of Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home & Crematory are caring for the family.

A private family funeral service to honor his life will be held with The Rev. Chris Pierce officiating. The family will receive friends from 3:00 until 4:00 pm on Sunday, February 2, 2025, at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his honor to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 6704, Hagerstown, MD 21741.

Jerry was a member and deacon of Swift Creek Baptist Church for sixty-three years. He was a loving, faithful husband, a lifelong servant, and a helper to his family, friends, community, and church.

He was a retired employee of Sonoco, working for thirty-five years as a Master Machinist in the Machine Manufacturing Department. He also worked as a farmer, and he held many other jobs during his twenty-eight years of retirement. Jerry was a right-hand man to his nephew, Shane Zeigler. He

served in the Air Force for four years and was stationed in Dover, Delaware. He had the opportunity to travel the world as a Loadmaster on a C-124 Cargo plane.

Jerry is survived by his wife of sixty-five years, Mary Ruth Hinson Zeigler; daughters, Joy Zeigler (Billy) Sparrow and Lisa Watkins (Art) Martin; son, William Charles (Sally) Zeigler; grandchildren, Jesse Sparrow, Joseph Sparrow, Daniel Watkins, Robert Watkins, Terrence Watkins, Haley Martin, and Cody Zeigler. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, David Allen Zeigler; brother, Charles Ray Zeigler; sister, Joanne Zeigler Gold.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 2. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

KC

“ *Kim Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



Kim Campbell - February 02, 2025 at 02:47 PM

IJ

“ *Irene And Woody Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



Irene and Woody Johnson - February 02, 2025 at 05:29 AM

IJ

*Thoughts and prayers for Mary Ruth and family. Joanne was a dear friend and I remember when Mary Ruth and Jerry began dating. They loved each other immediately and were so sweet together. May God grant loving memories that will comfort your heart in the coming days.*

Irene and Woody Johnson - February 02, 2025 at 05:32 AM

JM

“ *Johnny And Denise McLain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



Johnny and Denise McLain - January 31, 2025 at 01:08 PM

GK

“ George Kelly lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



George Kelly - January 30, 2025 at 08:26 PM

AH

“ My sincere condolences to Jerry's family. I worked with him at Sonoco, my dad "Hatch" worked his entire career with Jerry. Dad also sends his love and condolences. Rest easy and FLY HIGH Zeigler! You will be missed!



Allen Haynes - January 30, 2025 at 01:28 PM



“ Crystal Minnehan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



Crystal Minnehan - January 29, 2025 at 09:28 PM

EH

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Jerry. My dad really thought The world of him he helped my daddy a lot sending condolences to all your family Gene and Elaine Hubbard



Elaine Hubbard - January 29, 2025 at 07:03 PM

CZ

“ *Just the sweetest man. I loved every minute I got to spend with him. He would show up every morning dressed like he was going to town even though he was just going to work. We would pick on each other and keep little secrets from Shane. Normally about something silly. I didn't know Jerry long but he has been a big part of my life since we met. I will miss him and his sweet voice.*



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**Carla Zeigler** - January 29, 2025 at 06:54 PM

JT

“ *John And Donna Tolson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**John and Donna Tolson** - January 29, 2025 at 02:13 PM

SW

“ *Sybil Warren lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Sybil Warren** - January 29, 2025 at 01:07 PM

JB

“ Jeannie Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



Jeannie Brown - January 29, 2025 at 11:06 AM

LS

“ Lavonde Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



Lavonde Smith - January 29, 2025 at 11:06 AM

FL

“ Praying for your family.

Fran Bailey Langley - January 29, 2025 at 10:35 AM

AW

“ ALICE COATES FUNDERBURK Watford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



ALICE COATES FUNDERBURK Watford - January 29, 2025 at 10:08 AM

DJ

“ *David Newsome Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**David Newsome Jr.** - January 29, 2025 at 09:30 AM

LB

“ *Lisa Beasley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Lisa Beasley** - January 29, 2025 at 08:42 AM

DF

“ *Donald Flowers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Donald flowers** - January 29, 2025 at 08:29 AM

BW

“ *His Dad & mine worked together. I knew Joanne, since we were closer in age. My love & prayers go out for the family. Becky Wadsworth Walker*

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**Becky Wadsworth walker** - January 29, 2025 at 08:01 AM



“ *Mary Beth Carter Bennett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Mary Beth Carter Bennett** - January 29, 2025 at 07:49 AM

KL

“ *Mary Ruth, Joy and family, so sorry to hear of your loss. Jerry will certainly be missed by many especially his family and church friends. I have so many wonderful members as you must have. Hold tight to these as they will bring much joy in the days ahead. Love and prayers to each of you. Kathy Lawhon*

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**Kathy Lawhon** - January 29, 2025 at 12:10 AM

PY

“ *Pam Yates sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Pam Yates** - January 28, 2025 at 08:41 PM

DO

“ *Dianne O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler*



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**Dianne O'Neal** - January 28, 2025 at 07:52 PM

JG

“ Jimmy And Judy Gainey sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jerry Lewis Zeigler



Jimmy and Judy Gainey - January 28, 2025 at 07:47 PM

JG

Mary Ruth and family, we are so sorry to hear about Jerry. He was a good man and a good friend for so many years. Praying for God's peace and comfort for all of you.

Jimmy and Judy Gainey - January 28, 2025 at 07:52 PM

BH

“ Our thoughts and PRAYERS ARE WITH ALL OF YOU.  
LOVE IN CHRIST,  
BLAKE AND PATRICIA HOFFMAN

BLAKE AND PATRICIA HOFFMAN - January 28, 2025 at 06:26 PM

VO

Mary Ruth and family, I am so sorry to hear about Jerry. My thoughts and prayers are with you due your time of this loss! 🙏🙏

Vicki Brewer Outlaw - January 29, 2025 at 08:24 PM

DA

Mary Ruth, Debra and I will be keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. I know Jerry gave a lot of his time to his Church and to his family and was always helping somebody, We all have wonderful memories and will always Cherish them, He was a Good friend of mine and I will never forget our Friendship

DAVID AND DEBRA ANDREWS

David and Debra Andrews - January 31, 2025 at 08:46 AM