



Janie Patricia Cockrell Perry

October 10, 1946 - July 10, 2025

Saluda, SC

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Janie Patricia Cockrell Perry, 78, passed away suddenly Thursday, July 10, 2025, at Long's Residential Care Center in Saluda.

Born on October 10, 1946, in Greenwood, SC and a daughter of the late, James Henry Cockrell and Janie Elizabeth Maffett Cockrell, she was the wife of the late Thomas Oscar Perry for over 50 years. She was a graduate of Saluda High School. Mrs. Perry began her pharmacy career at Parkman's Pharmacy, and when that business closed, she continued her calling at CVS in Saluda for over 25 years till she retired. Her welcoming presence and unwavering kindness brightened the day of every person she was in contact with. Mrs. Perry was never seen without a warm greeting and a genuine smile, always ready to help. She was a member of Emanuel Church.

She had a deep love for the outdoors and could often be found tending to her yard and garden. Whether planting flowers in spring or raking leaves in the fall, the yard was her sanctuary. She also cherished time spent in nature, especially camping trips, creating memories that will be treasured by those who shared in them. And when she wasn't outside, Mrs. Perry could often be

found enjoying one of her favorite pastimes—shopping. She had an eye for a good find and a great time. After her first grandchild she was known as Nanu by lots of children.

Surviving are three children, John Oscar Perry (Pam) and Rose Mary Rogers, both of Saluda and Virgie Langford (Skip) of Batesburg, a brother, Thomas Cockrell (Marie) of Greenwood and six grandchildren, Stephen Rogers, Jr., Sam Perry, Ashley Langford, Brandi Hallman, Joshua Rogers and Brian Langford, sixteen great-grandchildren, a special friend, Earl Berry, a “sister” friend, Brenda Tucker, an aunt, Uschi Maffett, a niece, Charlseyy Williams, three nephews, Justin Cockrell (Nikki Foster), Dusty Cockrell (Courtney), and Patrick Cockrell (Kendall Davis), several great nephews, and numerous cousins and friends.

Mrs. Perry was preceded in death by a grandson, Jeremy Scott Rogers and a son-in-law, Stephen “Rusty” Rogers.

Funeral Services will be held 11 a.m. on Wednesday, July 16, 2025, at Emmanuel Church with Rev. Burton Campbell officiating. Interment will follow at Angel’s Memorial Cemetery. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

Memorials may be made to Emmanuel Church, P.O. Box 594, Saluda, SC 29138 or Long’s Residential Care Home, 1280 Denny Hwy, Saluda, SC 29138.

Cemetery Details

Angels Memorial Garden

751 Columbia Highway
Saluda, SC 29138

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Emmanuel Church
793 Columbia Hwy
Saluda, SC 29138

Funeral

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Tribute Wall

AA

“*Virgie, I am so sorry for your loss. God bless and comfort you now and in the future. Cherish those precious memories. Love you, Annette Asbill*”



Annette B Asbill - July 15, 2025 at 01:36 PM



“*Rebekah Endicott sent a virtual gift in memory of Janie Patricia Perry*”



Rebekah Endicott - July 14, 2025 at 09:17 PM

WG

“*William Naomi & Brenda Goodman lit a candle in memory of Janie Patricia Perry*”



William Naomi & Brenda Goodman - July 14, 2025 at 04:01 PM



“ *Nanu will always hold a special place in my heart. Being my Mom's best friend, she was like a second Mom to me. Decades ago she started giving me a tin of sugar cookies for Christmas and I could always count on that being a constant present for years to come....she may single-handed be responsible for me being the "cookie monster" I am today! My heart goes out to everyone that knew her!!*

Choya Tucker - July 14, 2025 at 02:43 PM

MB

*So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Benard and Marsue Brazell*

Marsue Brazell - July 15, 2025 at 05:32 PM

RC

“ *Mrs. Patricia was a great lady, and wore a large smile. All the times that Pastor Burton was gone, and asked me to fill in, She would want us to sing Victory in Jesus. I know that She had the victory, with that smile that she wore and the faithfulness to God's House every time the doors were opened. Our prayers are with all of the family today, tomorrow and forever. God bless all of the family and friends. We shall meet again someday*

Rev. Dennis R. Campbell - July 14, 2025 at 01:28 PM

CS

“ *Sweet Ms. Patricia. Lots of sweet memories that I'll treasure. Love and a hug to the family.*



Cathy Stone - July 14, 2025 at 10:57 AM

KH

“ So sorry about Ms. Patricia. I got to know her at long. We all miss her very much. You all be in our thoughts and prayers. Deepest condolences, Sincerely , Kim Hartley Hall



Kim Hartley Hall - July 14, 2025 at 10:50 AM

RS

“ Richard Bradley Starling lit a candle in memory of Janie Patricia Perry



Richard Bradley Starling - July 14, 2025 at 10:44 AM

BM

“ Bonnie Morelock lit a candle in memory of Janie Patricia Perry



Bonnie Morelock - July 14, 2025 at 09:59 AM