



Frances J. Crumpler

November 25, 1938 - May 21, 2021

Frances "Jean" Crumpler was born in Kenly, NC in 1938, to the late William and Agnes Wells. She graduated from Kenly High School in 1957. In the early 1970s she moved to Greenville, SC where she had a long career as a bookkeeper and controller, finally retiring at the age of 75. Jean was an avid reader and crossword puzzle enthusiast. She enjoyed Nascar racing, attending races throughout the South. Most of all, she loved to cook for her family, co-workers, and church family at Rockvale Baptist Church. Whenever she had the opportunity, she enjoyed traveling – the big trips were to Hawaii, Australia and Mexico along with many, many trips to the Smoky Mountains, Charleston, and Myrtle Beach. Jean lived with her daughter in Michigan after retirement but she always traveled back to visit friends and family in the Carolinas.

She is survived by her daughter Kim (Mike) Kerr, son Billy (Angela) Crumpler, sister Patricia Holland, grandchildren Joshua Crumpler, Christin Crumpler, Chad (Princess) Crumpler, Brandon (Tayla) Crumpler, Nicole (Clay) Kerr, Dennis Kerr along with many great-grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by granddaughter Jessica Crumpler and former husband Everette Crumpler.

Services will be held at a later date.

If you would like to make a donation in honor of Jean, please consider the Alzheimer's Association or the Arthritis Foundation.

Arrangements in care of Jowett Funeral Home - New Haven.

Tribute Wall

WS

“ *Wanda Summers lit a candle in memory of Frances J. Crumpler*



Wanda Summers - April 19, 2022 at 08:24 PM

AC

“ *Angela Crumpler lit a candle in memory of Frances J. Crumpler*



Angela Crumpler - May 25, 2021 at 07:34 PM



“ *Aunt Jean was a fun loving person. She loved to go anywhere and she brought the laughter. Mountains and beach trips, White Lake and Aunt Helen's house were always special family time. We will miss her greatly but know that she is now completely happy and healed! And she's laughing and having a blast!*

Teri Bryant - May 23, 2021 at 07:42 AM

KA

“ *Kristina Alcorn lit a candle in memory of Frances J. Crumpler*



Kristina Alcorn - May 22, 2021 at 05:41 PM

AC

“ Where do I begin. In 1983 you welcomed me into your family. I married your amazing son. I must say you raised one amazing man. You were more than a mother in law. In 1997 I lost my mom. You always told me you could never replace my mom. But you sure did love me like my own mom did. I could have never asked for a better granny for my kids. You loved each one of them unconditionally. And for that I thank you. When we lost Jessica it was like you lost a child as well. But I know today you are in heaven with our beautiful girl. Thank you for allowing me to be apart of your family. But most of all thank you for loving me. ❤️

Angela Crumpler - May 22, 2021 at 04:14 PM

KK

“ My mom shared her favorite recipes with us over the past few years. Now Angie can make the delicious carrots cake and I make pecan pies for the holidays. Sweet memories.

Kim Kerr - May 22, 2021 at 11:03 AM

KB

“ My life has been forever touched by this incredible woman. We have traveled all around and I learned that You are never lost, you just don't know where you are yet. I learned that Mamas are always right because of the experience they had before us. Most of all I learned how to be a friend and actually love someone. Mama Jean was my best friend almost instantly after we met in 1983. She will forever be my best friend and adopted Mama. Now she's just my angel in heaven not here on earth. I will see you again Mama Jean, until then, Keep me covered with your angelic love. I love you.

Karla Blanton - May 22, 2021 at 10:32 AM