



## Margaret Bland Wood

February 7, 1946 - October 26, 2024

Margaret Taylor Wood was born February 7, 1946 in Richmond, Virginia to Willis E. Taylor and Willie Mae Taylor. She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers Webster Taylor, Percy Taylor, June Taylor, James Taylor and Herman Taylor; as well as her beloved sisters, Ruth Cash, McClaudia Nolley and Gussie Mae Bland.

Margaret Wood received her formal education in the Richmond Public School System graduating from The Maggie Walker High School. She later furthered her education obtaining her Bachelors in Education at Virginia Commonwealth University.

She accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior at the early age of 11 at the Tenth Street Baptist Church at 23rd and Fairmount Avenue in the historic Churchill area of Richmond.

She has two loving sons, Sean Taylor (53) and Ricky Wood (40) who were by her side to the very end.

Ms. Wood had a heart for teaching. She was a teacher in the Richmond Public Schools system for 30 plus years. She didn't just teach her students, but she touched many of their lives going far and beyond the call of duty. Sometimes providing food for families and one time providing housing for a students

family that was evicted. God blessed her to be a blessing to others.

Margaret was a private person. In her free time, she enjoyed shopping and eating at Red Lobster. She loved to relax and read a good book and had a passion for writing poetry. She definitely loved spending time with her grandkids, Seane, Tajae, and Marquis. She was blessed to have two great-grandkids, Juliani "JuJu" and Giovanni "GiGi" who was her sunshine. She also faithfully gave to her charity of choice, St. Judes.

She is survived by her two sons, Sean Taylor and Ricky Wood; her sister Maggie Taylor; three grandchildren, Seane Warren, Tajae Taylor and Marquis Taylor; two great-grandchildren, Giovanni Mae Taylor and Juliani Amara Valiare and a host of nieces and nephews.. She also had two devoted friends who always called to check on her, Stephanie Rudd and Jermaine "Burger Man" Moore.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

NOV **15**. 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

### Celebration of life with live streaming

NOV **16**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a <https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/viewer/106093> in memory of Margaret Bland Wood*



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**March Funeral Homes** - November 14, 2024 at 11:59 AM

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“ *Sean and Ricky, God bless you.*

*Carolyn Demery  
Bethlehem Baptist Church*



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**Carolyn M Demery** - November 15, 2024 at 03:19 PM

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“ My beautiful aunt, my mother’s baby sister was our “Diva”. There are so many memories that are running through my mind. I will miss her laugh and how she and momma would be on the phone just talking about everything. I will miss the love that she showed to me and my brother. The love that she had for my grandchildren. Now she is reunited with my mom, their parents and a few siblings. Sean and Ricki please know that I love yall and I am praying for you both. RIP Diva and you and my mom watch over us💔



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**Charlene”Evette”** - November 11, 2024 at 12:20 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** - November 04, 2024 at 01:56 PM