



Iva Short Carrington

April 30, 1945 - May 26, 2020

On May 26, 2020, our beloved Iva Short Carrington answered God's call and transitioned into eternity.

Iva was born April 30, 1945 in Newport News, Virginia to the late Howard E. and Mary H. Short. She graduated from James Solomon Russell High School in Lawrenceville, Virginia in 1963. Iva went on to Virginia State University, where she received her undergraduate degree in 1968. She then received her Master's Degree in Special Education from Virginia Commonwealth University in 1973. For 32 years, Iva was a Special Education teacher for the Richmond Public School System and taught five years at the downtown campus of J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College. She retired as a Department Head at Armstrong High School in 2000, which was the same school where she did her student teaching.

He was joined in holy matrimony to Arthur McKinley Carrington, Sr. on September 26, 1970. To this union two children were born, Janelle and Arthur, Jr. She was added to the Church of Christ at Dill Avenue in Richmond, Virginia, in 1980 where she faithfully served until her illness.

She is survived by her devoted husband, Arthur M. Carrington, Sr.; daughter Janelle Carrington, son Arthur Carrington, Jr. (Ashley); granddaughter, Amiyah M. Carrington; brother-in-law, Carlton A. Stockton (Margaret); nephews, Khary

Stockton(Susan),Eric McFarland,Jr. and Jahi Stockton;nieces,Kiara McFarland and Isa Stockton;aunts and many cousins,two special, Randolph Wynn (Deloris)and Florid Brown;very close friends, Mary Brown (Pete),Gloria Foreman,Lynette Knight.Gale Jones (Kenneth) and the Sandy Lane Church of Christ family;foster children,James Epps (Tonya),Lesly and Clyde Brown, Jr.,Irving Riley (Chandra),and a host of friends.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Memorial Gardens

12609 Patterson Ave.
Richmond, VA 23238

Previous Events

Walk through Visitation

MAY 29. 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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

Celebration of Life

JUN 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sandy Lane Church of Christ
3201 Sandy Lane
Richmond, VA 23223

Tribute Wall



“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Iva Short Carrington, Please Click the Link below.



March Funeral Homes - May 29, 2020 at 03:44 PM



“ *Iva Short Carrington*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I am so saddened to learn of Gwenette's passing. I had been trying to locate her for several years. I am a cousin from Pennsylvania and we had lost contact. I will let other family members know.*

My prayers and condolences to all of her family and friends.

*Bernice Meade Mason
Aliquippa, PA 15001*

Bernice Meade Mason - February 22, 2021 at 08:48 PM

RP

“ *Rosa Pegram lit a candle in memory of Iva Short Carrington*



Rosa Pegram - June 01, 2020 at 12:25 PM

AM

“ *Arthur "Kinsey" and Family, I extend my deepest sympathy to you. Iva will certainly always be remembered as a very smart, humble, even tempered, quiet power of influence among her high school classmates and collegemates. May God Bless the family.*

Arthur R. and Natalie Mallory

Arthur Mallory - May 30, 2020 at 09:28 AM

GH

“ *TO THE FAMILY:*

Our love and prayers are with you during this difficult time. She will be missed but her memories will live in our hearts forever. May God strengthen you in the days ahead. Rest In Heaven Gwenette.



*Gwen Hill & Family
Upper Marlboro, MD*

Gwen Hill - May 29, 2020 at 03:41 PM

VE

“ *I was the flower girl in her wedding. May her precious memories continue to live on in your hearts and comfort you in the days ahead. Rest in heavenly peace!*

Venita Acker

Venita - May 29, 2020 at 03:37 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Iva Short Carrington.*



May 29, 2020 at 01:20 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 - May 28, 2020 at 01:18 PM

JC

My deepest condolences and sympathy to the Carrington family. I had the pleasure of knowing Mrs. Short who was a very, special lady and committed educator. I went to school with Howard Jr. and Plasteen in Brunswick County. I hope the Lord will bless each of you richly in this time of sorrow. I know Mrs. Carrington was a giant in this community and in God's community.

Joseph Christopher, originally from Alberta

Joseph christopher - May 29, 2020 at 09:54 AM

NF

It was shocking to hear of Iva passing. Knew her from early childhood, lovely young lady, we mourn her passing with the family Peace and love. Nellie Fegans and family of the late Lloyd Fegans, Sr

Nellie Fegans - May 29, 2020 at 07:49 PM

RP

*To Kensey and Family,
May the Lord bless and comfort you all as you go through this very difficult time of Gwennette's passing. Our prayers are with you.*

Lawrence and Rachel Henighan Penn

Rachel Penn - May 29, 2020 at 08:19 PM

TS

My deepest sympathy to the Carrington family. Gwenette and I grew up together, went to school together and we were cousins. She was so soft spoken and just a joy to be around. She will be remembered with fond memories.

*Theresa Cooke Scott
Alexandria, Virginia*

Theresa Cooke Scott - May 29, 2020 at 08:49 PM

BM

I am really saddened to learn of Gwenette's passing. I am a cousin from Pennsylvania who has been looking for her for several years but did not know her married name. Always called her Gwenette. Never knew her by Iva. I'm late getting the sad news, but will pass the word to other family members in PA

*Bernice Meade Mason
Aliquippa, PA*

Bernice Mason - February 21 at 3:37 PM

Bernice Meade Mason - February 21, 2021 at 03:38 PM