



## Delores James Small

March 21, 1951 - February 26, 2016

On February 26, 2016 Delores James Small was called home to be with the Father in his Kingdom. She was born in North Carolina on March 21, 1951 and raised in Richmond, Virginia.

She was educated in Richmond Public School and retired from J. Sergeant Reynolds Community College.

Delores was a cheerful and very loving Wife, Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, Sister, Niece, Cousin and devoted friend to everyone who knew her.

Delores was preceded in death by her parents Ethel Mae and Lewis Johnson, daughter Zenoria James, her sister Joanne Hilliard and her grandson Joseph Terry.

She leaves to cherish in her memory her loving husband Robert L. Small II, a daughter Atwanda Patterson (Robert), three sons Russell L. Small (Tracie), Robert L. Small III and Anthony Small, ten grandchildren Rochekia James, Rowlander Patterson, Latwanda Patterson, Shawanda Patterson, Rekia Patterson, Quintia Patterson, Rus Michelle Terry, Anthony Cameron, Robert L. Small IV, and Tomondale Mondrey, twenty-one great grandchildren, five sisters Helen Hilliard, Pearl Barnes, Jackie Spears (Ronald), Edna Best (Arthor) and

Daisy Lambert, four brothers Leroy Williams, James Mercer (Beatie), Melvin Wooten, Michael Wooten and a host of other relatives and friends. A very devoted friend Delores Alston.

## GOD MOTHER

Some of us are lucky to have a loving mother like you.

I had two...my mother and you.

I was told that when you first saw me you held me close to your heart,  
And that's where I've been every since.

I might not have been your birth son, but you always called me your baby.

I always knew I was special to you and you were very special to me.

Loving you and Missing You

Your Godson Godfrey

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Previous Events

## viewing

MAR 4. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Family Hour

MAR 4. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

MAR 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Delores James Small*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *auntie I know you are in a better place but I just wanna let you know that we really miss you and squirt , its been almost a year since you were called home, but through it all we still have lots of memories left to think on again with much love Darin*



**darin wooten** - January 09, 2017 at 11:42 AM



“ *Offering sincere condolences to the family. May you all draw closer to our Heavenly Father by means of prayer and immerse yourself in his word where you will receive comfort and hope. (Rev.21:4,5) assures us, that we await many blessings. There will be no more pain, sorrow, or tears, No one will grow old and die; no one will be sick or infirm. These are the future blessings that our heavenly father Jehovah God assures.*

**Francine Adams** - March 05, 2016 at 07:36 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you mourn the loss of Lois.*

*Oscar & Olivia Williams*

**Oscar &Olivia Williams** - March 04, 2016 at 07:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Delores James Small.*



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March 04, 2016 at 10:09 AM



“ *THE WHITLEY FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Delores James Small*



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**THE WHITLEY FAMILY** - March 04, 2016 at 08:28 AM



“ *I would like to express my fellow feeling to you all in your loss. All of us are affected by death, our creator is there to help. One thing is for sure dying will be a thing of the past, great news indeed. I hope these few thoughts will be helpful in the days to come .*

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**lillian. crosby** - March 02, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *My sister my friend, I will never forget the good times we shared and the advice that you gave. "Lois" as we called her, I am missing you but I know that you are at peace and resting in Jesus' arms. Sleep on my Sister. With Love, Jackie*



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**Jackie Spears** - March 02, 2016 at 10:36 AM

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*“ one of the greatest aunts ever , my heart is very heavy you were truly a blessing in my life you will never be forgotten and truly missed love always and forever your nephew Darin Wooten, but from ya mouth "Darne" ”*



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**darin wooten** - March 01, 2016 at 10:19 PM

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*“ My condolence to the family. May the Most High God comfort and sustain you as your enduring this difficult time.(Psalms55:22) ”*

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**T. Parker** - March 01, 2016 at 11:02 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. ”*

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 29, 2016 at 04:07 PM