



Adele Riley

July 10, 1953 - May 23, 2025

ADELE RILEY was born July 10, 1953, to Percy L. Riley, Sr. and Regina H. Riley. She was preceded in death by both of her parents and brother, Percy L. Riley, Jr. She entered into eternal life on May 23, 2025.

Adele accepted Christ at an early age and joined Trinity Baptist Church. She graduated from Maggie L. Walker High School in 1971. She also attended Medical College of Virginia Nursing School.

Adele was employed as an LPN at MCV Hospital for many years, until her early retirement to care for her parents.

Adele spent her last days peacefully surrounded by loving family and friends both near and far. She was a loving mother, grandmother, sister, family member and friend to many.

Adele leaves to cherish her memories a devoted daughter, Maria Riley-Nickens (Glen); a son, Antonio P. Riley, Sr. (Karen); sister, Madeline Warren (Otis); grandchildren, Antonio P. Riley, Jr., Amari Robinson, Aiden Riley and Gaven Nickens; great-grandchildren, Amir and Jamir Riley, a host of nieces, nephews and cousins, sister-in-law, Bobbie Riley, as well as extended family members and devoted friends, William Burrell, Jr., Pearline Ward, Willomena Burrell, and Deacon James L. Watkins.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN 5. 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Celebration of Life

JUN 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Baptist Church
2811 Fendall Ave
Richmond, VA 23222

<https://www.youtube.com/@trinitybaptistchurch-rva9121> <https://www.facebook.com/TBCRVA>

Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Adele Riley*



March Funeral Homes - May 27, 2025 at 03:16 PM

SB

My Condolences

Samuel Brown - May 29, 2025 at 09:18 AM

KP

“ *Adele I am going to miss talking to you we where supposed to go on a cruise and we never got to go I am so sorry 😞 that u are gone may you rest in peace my friend love ❤️ you always from the Parker Family*

Kimberly Parker - June 04, 2025 at 10:19 AM

TP

With all the memories of the Riley and Parker trips cookouts and get together. Sending Love to the family and ask God to hold y'all tight during this time

Terry Parker - June 04, 2025 at 11:06 AM

TP

“ I loved Adele Riley. She definitely was like a mom to me as well. Adele Riley was joy to be around and easy to talk to. I loved being able to spend time with her and the Nickens family.

Tara (Tony) 🙏❤️🥰

Tara Powell - June 04, 2025 at 09:56 AM

WF

“ With Love, HCSO Training Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Adele Riley.

With Love, HCSO Training Family - May 30, 2025 at 11:21 AM

WF

“ With Love, HCSO Training Family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Adele Riley.



With Love, HCSO Training Family - May 30, 2025 at 11:21 AM

WB

“ Wilhelmina Burrell-Shelton lit a candle in memory of Adele Riley



Wilhelmina Burrell-Shelton - May 29, 2025 at 08:03 PM

WB

There were the days that we talked and shared thoughts, laughing about and comparing the things we both were experiencing. Oh forgot the good days. Take your wings and fly my sister. Earth has no sorrow heaven cannot heal 🙏

Wilhelmina Burrell-Shelton - June 05, 2025 at 09:45 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - May 27, 2025 at 11:59 AM

WB

To Maria, and the Family of Adele, my prayer for you is that God will dispatch his angels of love and mercy to embrace you with love and protection, so as to help you go through this challenging time. May he always provide a place for you, under his umbrella of love and protection, as he walks with you and holds your hand. Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal. Peace and love.~

Wilhelmina Burrell-Shelton - May 29, 2025 at 08:15 PM