WHEREAS, Lorena M. Kinard was born in Pacolet, South Carolina, on December 4, 1923; and

WHEREAS, she married the Reverend James E. "Bo" Kinard and had two children, Tom and Marianna, who have in turn given her four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Limestone College, Mrs. Kinard taught in South Carolina’s public schools for 35 years, earning the respect of both her students and colleagues as a gifted and talented educator; and

WHEREAS, throughout her life, Lorena M. Kinard’s steadfast faith has been an inspiration to others, and her commitment to Christian service continues to set an example for future generations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim December 4, 2003, as

**LORENA M. KINARD DAY**

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to join me in wishing her a happy 80th birthday.

MARK SANFORD
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA