



Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia

July 5, 1929 - March 29, 2026

It is with deep sorrow that Mr. Francisco “Frank” Garcia and his family announce the death of his beloved wife, Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia, 96.

Mrs. Garcia entered into rest on Sunday, March 29, 2026. The Directors of Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home are caring for the family.

A funeral service to honor her life will be held at 11 o’clock, on Saturday, April 4, 2026, at Ashwood Baptist Church, 1075 Lake Ashwood Road, Sumter, SC, with the Reverend Jeff Gordy officiating. The family will receive family and friends at the conclusion of the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in her honor to the Arbor Day Foundation at their website: www.arborday.org

Mrs. Garcia was born on Friday, July 5, 1929, in Dayton, OH. She was the daughter of the late Russell Kelly and the late Myrtle Stackhouse Kelly. She was also a proud mother who raised three daughters during her life: Jacqui Brown, Judy Hardy (Jerry), and Jenny Conaty (Kevin), ultimately becoming a grandmother of six and a great-grandmother of ten.

During her life, Mrs. Garcia was an employee of the United States Postal Service as a Postal Carrier for over ten years. After retiring, she enjoyed

traveling with her husband across the country and internationally, seeking great experiences and adventures. She was a loving mother to her many cats and dogs, along with being very active in the Church during her life.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Funeral Service

APR 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Ashwood Baptist Church
1075 Lake Ashwood Road
Sumter, SC 29153

Tribute Wall



“ *Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia*



Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home - April 01 at 12:01 PM

JC

Memorial video of mom

Jenny CONATY - April 01 at 03:49 PM

KT

So beautiful in every way. Thank you for sharing.

Kathleen Thier - April 01 at 09:10 PM



Bindi Oberts

That was lovely. So glad to see such happy times.

Bindi Oberts - April 01 at 10:37 PM

ST

Aunt Jeannette we will all truly miss you! Your spirit is unfathomable and nothing can stop you now!!

Sharon Trivedi - April 02 at 06:00 PM

ST

What a wonderful video Jenny, thank you! 🙏

Sharon Trivedi - April 02 at 06:11 PM

NF

“ Nancey F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.

Nancey F. - April 03 at 08:10 PM

CC

“ Chris and Theresa Cousins planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.

Chris and Theresa Cousins - April 03 at 03:47 PM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.

April 02 at 10:58 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.



April 01 at 04:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.

April 01 at 04:04 PM

SB

“ Aunt Jeannette brought joy wherever she went. Her laugh was contagious, her energy never seemed to slow down, and her love for her family was fierce and unwavering. Being around her always felt lighter and happier. I will forever treasure her final gift with a note that it was something she wanted us to wear as a way to stay connected and remember our family bond. Her love and spirit will be with us always.



Sabrina (Kelly) Bennett - April 01 at 01:52 PM

AA

“ Archie And Kay Amerson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia



Archie and Kay Amerson - April 01 at 12:04 PM

MK

“ Mark Kelly purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.



Mark Kelly - April 01 at 09:18 AM

MK

“ Mark Kelly planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.

Mark Kelly - April 01 at 09:18 AM

BR

“ Mrs. Jeanette was one of those ladies that comes into your life and leaves a lasting impression. Knowing her and you, Mr. Frank, has been such a huge blessing to me throughout the years. She was just one of the most genuine, sweetest of souls. I love you both, and I pray for healing and comfort and for the Lord to touch you and keep you in his hands.



Brooke Raley - April 01 at 08:31 AM

KT

“ Every comment here shows so much love for my Aunt Jeannette. She was truly special and touched so many lives. What a gift she gave to each of us. Thank you. We'll always love you.

Kathy Thier - April 01 at 12:11 AM

PS

“ My wonderful Aunt Jeannette. She was a feisty soul and I loved our many conversations. She became like a mother to me after I lost mine and offered support and advice on many occasions. She loved to travel and have adventures. She loved life and lived it to its fullest. She will be deeply missed.

Paula Smith - March 31 at 09:46 PM

 Bindi
Oberts

“ Grandma Garcia was such a fun Grandma! I loved to hear her laugh. I remember lots of laughs with her. I remember games of Crazy Eights, throwing rocks for her dog Trouble to chase, and her "Happy Birthday" songs to me every year by phone. She will forever hold a special place in my heart. Heaven has gained a great lady!

Bindi Oberts - March 31 at 09:13 PM

JF

“ Jim and Terri Oberts and Family purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Jeannette Kelly Garcia.



Jim and Terri Oberts and Family - March 31 at 09:08 PM

BB

“ Countless memories with Grandma Garcia around the pool in her back yard, during summer vacations. She will be missed

Bob Brown - March 31 at 08:11 PM

LD

“ I had the honor to serve in the American Legion Auxiliary with her and she was our Vice president. Ms Jeannette and her husband Mr Frank was always available to help whenever needed. Ms Jeannette was the sweetest given person every. Heaven has gained a wonderful person and this world will miss her. Sending prayers to all of her family and friends.



Laura Davis - March 31 at 08:05 PM

WB

“ She was the most sweets person. I remember when she was the post master at the post office when I was a child...she was always so nice to me..she will be so missed..



Wendy & John Boone - March 31 at 07:13 PM

PF

“ Aunt Jeannette has always been my favorite aunt. That’s because she was always fun to be around. No matter what came her way, she had a smile on her face and laughter in her soul. She was always full of energy and the rascalness of a leprechaun 🍀. She was 90 years old when she walked door to door selling Mary Kay products. She amazed me and everyone she knew. I used to babysit for her when her bairns were little. I will miss her tremendously and love her forever until we meet again in the presence of the angels and Our Savior.
Her loving and proud niece, Patty

Patricia Thier Friies - March 31 at 05:35 PM

SL

She had such joy that she shared with everyone. My thoughts are with her family

Shirley Lockhart - March 31 at 06:46 PM

JE

“ I will always feel so happy to have attended Our Farmersville reunion in 2017. A wonderful Aunt who will be missed.

joni Earach - March 31 at 05:14 PM

PS

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Paula Smith - March 31 at 08:42 PM