



## Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning

July 3, 1933 - February 25, 2025

It is with deep sorrow that the Fanning family announces the death of Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning, 92.

Mrs. Fanning, born July 3, 1933 to Reverend Junius R. and Ruth H. Dennis, passed away Tuesday February 25, 2025. Jerry has, at last, been reunited with the love of her life, Joe E. Fanning Sr. who passed in 1970. Upon the death of Joe, Jerry lived for and was devoted to her three children while being a dedicated teacher and active member of Bethlehem United Methodist Church of Bishopville, South Carolina. When grandchildren arrived she became the doting, loving Mimi and attended many events that her grandchildren took part in through the years. Jerry was a strong Southern lady who showed grace and grit throughout her life while being loved by many.

Surviving are Joe E. Fanning Jr (Kaye), June F Girrier (Bob) and Judith F Raines (David), along with seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Along with her parents and husband, Jerry was preceded in death by her grandson, Alexander Kai Girrier.

The family would like to thank the entire staff at Eden Terrace Spartanburg, Interim Hospice and sitters for all the care they so lovingly gave Jerry.

"Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate." Proverbs 31:31.

A graveside service will be held on Friday March 7, 2025, 11 AM, at Bethlehem United Methodist Cemetery, 110 Pinchum Sly Rd. Bishopville, SC 29010.

Memorial contributions in honor may be made to Bethlehem United Methodist Church, PO Box 167, Bishopville, SC 29010.

# Cemetery Details

## Bethlehem United Methodist Church Cemetery

110 Pinchum Sly Road  
Bishopville, SC 29010

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAR 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethlehem United Methodist Church Cemetery  
110 Pinchum Sly Road  
Bishopville, SC 29010

# Tribute Wall

HV

“ We absolutely loved your mom---her lovely Southern drawl, her love for her children and grandchildren, and her love for others. She was someone we always looked forward to seeing. May her memories and life lessons comfort you. Helen and Scott Vanvick

Helen Vanvick - March 05, 2025 at 08:43 PM

BE

“ Bobbie Elmore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning



Bobbie Elmore - March 01, 2025 at 11:44 AM

CA

“ Cherlyn Arrants lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning



Cherlyn Arrants - February 28, 2025 at 12:03 PM

KO

“ Mrs. Fanning was one of my favorite teachers. She taught me in 5th grade. I was blessed to be a coworker for a brief time when I taught at Bishopville High School. Praying for Joe, June, Judith and the rest of the family.



Kathy Godwin Oakley - February 28, 2025 at 09:18 AM

AA

“ Archie And Kay Amerson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning



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**Archie and Kay Amerson** - February 28, 2025 at 08:37 AM

MB

“ Matt And Betsy Bramlett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jerry Dennis Fanning



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**Matt and Betsy Bramlett** - February 28, 2025 at 06:45 AM