



Marie Cook Kennerly

September 23, 1929 - April 18, 2019

Marie Cook Kennerly, 89, of Mount Ulla, passed away on Thursday, April 18, 2019 at her residence.

She was born on September 23, 1929 in Statesville, NC, to the late Robert and Mamie Rash Cook. Mrs. Kennerly was a graduate of Celeste Henkle High School. On November 27, 1947 (Thanksgiving Day), she married Robert Kennerly at her parent's home in Statesville. She has made her home in Mount Ulla ever since that time. She was a member of Back Creek Presbyterian Church in Mount Ulla, where she sang in the choir and volunteered in the nursery. She loved children and provided childcare in her home for many Mount Ulla families.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Robert Kennerly; daughter, Joyce Anthony; great granddaughter, Lillian Brooks Rousey; and seven brothers and three sisters.

She is survived by her children, Janice Woodson and husband, Bill of Charlotte, Bob Kennerly and wife, Molly of Mt. Ulla, Jane Price and husband, Jimmy of Charlotte; sister, Nellie Karriker of Troutman; and seven grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. She is also survived by sons-in-law, Richard Anthony of Statesville and Ben Basinger of Matthews; and sister-in-law, Evelyn Young and husband, Jerry of Kannapolis.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, April 21 from 6:00-8:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM on Monday, April 22 at Back Creek Presbyterian Church with Rev. William "Bill" Thrailkill officiating. Burial will follow the service in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Back Creek Presbyterian Church Mission Team, 2145 Back Creek Church Rd, Mt. Ulla, NC 28125.

The family appreciates the loving care shown to Mamaw by Tonia Coulter during the past year. Gratitude also goes to the staff of Trellis Supportive Care of Salisbury.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Kennerly family. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Back Creek Presbyterian Church

2145 Back Creek Church Road
2180 Back Creek Church Road
Mount Ulla, NC 28125

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

APR 21. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

APR 22. 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

Back Creek Presbyterian Church
2145 Back Creek Church Road
2180 Back Creek Church Road
Mount Ulla, NC 28125

Graveside Service

APR **22**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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2180 Back Creek Church Road
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Tribute Wall



“ Marie Cook Kennerly

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ Marie Cook Kennerly

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ Marie Cook Kennerly

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ Heavenly Light was purchased for the family of Marie Cook Kennerly.



April 21, 2019 at 09:08 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marie Cook Kennerly.



April 21, 2019 at 08:53 AM

SA

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My grandmother was Lottie Reynolds Kennerly (Kenerly) who was Robert Kennerly's Aunt, I believe. She married my Grandfather Julius Cicero Arey and they are buried at Granite Quarry, Shiloh Methodist. I remember Robert fondly. I have a Kennerly family bible from 1849 that was left from my parents passing in 2011 that has Kenerly family names and dates written in the center section. If any Kennerly family member would like to have it. Please let me know. Steve Arey, Salisbury, N.C.

Steven R Arey - April 20, 2019 at 09:48 PM

MC

“ We have such fond memories of Marie - always loving and gracious! She helped take care of our children when needed, which was a huge blessing! Praying for the family!

Mary Nell Cavin Coblentz - April 20, 2019 at 08:47 AM