



## Calla Ruth Powers

December 14, 1930 - April 5, 2015

Calla Ruth Powers, 84, died April 5, 2015.

A native of Spartanburg County, daughter of the late Frank and Erah Davis Powers, she was a retired employee of Startex Mills.

Surviving are one nephew, Frank Powers and his wife, Gena of Lyman; one sister-in-law, Pauline Powers of Startex and two great-nephews, Jordan and Elliott Powers.

Miss Powers was predeceased by one brother, Fitzhugh Powers and one sister, Louise Powers.

Graveside services will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday at Woodlawn Memorial Park conducted by Mrs. Jo White.

Pallbearers will be Jordan Powers, Elliott Powers, John Hand, Donnie Guy, John Brock, Eric Burke and Phil Davis.

The families are at their respective homes.

Memorials may be made to Greer Community Ministries, P.O. 1373, Greer, S.C. 29652.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Memorial Park

1 Pine Knoll Drive  
Greenville, SC 29609

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

APR 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

Woodlawn Memorial Park  
1 Pine Knoll Drive  
Greenville, SC 29609

# Tribute Wall

 Jodi Gilmer

“ *Jodi Gilmer lit a candle in memory of Calla Ruth Powers*



---

**Jodi Gilmer** - April 09, 2015 at 05:37 PM

 Jodi Gilmer

*Gena, so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family..*

---

**Jodi Gilmer** - April 09, 2015 at 05:38 PM

CH

“ *Christi Hodge lit a candle in memory of Calla Ruth Powers*



---

**Christi Hodge** - April 08, 2015 at 10:16 AM

CH

*Gena and Family,  
I am sorry for the lost of Calla. Losing someone is hard. I am sorry for your lost. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.  
Christi Hodge*

---

**Christi Hodge** - April 08, 2015 at 10:25 AM

JC

“ Dear Gena , Frankie and family,

*What a wonderful picture of what family is meant to be, the way ya'll loved on and took care of Calla Ruth, and Louise! You have given total committment to them, taking care of their physical care and needs, while loving them and supporting them in their older years.*

*If only all families could pull together and do the same! Only Heaven knows your sacrifices made.*

*Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.*

*Janice Childers*



---

**Janice Childers** - April 08, 2015 at 07:27 AM

DJ

“ Frankie, Gena, Jordan and Elliott,

*So sorry to hear about Calla Ruth's passing. I know how important she was to you all and how much you loved her. You have great memories to remember her by. You all took such good care of her and I know she left this world knowing how much she was loved by you all.*

*Thinking of you all and praying for your family during this difficult time.*

*Dee Jones*

---

**Dee Jones** - April 08, 2015 at 07:12 AM

JC

“ Sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers.



---

**Jennifer B Cummings** - April 07, 2015 at 08:21 PM

AH

“ Frankie, Gena, Jordan, and Elliott I send prayers of comfort for your family. You did an awesome job taking care of her and I'm sure she loved and appreciated every minute.

*Audrey Huff*

---

**Audrey Huff** - April 07, 2015 at 08:21 PM

KW

“ Gena we are thinking about you and Frankie and your sweet family! Sorry for your loss . Thoughts and prayers !

*Karen Wilson*

---

**karen wilson** - April 07, 2015 at 08:18 PM

MS

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time.. Did not know her personally but what a beautiful name. She joins her friends and loved ones who preceded her.

---

**marie samoros** - April 07, 2015 at 08:14 PM

SB

“ *Gena and Frankie*

*Your sweet aunt Calla Ruth was one of my most favorite patients at Cardiology Consultants! She always smiled and shined her light for Jesus whenever she came to our office no matter how she felt. She had a way of making ever one she touched feel special ! She will be missed. She spoke fondly off Frankie and Elliott and Jordan for their superb care from yard help to groceries to just being there. Gena we love you all and extend our sympathies.*

---

**Susie Barker** - April 07, 2015 at 08:12 PM

SB

“ *Susie Barker lit a candle in memory of Calla Ruth Powers*



---

**Susie Barker** - April 07, 2015 at 07:53 PM

MS

“ Dear Frankie and Family:

*Calla Ruth, Louise and Fitzhugh (& Pauline) were such an important part of my childhood years. I have so many fond memories!*

*I am so glad that Mom and I had the opportunity to visit Calla Ruth when we were in SC last September. We had such a good visit with her--so glad we were able to give her a big hug and tell her how much we loved her before we left.*

*Frankie, thank you for keeping me updated over these past months. That meant so much since I couldn't be there in person.*

*Know that our love, thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

*Melanie and Bill Shaner  
Elaine Copeland*

---

**Melanie Shaner** - April 06, 2015 at 07:59 PM

CP

*Frankie and The Powers Family,*

*Please accept my deepest condolences on the passing of Calla Ruth. It was an honor to have known such a great woman. I wasn't around very many times, but the few times I was, she treated me like one of her own. May God embrace you and your family with comfort during this difficult time.*

*Thoughts and prayers,*

*The Pearson Family*

---

**Christopher Pearson** - April 07, 2015 at 07:44 PM

LP

*So sorry Frankie and Gena and Jordan and Elliott I know youll miss her I know I will love to all louise pace*

---

**louise pace** - April 08, 2015 at 11:08 PM