



Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey

March 15, 1934 - February 24, 2026

Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey
Liberty, South Carolina

Our beloved mother, Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey, age 91, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, February 24, 2026, at her home. She was predeceased by her husband of almost seventy years, Frank Pelfrey, her parents, Jule and Retta Merck of Norris, her brother, Edward Merck, and sister, Frances Merck Sanders, both of Norris.

She was the mother of three daughters, Diane Pelfrey Hunter of Fort Lauderdale, Tammy Pelfrey Owens (Butch) and Gina Pelfrey, RN, both of Easley. She was affectionately known as "Nana" to three grandchildren, Danielle Pelfrey McIntire, Ashley Owen (Nick), and Taylor Owens (Brittany), along with six precious great grands, Jude, Rowan, Knox, Violet, Anna James and Eliza.

Mildred is also survived by her precious sisters-in-law, Betty Merck of Norris and Mary Lou Pelfrey Baumgarner (Bruce) of Williston, SC, as well as numerous special nieces and nephews.

She was a member of Jones Avenue Baptist Church in Easley where she was a member of the CW Lyle-Golden Circle Sunday School class. Mildred and

Frank were faithful members of the Young at Heart seniors group prior to their declining health.

With gratitude and appreciation, the family would like to thank all of the amazing members of VIA Healthcare of the Upstate for the loving and gentle care they provided to our parents over the course of the past several years.

Special thanks to our little sis, Leesa Brothers, our CNA, Selena, and our RN, Rachel as with their loving support and dedication, we were able to give our mother the very best of care in the peacefulness of her own home.

In addition, special thanks to her loving nurses, Sara and Jeremy, with VIA. Special individuals (you know who you are) of The Retreat, Waterstone on Augusta and Clemson Downs, thank you for your love and for making Nana your favorite.

Mama, you were the best mother three daughters could ever ask for. We always knew we were loved and we were always taken care of. God was first in our home and you taught us the difference between right and wrong. We will miss your humor, your wonderful meals, and your love. We will be eternally grateful for the person you were and helped us to become. Rest peacefully until we see you again.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, March 5, 2026, from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM in the chapel of Mountain View Funeral Home in Pickens, SC with a funeral service to follow at 2:00 PM. A private committal will take place at M.J. "Dolly" Cooper Veterans Cemetery in Anderson at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Mick's honor may be made to VIA Health Partners, 1003 Grove Rd, Suite E, Greenville, SC 29605.

Mountain View Funeral Home is serving the Pelfrey family.

Cemetery Details

M. J. "Dolly" Cooper Veterans Cemetery

140 Inway Drive
Anderson, SC 29621

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mountain View Funerals and Cremations - Pickens Chapel
105 Florence St
Pickens, SC 29671
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Funeral Service

MAR 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AN

“ Dear Tammy and family...Just wanted you to know how much we loved respected and admired your Mom and Dad. Faithful to Christ our Lord over all the years.How I would look at them in every serve and thank God for such true faithful pillars of Christian faith. I said thank you God for letting us know love and worship with this wonderful couple. Laugh and love with them. Thank God for the eternal promise of spending eternity with them. Praise the Blessed Lord! James & Ann Nicholson. Prayers and love to you all.



Ann C Nicholson - March 05 at 06:44 PM

BC

“ Becky Crain purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey.



Becky Crain - March 05 at 09:18 AM

BC

“ Becky Crain planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey.

Becky Crain - March 05 at 09:18 AM

TS

“ Tammy, Ana, Holly, Karli and Samuel purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey.



Tammy, Ana, Holly, Karli and Samuel - March 04 at 09:10 PM

AF

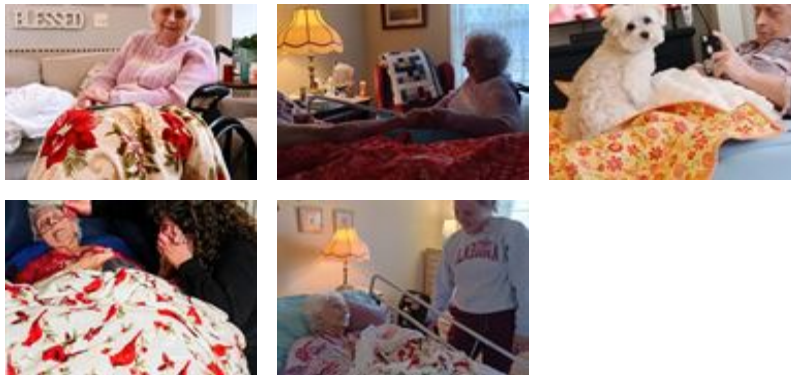
“ Arias Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mildred "Mick" Merck Pelfrey.



Arias Family - March 04 at 09:02 PM

MoV

“ 81 files added to the album Life Tributes



Mountain View Funerals and Cremations - March 04 at 02:10 PM

RC

Beautiful memories that will last forever 🙏💕🙏

Rebecca Crain - March 05 at 09:29 AM

JB

So sorry to hear about your mom's passing. Am praying for you and your family May God bless you and your family at this time.

Jack Bice - March 05 at 02:32 PM

TO

*Thank you, Jack!
Tammy*

Tammy Owens - March 06 at 03:19 PM

TO

*Becky,
Thank you for everything
Tammy ❤️*

Tammy Owens - March 06 at 03:20 PM

DM

“ *Diane, Tammy, Gina
I am sorry for your loss but imagine the joy and love she is experiencing now Mildred was so kind and loving to my family and especially my Mother they were such good friends I'm praying for each of you and I know the pain and lost that you are feeling may the Lord wrap his loving arms around you in the days and years to come. Love and prayers*

Debbie Moore - March 03 at 04:16 AM

RE

“ *Mrs Pelfrey was always so sweet to everyone. She had a beautiful smile & was s beautiful Christian lady in spiritual & physical ways . She & your dad were both great people. All of us that knew them loved them both.*

Rachel Elrod - February 27 at 10:03 PM

LG

“ It so hard to believe you are gone. You are with your Lord and Savior along with Papa Pelfrey. Thank you for allowing me to take care of you and papa for those years. With love, Lora

Lora Graham - February 27 at 06:16 PM

AJ

Although it had been several years since I saw you, you always had a very special place in my heart and life. I appreciate everything you and Frank had done for me. You will be greatly missed.

Annette Joslyn - March 01 at 12:58 PM