



## Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings

September 13, 1927 - February 15, 2018

Graveside services for Mary Karl King Jennings, 90, will be held at 3:00 pm Saturday, February 17, 2018 at Magnolia Cemetery.

The Rev. Kevin Walters will officiate and the family will receive friends from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm on Saturday in the West Hartsville Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Jennings died Thursday, February 15, 2018. Born in Hartsville, SC, she was a daughter of the late Karl Zimmerman and Mary Riley King.

Mary Karl was a charter member of West Hartsville Baptist Church, taught in the Junior Dept. for many years, and was a member of the Gleaners Sunday school class. She was a graduate of Limestone College and taught in the Darlington County schools for 41 years and Thomas Hart Academy for eight years. She loved spending time with her chihuahua, "Cricket".

Surviving are her daughter, Mary Jennings (Kenneth) Gibbs; son, Karl (Lisa) Jennings; grandchildren, Kaitlyn (Jen) Schacher, Kent Gibbs, Courtney (David) Stanley, Jenny (Robin) Jenkins, Jennie (Kevin) Morrell; great-grandchildren, Willow Rae Schacher, Gracelyn Stanley, Callie Jenkins, Abby Morrell, Lilly Morrell; sister, Meta Foster; brother, Fuller H. King.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Hugh Jennings; sister, Aurelia Stubbs.

Memorials may be made to the West Hartsville Baptist Church, 1003 W. Carolina Ave., Hartsville, SC 29550.

Brown-Pennington-Atkins is serving the family.



# Cemetery Details

## Magnolia Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

West Hartsville Baptist Church  
1003 W. Carolina Ave.  
Hartsville, SC

## Service

FEB 17. 3:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall

LR

“ I love Mrs. Jennings. She was my fourth grade teacher. I was reacquainted with her when I went to work at the bank. She would always scold me when I slammed a door or did something to her disliking. I would laugh and she would say that she taught me better than that. Mrs. Jennings was always a delight and sharp as a whip. She will forever be in my heart.

*Laura Ross Roscoe*

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**Laura R** - March 16, 2018 at 02:38 PM

ET

“ Elizabeth Hoffman Turner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



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**Elizabeth Hoffman Turner** - March 07, 2018 at 04:31 PM

JH

“ June Hyman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



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**June Hyman** - February 22, 2018 at 09:23 AM

Linda  
Warren  
Coates

“ *Linda Warren Coates lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Linda Warren Coates** - February 21, 2018 at 10:29 AM

AB

“ *Ann Bjorklund lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Ann Bjorklund** - February 20, 2018 at 05:16 PM

SH

“ *Sharon Shirley Howle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Sharon Shirley Howle** - February 20, 2018 at 10:12 AM

SH

*Mary Karl was a delightful lady. She was a good friend of my Mother's(Marie Shirley). She will be missed.*

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**Sharon Shirley Howle** - February 20, 2018 at 10:14 AM

MC

“ Mike And Freda Chafin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Mike and Freda Chafin - February 19, 2018 at 01:10 PM

RE

“ Rebecca lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Rebecca - February 18, 2018 at 09:47 PM

KB

“ Kim Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Kim Bryant - February 18, 2018 at 09:16 PM

ET

“ Elizabeth Hoffman Turner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Elizabeth Hoffman Turner - February 18, 2018 at 04:11 PM

AM

“ *Mary,  
I'm so sorry to hear about your mother. She was my second grade teacher and was very special to me through the years. Both your mom and dad were special to me. I have many fond memories of both of them and also yourself. I'm sorry I heard the news to late to attend her service. I'm keeping you and your family in my prayers.  
Angie Bateman McLaughlin*

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**Angie Bateman McLaughlin** - February 18, 2018 at 12:15 PM

SW

“ *Scott Willard lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Scott Willard** - February 18, 2018 at 06:12 AM

MA

“ 32 years ago I met our Aunt Mary Karl!

*The first time I was introduced as Becky Blackmon's (her niece) boyfriend. From that point forward and some 32 years later she was and always has been my Aunt Mary Karl. From that time it has always felt like I was with family because in her eyes I was family and I in return felt like I was with family as well. I have had the pleasure of being in her company many times over the past years. My last visit with Aunt Mary Karl will be with me for the rest of my life. At the time of this visit I was just trying to slip aside and allow her sister Meta and her niece Becky have their time with her. So again I just slipped away to the corner of the room to allow them their time. After a few minutes I hear Aunt Mary Karl say who is that over there? Are you one of my doctors? I stepped forward not knowing if she could recognize me and said no I'm no doctor. My response was (trying to be somewhat funny) I'm a jack of all trades and a master of none but not a doctor. She in return said Marson! You better get over here and give me my hug boy. Again I was treated as if I had always been family and I would always be. That is a memory that I will have with me until the day that I leave the world. We don't get together as family as much as we should. Everyone has their own families now and each have grown to be more of an extended family. I am so thankful for the times that I was greeted with that beautiful happy personality that was our Aunt Mary Karl.*

*You will always be missed and never forgotten!*

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**Marson Amerson** - February 18, 2018 at 01:02 AM

CA

“ *Caroljean Abbott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Caroljean Abbott** - February 17, 2018 at 02:48 PM

CA

*Mary Karl was a delight to work and share laughs with. She will be greatly missed. Prayers for the family.*

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**Caroljean Abbott** - February 17, 2018 at 02:50 PM

AW

“ *Anna Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Anna Williams** - February 17, 2018 at 02:46 PM

VJ

“ *Valerie Chafin Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Valerie Chafin Johnson** - February 17, 2018 at 12:49 AM

VJ

*Fond Memories of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings at THA when I was in school and also when she tutored my daughter summer between 1st and 2nd grade in reading. She was always so kind and such an inspiration to her students. Prayers for the family.*

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**Valerie Chafin Johnson** - February 17, 2018 at 12:51 AM

DF

“ *Donald Flowers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Donald Flowers** - February 16, 2018 at 10:26 PM

RD

“ *Rita Darnell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Rita Darnell** - February 16, 2018 at 08:35 PM

EB

“ *Eric, Jo Lynn Bradshaw lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Eric, Jo Lynn Bradshaw** - February 16, 2018 at 08:04 PM

JA

“ *Karl, thinking of you my friend. You are in my thoughts and prayers*  
*Jimmy*

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**jimmy atkins** - February 16, 2018 at 07:22 PM

CS

“ Mrs. Jennings was my favorite teacher in grammar school. Years ago there was an article in the a Messenger about me skydiving. She got in touch with me and I went the next Saturday and visited with her for several hours. She had the best sense of humor and I loved her dearly.

*Cheryl DeBruhl Shepherd*

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**Cheryl DeBruhl Shepherd** - February 16, 2018 at 06:31 PM

JG

“ Jimmy And Judy Gainey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



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**Jimmy and Judy Gainey** - February 16, 2018 at 02:37 PM

PD

“ Mary Karl was a great person and in particular a wonderful 2nd grade teacher! She is much loved at our house! Well done Maey Karl. Rest from your labors!

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**Paula Davis** - February 16, 2018 at 12:23 PM

LL

“ What a sweet and precious lady Mrs Jennings was  
Always had a smile on her face  
We will have the whole family in our prayers  
Love you  
Lawrence Cindy  
Lance & Tyler Lowe

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**Lawrence, Cindy, Lance&Tyler Lowe** - February 16, 2018 at 11:26 AM

LL

“ *Lawrence, Cindy, Lance&Tyler Lowe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Lawrence, Cindy, Lance&Tyler Lowe** - February 16, 2018 at 11:22 AM

RW

“ *Karl and family, we will be praying for you now and in the days to come for comfort and peace.*

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**Robert and Debbie Winburn** - February 16, 2018 at 11:20 AM

DS

“ *Danny And Phoebe Stokes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Danny and Phoebe Stokes** - February 16, 2018 at 09:00 AM

KD

“ *Mary Karl was a sweet kind woman and an excellent teacher who had an impact on many students. A few years ago she reached out to me when my mother passed away - I will always remember her thoughtfulness. May she rest peacefully in our Lord's arms. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.*

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**Kim Dixon** - February 15, 2018 at 08:47 PM

AS

“ *Wonderful teacher that left me many fond memories of my childhood in her class*



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**Allison Smith** - February 15, 2018 at 08:42 PM

LD

“ *Lynn DeWitt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Lynn DeWitt** - February 15, 2018 at 07:15 PM

GW

“ *Guy And Jan Webb lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Guy and Jan Webb** - February 15, 2018 at 05:57 PM

SB

“ *Suzanne Skinner Beasley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Suzanne Skinner Beasley** - February 15, 2018 at 05:56 PM

VP

“ Vickie Parker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Vickie Parker - February 15, 2018 at 05:46 PM

Linda Warren Coates

“ Linda Warren Coates lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



Linda Warren Coates - February 15, 2018 at 05:33 PM

DW

“ Mary and family: I'm so sorry to hear about your mom's passing. I always liked your mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Donna Wadsworth - February 15, 2018 at 04:55 PM

RW

“ She taught me in third grade. I liked her then. As an adult, I really appreciated knowing her. My prayers go to her family. Rebecca Wadsworth Walker, Durham, NC



Rebecca Wadsworth Walker - February 15, 2018 at 04:32 PM

JC

“ *Jim, Jeri, John, Kelly Cox lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Jim, Jeri, John, Kelly Cox** - February 15, 2018 at 04:31 PM

LL

“ *Lori And Randy Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Lori and Randy Lowe** - February 15, 2018 at 04:29 PM

JK

“ *Jofrieda Kelley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Jofrieda Kelley** - February 15, 2018 at 01:38 PM

JG

“ *Jewel Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Jewel Gibson** - February 15, 2018 at 12:50 PM

JG

*So sorry for the loss of this special lady. Our prayers are with her family. Krystal, Kori, and Jewel*

**Jewel Gibson** - February 15, 2018 at 12:59 PM

CA

“ *Carolelmorebryant lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



**carolelmorebryant** - February 15, 2018 at 12:42 PM

CA

*Mary & Family: Mrs. Mary Karl was a kind and sweet friend. She and mama (Mildred Elmore) always enjoyed catching up on the phone for at least an hour each time they talked. We will miss her but know she is free of pain and with Mr. Tom. Mama and I send our love to you. Blessings, Carol*

**carolelmorebryant** - February 15, 2018 at 12:46 PM

GG

“ *Gene & Teresa Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



**Gene & Teresa Gibson** - February 15, 2018 at 12:38 PM

JE

“ *Jonnie Thomas Estermyer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Jonnie Thomas Estermyer** - February 15, 2018 at 12:14 PM

RG

“ *Richard Galloway lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Richard Galloway** - February 15, 2018 at 11:52 AM

RG

*To Mary and family, Thank all of you for being friends in this circle of life. Mrs. Mary was such a gracious, friendly, and just all around pleasure to have known. She has a lot of wonderful friends and know she is wrapped in God's loving arms. So sorry for her lost as we continue our path through life with the knowledge that Miss Mary has blazed a clear trail for us to follow.*

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**Richard Galloway** - February 15, 2018 at 12:02 PM

JB

“ *Jo Bailey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings*



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**Jo Bailey** - February 15, 2018 at 11:18 AM

JK

“ To her family,  
I have such sweet memories of being in Mrs. Jennings second  
grade class. She was a delightful teacher. My prayers for all of you  
in the loss of your mother, aunt and friend.

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**Julie B King** - February 15, 2018 at 10:41 AM

DW

“ Davie Walters lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Mary Karl Jennings



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**Davie Walters** - February 15, 2018 at 09:29 AM

SK

“ Sue Kelley lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Mary Karl Jennings



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**Sue Kelley** - February 15, 2018 at 08:23 AM

SS

“ Sherron Lee Skipper lit a candle in memory of  
Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



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**Sherron Lee Skipper** - February 15, 2018 at 08:21 AM

GB

“ Dear Mary and family, You know your mama was a much loved lady. We also know she was ready to go to her eternal home and thankful that our prayers for her comfort and peace have been answered. I absolutely loved being her SS teacher for years, though she'd forgotten more than I'll ever know. She knew and lived God's word. That's a rare combination. We were blessed to have known her as our friend and will miss picking up the phone and hearing her sing Happy Birthday!! We pray God's presence for you now and always.

*In Christ's Love,*

*Gloria and Frank Butler*

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**gloria and frank butler** - February 15, 2018 at 08:13 AM

DM

“ Debbie Morrell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Karl Jennings



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**Debbie Morrell** - February 15, 2018 at 07:51 AM

JD

“ I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Mary Karl. I taught with her when I first arrived in Hartsville. She was a very sweet lady and a great teacher. JoAnn Doughty

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**JoAnn Doughty** - February 15, 2018 at 07:30 AM