



Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps

November 15, 1946 - April 3, 2021

A funeral service for Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps, 74, who entered into rest on Saturday, April 3, 2021, will be held at 2 o'clock on Saturday, April 10, 2021, in Flint Hill Baptist Church, Ft. Mill, SC. The Rev. Jimmy Holley and Col. Max Burgin, Ph.D. Retired Chaplin, US Army will officiate with burial to follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 until 7:00 PM on Friday, April 9, 2021, at Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made in her honor to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105, or the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, 1 Billy Graham Parkway, Charlotte, NC 28201-0001, or Flint Hill Baptist Church, PO Box 518, Pineville, NC 28134.

Mrs. Epps was born on November 15, 1946, in Forest City in Rutherford County, NC, where she was raised. She was the daughter of the late Fred Burgin and Frances Hudson Burgin. She attended Mars Hill College, where she met Jimmy. She continued her education, receiving a Bachelor of Science Degree from Winthrop University and continued her graduate study at the University of Virginia, and Frances Marion University. She earned her Master's Degree and Specialist Degree in Education from the University of South Carolina in Columbia.

She began her teaching career in Franklin County, VA, then Florence School

District, and Lexington School Districts One and Two for over 30 years.

She was a recipient of the Teacher of the Year award from each school system. She was also honored as a Superior Teacher.

After her retirement, she settled in and devoted the rest of her life to her family. Each child and grandchild held a special place in her heart. Cooking for her family was her greatest joy.

She was so very proud of her two sons and the Godly fathers they have become. She was blessed with two daughters-in-law that loved her and cared for her beyond measure.

The biggest task in her life was taking care of Jimmy. She did it well. Myra was ready for Jesus to take her by the hand for eternity.

"For me, to live is Christ and to die is gain." - Philippians 1:21

She is survived by her loving husband, Jimmy L. Epps of Bishopville, SC; sons, Bryan (Britton) Epps of Florence, SC, Tyler (Keisha) Epps of Bishopville, SC; brothers, Fred (Mary Ellen) Burgin Jr. of Rutherfordton, NC, Dr. James Kelly Burgin Hendersonville, NC; grandchildren, Tanner Epps, Hampton Epps, John Hudson Epps, Ansleigh Sutton Epps, Jase Epps, Sullivan Epps, Anna Clair Epps, and Whitman Epps.

Cemetery Details

Flint Hill Baptist Church

269 Flint Hill Road
Ft. Mill, SC 29715
<https://flintheillbc.org/>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home
200 West Church Street
Bishopville, SC 29010

Service

APR 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Flint Hill Baptist Church
269 Flint Hill Road
Ft. Mill, SC 29715
<https://flintheillbc.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps*

October 08, 2023 at 04:16 PM



“ *Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps*

March 25, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ *Sandra Hudson Pucher lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps*



Sandra Hudson Pucher - April 09, 2021 at 04:27 PM



Myra was my first cousin and I always adored her. She was beautiful inside and out. My condolences to Jimmy and family...

Sandra Hudson Pucher - April 09, 2021 at 04:32 PM



“ *I have so many wonderful memories of Myra from early childhood. One stands out for some reason: I remember going to Spartanburg, SC, with my mother, Myra's mother, and Myra. Frances had not had time to braid Myra's beautiful long hair, so Myra sat in the front floorboard and her mom braided her hair on the way to Spartanburg. That is just one of my many memories. We were in school together from 1st - 12th grade. The family has my deepest sympathy. Libby Butler Queen*

Libby Butler Queen - April 09, 2021 at 12:51 PM

SA

I would love to hear about my Aunt Frances, whom I never got to meet. My daddy, John Hudson, was her younger brother. I would love to speak to you....Sandy Hudson Pucher spucher@att. Blessings!

sandra - December 03, 2021 at 07:39 AM

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sandra - December 03, 2021 at 07:40 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 09, 2021 at 12:49 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 09, 2021 at 09:50 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 09, 2021 at 09:29 AM



“ *The Williams Family (Gerald) purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



The Williams Family (Gerald) - April 08, 2021 at 10:26 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 08, 2021 at 09:42 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 07, 2021 at 07:50 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 07, 2021 at 06:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



April 07, 2021 at 01:27 PM



“ *Matt Bramlett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps*



Matt Bramlett - April 07, 2021 at 12:55 PM



“ *Delois Townes Tucker purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps.*



Delois Townes Tucker - April 05, 2021 at 10:04 AM

DT

“ My deepest sympathy to the Epps Family. Myra and I rode together for 6 years to Southside Middle School in Florence, SC . She was a beautiful person inside and out.

We enjoyed our ice cream snicker bars, laughing at our corny jokes, and meeting family members. Never a dull moment. I will always have fond memories with love.

Delois Townes Tucker

Delois Townes Tucker - April 05, 2021 at 09:52 AM

KP

I remember you and Myra riding together. You both were always happy when you arrived. I could always tell you enjoyed the ride together.
Karen Pilo

Karen Pilo - April 07, 2021 at 08:52 AM

JG

Bryan, my condolences to you and the entire family on the loss of your Mom.

Julie Gibson - April 08, 2021 at 08:30 AM

RM

“ *Jim and boys, Myra was one of the sweetest people I have ever known. We worked together for several years at Southside. You were blessed to have her as a wife and mother. I will truly miss her.*
Becky Montrose

REBECCA MCMILLAN MONTROSE - April 04, 2021 at 08:35 PM



“ *Paul Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Myra Burgin Epps*



Paul Hawkins - April 04, 2021 at 08:34 PM



“ *So sorry, Myra was a wonderful lady and will be missed* 🙏❤️



Kay Amerson - April 04, 2021 at 07:55 AM