



Marvin Kelly

April 29, 1925 - April 12, 2009

Graveside services for Marvin A. Kelly, 83, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, April 17, 2009 at Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Julius Hadden will officiate and Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family. The family will receive friends Thursday, April 16, 2009 from 5-7 p.m. at the residence, 1824 Burch Drive. Memorials may be made to the Agape Hospice, 113 N. 5th St., Hartsville, SC 29550

Mr. Kelly died Sunday, April 12, 2009. Born in Hartsville, SC, he was a son of the late Vander Burdeen and Hannah Gainey Kelly. He lived there his entire life, never liking any other place as well. He often remarked, "Why would you go somewhere else if you like home?"

Mr. Kelly worked much of his life as a contractor, building many homes in and around Hartsville as well as several churches. He ended his career working at Klopman in the carpenter shop.

Fishing was Mr. Kelly's fondest recreation, and he helped form the Bass Club in Hartsville and went to win many trophies through the club. He was also one of Clemson University's most loyal fans, taping many of the Tiger's football games which he watched many times. He was loved by his family and friends and will be greatly missed.

Surviving are his wife, Alice Aline Kelly of Hartsville, SC; son and daughter-in-law, Buddy and Lauri Kelly of York, SC; daughters and son-in-law, Marlene and Mike McConnell of Hartsville, SC, Teresa Tarrasch of St. Louis, MO; sister, Corrine Hancock of Darlington, SC; 6 grandchildren; 6 great-

grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Vander Kelly, Gerald Kelly; sisters, Ruby Suggs, and Sue Weaver.

Tribute Wall



“ Mrs. Kelly, TK, Marlene and Buddy,
I was very sad when Fletcher informed me of the recent loss of your husband and father. Though it has been many, many years since I last saw him, I'll always have fond memories of him and of his family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Ron Small###imported-begin##Ron Small###imported-end##

April 26, 2009 at 10:56 PM



“ Dear Buddy and family, you and I were old high school friends. Although it has been many years, I remember your smile. I wanted to tell you what a special man your dad was. I met him last November when I was a nurse with AGAPE Hospice. I no longer work with them, but what a wonderful group of ANGELS on this earth they are...I so enjoyed my visit with you dad that day. He talked so about you and how proud he was of you. He showed me his water garden near the back door. After meeting your dad, I understand how all of his children turned out so well. What a wonderful father you had. Bless you and your family and may GOD hold you close until you all meet again....Roberta Driskell-O'Steen###imported-begin##Roberta Driskell-O'Steen###imported-end##

April 22, 2009 at 09:28 PM



“ Marlene and family, I am so sorry to hear about your dad. I know how hard it is to lose your father. I remember him so well at Klopman's. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. Evelyn and David Talbert###imported-begin##Evelyn Talbert###imported-end##

April 22, 2009 at 09:58 AM



“ MARLENE AND FAMILY. I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. I AM PEGGY ODOMS DAUGHTER, AND SHE TALKS ALOT ABOUT THE KELLY FAMILY. YOU AND THE FAMILY ARE IN MY PRAYERS.##imported-begin##dana munn parker##imported-end##

April 17, 2009 at 11:37 PM



“ Mrs Kelly & Family, So sorry to hear about the loss of your loved one. Ms. Alline, I know you are a Godly women and I know your faith in the Lord. Keep your hand in the hand of the Master and He will see you through this very difficult time. Please know that I will keep all of you in my prayers. May God give you strength and comfort as you face each new day.
With Love & Deepest Sympathy,
Nancy Ballard Brown, Sumter, S.C.##imported-begin##Nancy Ballard Brown##imported-end##

April 17, 2009 at 02:19 PM



“ May those beautiful yesterdays always reamin in your heart, and your sorrow gently fade away. May you find strength in your faith, comfort in God's love, and peace in knowing your friends are praying for you. I have fought the fine fight, I have run the course to the finish, I have observed the faith. -2Timothy 4:7. As for me, I will lie down that I may sleep; I shall certainly awake, for Jehovah himself keeps supporting me. -Psalms 3:5##imported-begin##Magallon Family##imported-end##

April 17, 2009 at 01:59 PM



“ Marlene and my old friend TK, please know that my thoughts are with you both during these very trying times. You both can be sure that there a a great many of your good friends also thinking about you.

God Bless!##imported-begin##Fletcher Biggs##imported-end##

April 16, 2009 at 06:37 PM



“ Marlene & Mike & Family - we are so sorry to hear of Mr. Marvin's passing - try to think only of the good times and always remember God will be there to help you - our thoughts and prayers are with all of you - much love to you##imported-begin##Tad & Lynda Weatherford##imported-end##

April 15, 2009 at 12:52 PM



“ Aline and family, We were saddened to hear of Marvin's passing. Your family is very special to us and you will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##David & Beverly Byrd##imported-end##

April 15, 2009 at 08:57 AM



“ Marlene, Jerry and I were so sorry to hear of your loss. We pray that the memories that you have will help to sustain all of you during this most difficult time.

Much Love,
Pam and Jerry Sansbury##imported-begin##Pam Sansbury##imported-end##

April 15, 2009 at 07:10 AM



“ Aline, We are sorry for your lost you and your family are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Lisa & Eddie Webb##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 08:11 PM



“ Your family is in our prayers as you celebrate the homegoing of your father. We pray that God's love and mercy comforts you all, and that you experience the peace that passes understanding as we and so many others remember you in prayer.##imported-begin##George and Sandy Broome##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 08:02 PM



“ Marlene, I'm so sorry to hear about your Dad. Love and prayers in the days ahead. Debbie and Mike Winburn##imported-begin##Debbie Winburn##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 05:59 PM



“ I'm an old friend of Buddy's from our PTL days and just wanted to extend my sympathy and let the family know that you're in my thoughts and prayers at this time.##imported-begin##Steve Schaefer##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 05:32 PM



“ Buddy and Lauri:
Our thoughts and prayers are with you. I am sure that the LORD's peace will take you through the next few days.##imported-begin##Steve Sage##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 02:49 PM



“ Buddy & Lauri,

Diane and I are praying for your family during this time. May God's comfort and peace surround your home and please know you are so loved by so many friends.

Blessings,

*Rodney & Diane##imported-begin##Rodney & Diane
Stoner##imported-end##*

April 14, 2009 at 01:15 PM



“ Praise God that your dad knew the Lord. We all die, BUT through Christ we have eternal life. So this death is not an eternal death but a graduation. It's a goodbye for a short time BUT your dad is now in his new body, living in joy and waiting for you and your loved ones to join him. So call this an Auf Wiedersehen... "until we meet again". Celebrate his life and victory. Weap for your loss but may Joy and Peace and Hope for reunion replace that feeling soon. Love you.
Todd, Carol and Joshua Hewey##imported-begin##Todd and Carol
Hewey##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 12:19 PM



“ Buddy,

*Sorry to hear about your loss.##imported-begin##Jay
Babcock##imported-end##*

April 14, 2009 at 10:15 AM



“ Dear Buddy, Lauri and Jessica,
I am praying for you. May God comfort you and surround you during this time of grief. Just remember the promises of God that there will be no more sorrow and no more tears. Your father is completely healed. God bless you. Judy###imported-begin###Judy Chmura###imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 09:57 AM



“ Buddy and Lauri,
We are thinking of you and praying for you during this time. May you be comforted in the loving arms of Jesus. God Bless you and your family during this time.

Kathy Covington###imported-begin###Kathy Covington###imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 09:13 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear about your father. You know that he is much better off now walking and talking with Jesus looking down on us wishing that you all could see and hear what he is seeing and hearing now. God Bless your family in this time. Love you all
Mike###imported-begin###Michael Balbi###imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 08:19 AM



“ Kelly Family,

*My thoughts and prayers go out to you.
I pray God will give you peace and comfort during this time. I'm sure words can never express how much he'll be missed but remember you will see him again.*

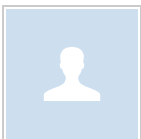
Shannon Webster##imported-begin##Shannon Webster##imported-end##

April 14, 2009 at 08:16 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Kelly. While Shane knew him better, I know that he was one of the joy's Chris had in his life along with his children. He will be greatly missed and is in Heaven smiling down on those who had the honor of knowing him. His passing is an unfortunate thing, but it is also a celebration of one's life and to know that Mr. Kelly isn't in pain in more. We know what it's like to lose a grand parent and all you can do is keep their memory alive in your heart mind. Your family will be in our prayers at a time like this.##imported-begin##Emily & Shane##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 07:32 PM



“ mrs. kelly and family so sorry to hear of marvins passing. we always enjoyed him stopping by the shop.we will keep you in our prayers.##imported-begin##archie and wanda kimbrell##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 06:48 PM



“ On behalf of the staff of Agape Hospice, and the Howard family, please know that we are so very sorry for your loss and want to express our heartfelt sympathy during this time. Remember this earth is not our home, we are only passing through this land as we travel life's journey! Thank you so much for allowing Agape' Hospice to share the compassionate love and care to your family. Please know that we are just a phone call a way should you need us.

In His Grasp, John "Bootsie" Griggs##imported-begin##John "Bootsie" Griggs##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 05:50 PM



“ Mrs.Kelly, we are very sorry for your loss. Words cannot express how much we all loved marvin and looked forward to his "1st and 2nd shift visits as he called them.He touched all of our lives here at northside auto parts in one way or another.He will always be remembered as our #1 "bossman"!! he will be GREATLY MISSED.##imported-begin##Northside Auto Parts##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 05:20 PM



“ My prayery is for your hope and renewed joy.
2Cor 5:6-8 Therefore, being always of good courage, and knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord-- for we walk by faith, not by sight-- we are of good courage, I say, and prefer rather to be absent from the body and to be at home with the Lord.##imported-begin##Christie Legg##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:41 PM



“ Kelly family, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. Please let us know if we can do anything to help.##imported-begin##Chris & Dee Pierce##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:32 PM



“ Dearest Kelly Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you walk through this time. We pray that the Lord wraps each of you in His comforting arms and encourages you with His presence. God Bless Tracy and Heath Ray##imported-begin##Heath and Tracy Ray##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:28 PM



“ Buddy, Lauri and family,
May the Lord give you peace, wisdom and strength through this time. Know that the Lord is in control and He loves you! I know that this is such a difficult time for the family. I am thinking of you all and will be praying for you.

Much Love,
Karen Mathis##imported-begin##Karen Mathis##imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:22 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I pray the Lord will keep and comfort you all during this time. I hope to encourage you as the Lord has encouraged me many times during these seasons; "I've never seen a death that I haven't seen a miracle follow." There is a place to anticipate His goodness during times of mourning. God Bless you and your family! grace and peace, marnold###imported-begin###Misty Arnold###imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:08 PM



“ Dear Buddy, Lauri and Jessica:

Please accept my sincere condolences in the loss of your father, father-in-law and grandfather.

Praying God's comfort over you during this time.

Wendy Lane###imported-begin###Wendy Lane###imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:08 PM



“ Buddy,

I was saddened to hear of the passing of your father but heartened to learn he had received our Lord as Savior. Our prayers will be lifted up daily as you, Lauri and your family remember your father and make plans for the funeral service.

God bless.

Ron & Bonnie###imported-begin###Ron & Bonnie Shuping###imported-end##

April 13, 2009 at 04:04 PM



“ Dearest Buddy and Lauri,

I am sorry to hear of your loss but for the Lord and your father, it is gain. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. What an eternal blessing to finally be HOME!

Your family is definately in my prayers and if there's anything I can do for you, please don't hesitate to ask.

*Lovingly In His Service,
Jean Magee###imported-begin##Jean Magee###imported-end##*

April 13, 2009 at 04:03 PM



“ Buddy & Lauri (and family)-

I am so sorry to hear about you losing your father. I lost my father in 2001 and I know the grieving that you will endure for the next several weeks, months, and even years to come. My heart goes out to all of you. Remember to rest in the Lord and all that He promises.

*God Bless,
Roschelle Wachter###imported-begin##Roschelle
Wachter###imported-end##*

April 13, 2009 at 04:02 PM



“ *Buddy, Lauri and Jessica,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. May God
grant you His peace and understanding as you go through this time
together.*

*Blessings,
Greg & Justine##imported-begin##Greg & Justine
Bentley##imported-end##*

April 13, 2009 at 04:01 PM



“ *Dear Buddy, Lauri and family,*

My thoughts and prayers are with you.

*The passing of a parent is very difficult regardless of the length of
time, or reason for the illness. Our parents have formed who we are;
they have given us their love, values and faith.*

*May you be surrounded by the love of friends and family, and by the
love and peace of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.*

The Peace of the Lord be with you.

*Love,
Carol Littenberg##imported-begin##Carol Littenberg##imported-
end##*

April 13, 2009 at 10:52 AM