



## Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry

July 20, 1925 - April 7, 2019

Mary Frances 'Frankie' Terry, 93, died peacefully on April 7, 2019 in Hartsville, SC. Frankie was born on July 20, 1925 in Greenwood, SC. She was the fifth of six children born to the late Herbert Lee and Anna Fowler Bolton and graduated from Greenwood High School and Greenwood School of Commerce. It was at Greenwood High School that she met her future husband of 52 years, the late Reverend Marion S. Terry. Frankie was retired from Wake Technical College in Raleigh, NC. Throughout her life, she had a love of music and sang in numerous church choirs, singing groups, weddings, and funerals. Nothing was more satisfying than visits from her two granddaughters and later her four great-granddaughters.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Marion; brothers, Julian and Otis Bolton; and sisters, Ruby Bolton and Dot Howard. Surviving include her son, Steve Terry (Paula) of Hartsville, SC; sister, Faye Turner of Albany, GA; granddaughters, Rebecca Coleman (Thomas) of Columbia, SC and Katherine Pauli (Ben) of Mt. Pleasant, SC; great-granddaughters, Hannah Pauli, Maggie Pauli, Mary Mac Coleman, Frances Coleman; and nieces/nephews, Buddy Bolton (Vickie), Bob Howard (Julia), Pam Strieter (Steve), John Howard (Susan), Nancy Brown (Scott), Susan Winston (Rick), and David Turner (Kammie). She was a member of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Fuquay-Varina, NC for 29 years while her husband was the minister, and then 29 years at Fuquay-Varina Baptist Church.

A celebration of her life will be held at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church at 11:00 am on Thursday, April 11, 2019 in Fuquay-Varina, NC. The burial will be held in the church cemetery at 10:00 am prior to the service and is open to family and all special friends who would like to attend. After the service, the family will receive friends. Thomas Funeral Home in Fuquay-Varina, NC is in charge with assistance from Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home in Hartsville, SC. Those who wish to view the body may do so during regular business hours on Wednesday, April 10, 2019 at Thomas Funeral Home, 401 North Ennis Street, Fuquay-Varina, NC

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, 10005 Lake Wheeler Road, Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526 or Fuquay-Varina Baptist, 301 Woodrow Street, Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526.

The family wishes to thank the staffs of Morningside Assisted Living and Morrell Nursing Center for their love and tender care, especially Zonia, NeNe, Amy, and Casey at Morningside Assisted Living and Mandy, Amanda, Kacee, and Gloria at Morrell Nursing Center.

# Tribute Wall

RF

“ Rick And Linda Fountain lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Rick and Linda Fountain - April 16, 2019 at 07:31 AM

Dee Dee McKnight

“ Dee Dee McKnight lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Dee Dee McKnight - April 12, 2019 at 09:58 PM

GO

“ Grady O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Grady O'Neal - April 12, 2019 at 10:26 AM

JW

“ Judy Perdue Walters lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Judy Perdue Walters - April 09, 2019 at 11:10 PM

LL

“ *Lori And Randy Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



**Lori and Randy Lowe** - April 09, 2019 at 09:30 PM

RW

“ *Rebecca Wadsworth Walker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



**Rebecca Wadsworth Walker** - April 09, 2019 at 11:44 AM

HK

“ *Henry And Donna King lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



**Henry and Donna King** - April 09, 2019 at 11:06 AM

KW

“ *Krystal Weekley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



**Krystal Weekley** - April 09, 2019 at 09:48 AM

AB

“ Steve and Paula, i know your mother is singing with the greatest choir ever in heaven and Jesus is singing with her. Please know we are praying for you and pray you feels the strong arms of God around you.

*Bill and Anne Braddock*

---

**Anne Braddock** - April 08, 2019 at 10:32 PM

HD

“ Hailey Deese lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**Hailey Deese** - April 08, 2019 at 09:52 PM

GB

“ Steve and Paula, our thoughts and prayers are with your family. It was certainly a blessing to get to meet and share with Mrs. Terry at Morrell Nursing home while my brother, Levern Mack was there. We still speak of what a wonderful sweet lady she was. He too sends his condolences.

---

**Gloria Bell** - April 08, 2019 at 08:01 PM

CC

“ Steve and Paula, so sorry for your loss. Praying for you during this time

---

**Christel Copeland** - April 08, 2019 at 07:15 PM

AW

“ *Angela White lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



---

**Angela White** - April 08, 2019 at 02:44 PM

AW

*Dr. Terry you and your family are in my prayers and thoughts.*

---

**Angela White** - April 08, 2019 at 02:45 PM

GG

“ *Steve, Paula and family, We send sincere condolences to you all. May you find comfort in all your wonderful memories. Our Prayers and love are with you all.*



---

**Gene and Teresa Gibson** - April 08, 2019 at 01:57 PM

SR

“ *Sedell Rowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry*



---

**Sedell Rowe** - April 08, 2019 at 01:30 PM

GW

“ Gloria White lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**Gloria White** - April 08, 2019 at 12:27 PM

MC

“ Steve, were so sorry to hear about your mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

---

**Maxie Cantley** - April 08, 2019 at 11:32 AM

SS

“ I'll always remember Frankie as such a lovely person. I'll always remember, too, years ago when Allison and Katherine were little girls and were at Prestwood pool with her. Frankie wore a very modest two-piece swimsuit but Allison said, "Katherine's grandma had a bikini on at the pool." We shared a big laugh when sharing this account with her family! Rest In Peace, Miss Frankie.

---

**Sharon and Johnny Sturdivant** - April 08, 2019 at 11:32 AM

LN

“ My prayers are with you all in the coming days & years. Cherish those sweet memories of Mrs. Frankie. She was such a delight to see at Morningside.

---

**Lynn Newsom** - April 08, 2019 at 10:27 AM

PB

“ Alan and I have you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. Pat Wheless Biggers

---

**Pat Wheless Biggers** - April 08, 2019 at 08:11 AM

SS

“ Sherron Skipper sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**Sherron Skipper** - April 08, 2019 at 07:19 AM

PG

“ Phyllis Griggs lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**Phyllis Griggs** - April 07, 2019 at 07:35 PM

PT

“ Pam Hawkins Tyner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**Pam Hawkins Tyner** - April 07, 2019 at 07:35 PM

NR

“ NeNe Royal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

**NeNe Royal** - April 07, 2019 at 06:36 PM

ZH

“ Zonnie Houser lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Zonnie Houser - April 07, 2019 at 05:53 PM

BM

“ Becky Bob McWatty lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Becky Bob McWatty - April 07, 2019 at 04:43 PM

BM

Thoughts and prayers to our friend, Steve, and family.

Becky Bob McWatty - April 07, 2019 at 04:44 PM

JB

“ Steve, Paula and family. So sorry to hear of the passing of your mom, mother-in-law and grandma. May God bless you each and keep you wapped in his loving arms.

Janelle and Walter Britt - April 07, 2019 at 04:32 PM

AB

“ Amy Bell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



Amy Bell - April 07, 2019 at 04:27 PM

MS

“ Mitchell Sansbury lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Frances "Frankie" Terry



---

Mitchell Sansbury - April 07, 2019 at 04:17 PM

MS

So sorry for your loss 🙏

---

Mitchell Sansbury - April 07, 2019 at 04:17 PM

 Wesley Rushing

*Thoughts and prayers for you Coach Terry. I know how dearly you loved your mom. Every time it seemed we talked, you were in Raleigh, on your way to Raleigh or on your way home from Raleigh and then the last time you told me about her being in the rest home in Hartsville close to you.*

*Reat assured that she's now in the best rest home ever for eternity. Remember the special times y'all had together and cherish the long life that she shared with you. Take care my friend.*

---

Wesley Rushing - April 10, 2019 at 12:03 AM