



## Russell Gandy

January 4, 1980 - October 8, 2006

Funeral services for Russell Ervin Gandy, 26, will be held at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 11, 2006 at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Robert Faile will officiate with burial in Magnolia Cemetery. The family will receive friends Tuesday, October 10, 2006 from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 128 Stonemark Lane, Columbia SC 29210 or Shriner's Hospital, 950 West Faris Road, Geenville, SC 29605-4277.

Mr. Gandy died Sunday, October 8, 2006. Born in Darlington Co., SC, he was a son of James C. Gandy and Lynn Hamrick and Ralph Boles. He was a member of Lakeview Baptist Church. A 1999 graduate of Hartsville High School, he attained a degree in welding from Florence Darlington Technical College. He was formerly employed with Home Depot where he received numerous awards of merit for his dedicated service.

Surviving are his father of Hartsville, SC; mother and step-father of Florence, SC; sister, Misty Gandy of Hartsville, SC; brother, Brad Gandy of Hartsville, SC; aunt and uncle, Deborah and Bert Simpson of Hartsville, SC; cousins, Henry Simpson of Ahoskie, NC, B.J. Simpson of Virginia Beach, VA; paternal grandparents, Jean Gandy and the late J. W. Gandy of Hartsville, SC; maternal grandparents, Jack E. and Gloria Hamrick of Little River, SC.

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# Previous Events

## Service

OCT 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel  
306 W Home Ave  
Hartsville, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ *Martha Mixon Hall lit a candle in memory of Russell Gandy*



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**Martha Mixon Hall** - December 08, 2025 at 11:54 AM



“ *I miss Russell so much*

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**Danielle Wint** - February 05, 2014 at 08:41 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Deborah Gandy##imported-end##*

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October 13, 2006 at 12:42 PM



“ *I went to high school w/ Rusty and was very sad to hear of your loss. Rusty was always quite but had a sweet smile on his face! You're in my thoughts and prayers. Jennifer##imported-begin##Jennifer Crowley Bledsoe##imported-end##*

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October 12, 2006 at 02:12 PM



“ *Ralph;*

*I am very sorry for the loss of your son. I pray God will give you comfort during this time. Please give your wife my condolences. Both of you will be in my prayers.##imported-begin##Roger Kelly##imported-end##*

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October 12, 2006 at 09:49 AM



“ *To the Gandy Family - I went to school and graduated with Rusty. Thinking back to the times when we were trumpet players together and friends all those years ago, I don't think that there was ever a time when he didn't have a smile on his face. I will always remember that smile. May the memories you have of Rusty comfort you during this time, and know that my prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Megan E. Harris##imported-end##*

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October 12, 2006 at 12:32 AM



“ *Brad,*

*I'm very sorry about the loss of your brother. I lost my mother earlier this year and I know how hard it is. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Sincerely,  
Launa (from BCBS)##imported-begin##Launa Perry##imported-end##*

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October 11, 2006 at 10:24 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time and in the nearfuture. May God send special angles along the path that you travel to give you the understanding, love and care you need that only He knows all about. Yield your stricken hearts to Him and I promise He will heal them.  
Love In Christ, Jo Lynn Newsome###imported-begin##Jo Lynn###imported-end##

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October 11, 2006 at 02:38 PM



“ To the Gandy family:I went to school with Rusty since elementary.He was always such a sweet guy who kept a smile on his face.I saw him for the first time since high school a/b a week ago at the store down the road from my home.And as always he was smiling and asking me if I was staying out of trouble.And of course I told him "NO and I would see him later."I didn't know that would be the last time,but God has taken him for a reason.He is probably up in HEAVEN looking down on all of us and watching over u.May God's grace be with you at this time of sorrow.I will pray for your family.###imported-begin##Amy Bailey###imported-end##

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October 11, 2006 at 02:11 PM



“ i went to school with rusty and wanted to say sorry to the family for their lost.###imported-begin##jessica hamilton###imported-end##

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October 11, 2006 at 12:11 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about your son.I will keep you in my prayers. My God bless you and comfort you in this difficult time.###imported-begin##Ronnie Vann###imported-end##

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October 10, 2006 at 07:07 PM



“ *Russell you were like my brother always telling me to be good, we had fun saturday night befor all yall left. Rest in Peace look and smile down on all of us. My love goes out to all the Gandy family.##imported-begin##David Byrd##imported-end##*

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October 10, 2006 at 02:13 PM



“ *TO JIMMY AND MISTY WE ARE SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOST....WE KNOW HOW YOU MUST BE FEELING AT THIS POINT...AS WE HAVE BEEN TOLD KEEP YOUR HEADS UP HIGH AND IF YOU NEED US FOR ANYTHING YOU CALL ME OR LET THE KIDS KNOW..LOVE FROM US TO YOU...##imported-begin##Renee&Buster&Kids##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2006 at 10:52 PM



“ *Rest in peace, Russell, we will miss you.*

*Larry and Faye##imported-begin##Larry and Faye Vaughan##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2006 at 05:59 PM



“ *I just want you to know that I along with Roebuck Baptist Church have all of you in our prayers. I am so sorry that you are having to experience this loss.I cannot imagine having to deal with the loss of a child, but know that you are loved and I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jayne Elliott Elston##imported-end##*

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October 09, 2006 at 04:55 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of sorrow. God bless you all.##imported-begin##Darlene Kennedy Jackson##imported-end##

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October 09, 2006 at 04:34 PM



“ To the Gandy Family,  
My thoughts and Prayers are with each of you at this most difficult time. May God give each of you the comfort, peace, strength and courage in the days and months to come.

Connie Wallace##imported-begin##Connie Sells  
Wallace##imported-end##

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October 09, 2006 at 03:50 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless and keep you during this time.##imported-begin##April##imported-end##

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October 09, 2006 at 02:07 PM