



# Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter

October 4, 1946 - January 13, 2024

## Life Reflections

Almorettia Pearl (Oliver) Hunter went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, January 13, 2024. She transitioned at Johnston-Willis Hospital in Richmond, VA.

Almorettia , affectionally known as Pearl or Pearlie by close family and friends, was born on Friday, October 4, 1946, in Richmond, VA. She was the daughter of the late Catherine Gaymon Oliver and William Brutus Oliver. Her formal education was obtained at Navy Hill Elementary School and Maggie L. Walker High School , both in Richmond, VA. She graduated from Maggie L. Walker in 1964. She moved to New York in 1965 and gained further education in Brooklyn Adult Education Business Course and attended 1 year of State University of Farmingdale at Hempstead, NY.

In addition to her parents, Almorettia was preceded in death by her brothers, Sylvester and Brutus Oliver; her sister Dorothy Hubbard; her former husband, Leonard B. Hunter; and her daughter, Zakia T. Hunter.

She was married to Leonard Hunter, to this union eight children, and is survived by her seven children, Luqman G. (Desiree) Hunter, DR. Suraayah Hunter, Khadija (Jean Pierre) Ndiaye, Idris Hunter, Sr. , Saidah Hunter, Jamila (Corey) Finney, Isaiah (Teresa) Hunter, eighteen grandchildren: Anisa Hunter;

JaQuan (Stefani) Hunter; Aliya Hunter; Aquil Jackson; Akhira (Tavon) Henley; Mariasha Jackson; Nyjah Hunter; Elijah Mitchell; Kylie Finney; Hezekiah Mitchell; Idris Hunter, Jr.; Saleema Hunter; Khalil Green; Madison Hunter, Zahir Delaney, Amir Delaney; Mariah Hunter; Ivy Hunter, and seventeen great-grandchildren.

One dedicated sister, Beverly L. (William) Taylor, nieces Kimberly Taylor, Joy (Rafael ) Taylor Brown, Robin Taylor. In-laws, Josephine Oliver, Joan (Mario) de Andrade, Marisa (deAndrade) King, Regina (de Andrade) Jones, Damon (Rahsheeda) deAndrade; Sonia Bailey, Hamid (Adele) Hunter; devoted friend, Cynthia (Hakeem) Ali, and a host of friends and church family.

In her early years, Pearlie was a member of Fifth Street Baptist Church, in Richmond, VA. and became a member of Free and Independent Church in Roosevelt, NY. Upon returning to Richmond, VA. in 1988, she joined the Faith Apostolic Church of Our Lord Jesus, serving as an Usher, Licensed Minister, Deaconess and Driver for the Pastor. She was also a member of Faith Ministry the Apostolic Pentecostal Interdenominational Church of Deliverance, founded by Bishop Charles Settles, affiliated with Faith Apostolic. Minister Hunter (1999) later joined the New Covenant Sabbath Apostolic Church, Bishop Willie G. Suggs as pastor. She was a faithful member and loved her church family. She attended Tuesday and Thursday night service, and Wednesday night prayer group, started by Elder James Kerry. She also wrote a few articles for the church newsletter. She enjoyed writing and reading poetry, listening to gospel music, spending time with family and sharing with others. Pearlie believed in greeting everyone with a smile. She was a warm kind, and loving person who enjoyed living a holy life as the Lord requires of us.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **23**. 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Avenue  
Richmond, VA 23222  
(804) 321-4200  
info@marchfh.com  
<https://www.marchfuneralhomevirginia.com/>

## Wake with live streaming

JAN **23**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

## **Celebration of life**

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JAN **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Covenant Apostolic Church  
2129 Ford Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a To View the Webcast of the Wake for Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter, Please Click the Link below. in memory of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter*



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**March Funeral Homes** - January 18, 2024 at 09:17 AM

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“ *You were like a second mother to me. With your kindness and loving manner you helped nurture me as a child. I will carry those loving memories with me always. Its saddening and it hurts knowing that you are gone but I know where you are now. I also know that you've heard the Lord our God say, "Well done thy good and faithful servant " I will think of you often and I will pray peace and comfort over each of your children. My one and only beloved Aunt you will be missed. Thank you for all that you are and all that you mean to us.*

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**Bub** - January 24, 2024 at 09:13 AM

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“ *It was an honor and privilege to be Ms Hunter's physician and help her with her healthcare for the time I knew her. She was an amazing woman, kind, generous and with a deep abiding faith. I offer my deepest sympathy and condolences to her wonderful family*

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**DANIEL JANNUZZI, MD** - January 23, 2024 at 07:12 PM



“ *Rose Garden Heart was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



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January 23, 2024 at 05:11 PM



“ *Mila Davis & ContinuumRx Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*

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**Mila Davis & ContinuumRx Family** - January 22, 2024 at 09:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



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January 22, 2024 at 09:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



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January 22, 2024 at 09:25 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter*.



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January 22, 2024 at 07:28 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness* was purchased for the family of *Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter*.



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January 22, 2024 at 03:27 PM



“ *WTCHP Family* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of *Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter*.



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**WTCHP Family** - January 22, 2024 at 12:40 PM



“ *Leslie, Melina, Dave, Dave, & Tabitha* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of *Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter*.

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**Leslie, Melina, Dave, Dave, & Tabitha** - January 22, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



January 22, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



January 21, 2024 at 09:44 PM



“ *Pete Petica purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



**Pete Petica** - January 21, 2024 at 08:53 PM



“ *Felicia Walker and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*

**Felicia Walker and Family** - January 21, 2024 at 12:56 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



January 21, 2024 at 12:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



January 21, 2024 at 08:26 AM



“ *To the family May loving memories of Pearl help you find peace and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers From God We Come, To God We Return. Rest in Peace Pearl my beloved friend*

**Elizabeth (Betty) Lunsford Hunter** - January 19, 2024 at 01:26 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.*



January 18, 2024 at 12:48 PM

VJ

“ To the Family, you are in my prayers. Growing up at a young age, I thought your Mom and my Mom were sisters. I remember her as a soft spoken and peaceful woman. May you rest peacefully now Ms Pearl. Shine down on all of us.



Veronica Josey - January 18, 2024 at 02:55 AM

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“ Sherri Long, Your Neice lit a candle in memory of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter



Sherri Long, Your Neice - January 17, 2024 at 10:18 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.



January 17, 2024 at 05:25 PM

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“ Shaunelle planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.

Shaunelle - January 17, 2024 at 04:48 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Almorettia Pearl Oliver Hunter.



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January 17, 2024 at 04:48 PM



“ True Heart Non Profit Organization would like to extend our deepest sympathy for the family. May Heaven continue to smile upon you and comfort you in your hour of bereavement.



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**Teresa M Browning** - January 17, 2024 at 04:28 PM



“ 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - January 17, 2024 at 01:35 PM

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*To the entire Hunter family, I love Sis Hunter dearly, one of the sweetest and most humble people I have ever met, I have quite a few fond memories of our friendship, I've had the pleasure of Sharing one such memory with Khadijah and Saheeta (forgive spelling) recently which I'm happy to say brought smiles and laughter during their bereavement 😊 Take your rest Sis Hunter, it is well earned 🕊️ Blessings to the family 🙏*

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**Shelia Loving-LaDuca** - January 17, 2024 at 05:19 PM