



Ms. Martha Garrison

July 12, 1930 - June 24, 2022

Clemson, SC – Martha Waring Garrison, 91, passed away on June 24, 2022.

She was

preceded in death by her husband, George Glenn Garrison and her brothers and sisters: Morton

Waring, Paul Waring, Frank Waring, Betty Smith, Patricia Waring Rice and Bobbie Hawkins.

Martha was born in Liberty, SC. She was the daughter of the late Frank G. Waring and Gladys

Richbourg Waring. Martha worked for Clemson University for 28 years as the receptionist at

Jervey Athletic Department. She greeted all of Clemson's fans with a smiling face, as well as

being a second mom to numerous student-athletes. She was honored as Clemson University's

Employee of the Year in 1993 and Tiger Brotherhood Mother of the Year in 1979.

Martha is survived by her son Steve Garrison and his wife Cindy of Duluth, GA, as well as her

daughter Kathy Clark and her husband Matt of Dunn, NC. Also surviving are four grandchildren,

Jocelyn Boatwright, Brittany Doncaster, Lindsey McLean, and Adrienne Jennings; along with seven great grandchildren.

A memorial service is planned for July 14, 2022 at Lawrence Chapel at 1 o'clock located on Six Mile Hwy above Daniel High School. The family requests that the appropriate virus protocols be observed.

Memorials can be made to St Jude Hospital at:
<http://giftfunds.stjude.org/MarthaWGarrison>

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2410 Gentry Memorial Hwy
Pickens , SC 29671

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. Martha Garrison.* ”



July 14, 2022 at 05:15 AM



“ *Kathy, my prayers and thoughts are for you and your family. Lue McKnight* ”

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“ *Michele Alexander purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Ms. Martha Garrison.* ”



Michele Alexander - July 12, 2022 at 12:49 PM

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“ We were lucky as children and as adults to have Martha as our Aunt. She was always welcoming and made each and everyone of her 10 nieces and nephews always feel special and one of her own. This love extended far beyond her family to include her church family, her Clemson University family and her dear friends. We have lost our family's "keeper of welcome". Martha always made sure everyone was comfortable and taken care of when you were in her presence. She was the last of her generation for our family and now we can only hope to carry a small flame of her spirit to light our paths as we go forward. We will always remember her smile, her laughter and her many kindnesses. We will miss you for the rest of our lives. May your memory be eternal. With deepest sympathy, Gordon and Debbie Summey

Deborah Summey - June 29, 2022 at 04:42 PM