



Delores Gee Coles

May 3, 1942 - September 26, 2017

Delores Gee Coles slipped into eternal rest on September 26, 2017 after a lengthy illness at Henrico Doctors' Hospital. She was born to the late Thomas Winston Carter and Thelma Gee on May 8, 1942 in Richmond, Virginia. She is preceded in death by her parents, Thomas Winston Carter and Thelma Gee Robinson; her sisters, Neva (Robinson)Wilson and Valerie Robinson; her brothers, Dexter Robinson and Maurice Robinson.

Delores was educated in Richmond Public Schools and completed some college education while raising her family. Delores was a loving mother and adoring grandmother, sister, and mother figure to many people throughout her life. She would gather gently used clothing from her grandchildren and give them to her students at Fairfield Court Elementary School, where she was a dedicated educator for 35 years. Delores was an advocate for education and maintaining a sharp mind.

She loved watching game shows on television, and every night at 7 pm Delores enthusiastically participated like a live contestant on Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy. She was also an avid fan of crossword books and always seemed to have one in her purse. Delores also loved to cook for herself and others. When family members would come out of town, they would often congregate at her home because they knew she was going to get some good food. She enjoyed life and spending time when she could with her group of

close friends who called themselves "The Golden Girls". She had a fondness for flowers and had a home adorned with dolls, shakers, and other small collectibles.

The thing Delores loved most was her family, and she proved to be a lifetime provider, teacher, and leader. She leaves to cherish her memory five children, Toni Baker (James), Wayne Pearson Sr. (Isabell), Kevin Pearson, Donna Braxton, and Jean Bryant; eight grandchildren, Precious Scott, Brian Baker, Devin Pearson, Charles Bryant, Wayne Pearson Jr., Janell Baker, Dominique Bryant, and Johnathon Pearson; brothers, James Robinson (Joyce) and Jacob Robinson (Cynthia); sisters, Harriet Coleman (George), Janice Edmonds, and Viola Robinson; aunt, Jean Gee of New York City; eight great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

1401 S. Randolph Street
Richmond, VA 23220

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 30. 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Wake

SEP 30. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
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Tribute Wall



“ *Delores Gee Coles*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sending condolences to Mrs. Coles family, I am so sorry for your loss.*

Myrashell Thompson(MeMe)

Myrashell Thompson (MeMe) - October 02, 2017 at 01:22 PM



“ *Dorothy Smith lit a candle in memory of Delores Gee Coles*



Dorothy Smith - October 01, 2017 at 04:15 PM



Sorry for your loss I work with her.

Dorothy Smith - October 01, 2017 at 04:19 PM



“ *I would like to offer condolences to your family,although I did not know your love one.I do understand the pain and grief of loosing a family member.So hopefully these scriptures,that I refer to here will give you some comfort,such as Ps.20:1,2 . Is.57:15, Phi.4:13, and Ps.145:18.*

Brenda Smith - September 30, 2017 at 03:02 PM

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“ *To the family of Delores Gee Coles. I am sorry for your loss of a very special person to all of you. Death as we know in this world is a part of life that we find hard to accept Please know that GOD is a stronghold in the time of your distress Nahum 1:7*

Peggy Land - September 29, 2017 at 10:37 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 - September 27, 2017 at 04:48 PM