



Delores Johnson

November 23, 1954 - September 14, 2017

On Thursday, September 14, 2017, Delores Pleasant Johnson; affectionately called Dee, Mama Johnson, and Dee Dee, answered God's call to receive her Heavenly rest.

She was born November 23, 1954 in Richmond, Virginia. Delores received her formal education in the Richmond Public School system, graduating from John Marshall High School in 1973.

At an early age she was added to the Chimborazo Boulevard Church of Christ in Richmond, Virginia. Her love and dedication to God and the Church blossomed. Delores joyfully served as a Sunday School Teacher, Van Driver, and Planner of the Annual Homecoming picnic. She assisted in fellowship dinners, meal planning, and coordinated the Ladies Secret Pal Fellowship. Her sincere love of people, primarily youth, led to her passionate service as Youth Group Coordinator from 1980 through 2008 upon the decline of her health.

The first Youth Rally gathered at Pine Camp with about 12 in attendance. It progressed from Friday night sleepovers at the church building to overnight stays at local hotels. It expanded to brothers and sisters traveling from other states and became a three day affair. Some of the many adventures included log cabin overnight stays at camps with no street lights, but lots of bugs and

flashlights. Later, sport activities and Bible Bowls were added to the agenda. The attendance grew from 12 to approximately 250 on an annual basis.

Delores had a great love for the work of the Church and could sit and listen to good preaching all day. She treasured and adored her family, a devoted wife and mother. Just share your idea, and she could create a beautiful gift basket. She had a special delight of chocolates, enjoyed decorating, cooking, shopping, and was a true fan of the New York Yankees.

Delores is preceded in death by her parents, Thomas and Amelia Peasants.

She leaves to cherish her memory, husband, John D. Johnson, Jr.; three sons, John D. Johnson, III (Brittany), Christopher L Johnson and Kelvin A. Johnson (Kerri); two daughters, Yolanda Y. Moore and Amelia L. Johnson; three grandchildren, Jayden, Kali and Braxton Johnson; four sisters, Patricia A. Pleasant, Gail T. Pleasant, Debra C. Brown (Thomas), and Brenda L. Burton(Nathan); three brothers-in-law, James R., Leon A., and Gary Johnson (Jennie); three sisters-in-law, Jacqueline R., Marilyn, and Darcy J. Johnson; a faithful and devoted friend, Lynette C. Knight; a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives; as well as sincere, dedicated friends always called family.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 21. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Wake

SEP 21. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 22. 12:00 PM (ET)

Church of Christ
3201 Sandy Lane
Richmond, VA 23223

Tribute Wall



“ *Delores Johnson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My condolences to the family and friends of Delores Johnson. Death of a loved one is a devastating pain that we suffer. Please know that God is a strong hold in a time of your distress (Nahum 1:7)*

Jennifer N. - September 30, 2017 at 07:13 AM



“ *Pat, Terry, Deborah and Brenda and of course her children, I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Delores. Delores was such a kind person. She always looked so happy when I saw the pictures of her despite her illness. She fought a good fight, she kept the faith and now she is gone to reap her reward. I pray that you all will be comforted by your precious memories.*

Deborah Rice - September 19, 2017 at 03:03 PM



I didn't get to know this lovely lady but I did get to know her wonderful son Chris mayy God be with you and the family. From your co worker miss Phyllis always remember you will have precious memories always be blessed.

Phyllis Bennett - September 19, 2017 at 05:01 PM



Hello to Johnso Pleassnt and Burton I sent my love and deepest sorrow sorry I want the device but will have you all in my prayers Ivu all

Florence Moore - September 19, 2017 at 08:52 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.

March Funeral Homes - September 18, 2017 at 03:09 PM