



Rachel Ghee Johnson

February 19, 1930 - April 29, 2020

Rachel Ghee Johnson, 90, of Charles City, departed this life Wednesday, April 29, 2020 to be with the Lord.

Rachel was born February 19, 1930 in Charles City, Virginia, to the late Joseph Ghee and Sarah Lomax Ghee. She was preceded in death by her husband, James H. Johnson and of her seven other siblings.

In 1948, she received her education here in Charles City County and as she would tell me it was four boys and nineteen girls that graduated with her.

Rachel accepted Christ at an early age and became a member of New Vine Baptist Church. As time past she began to serve on the usher board. In 1992, she began her journey at Liberty Baptist Church alongside her son "Bubba".

Her favorite color was blue. She loved to watch Wheel of Fortune and Jeopardy, not long after that it was bedtime. She will be forever know as the "Candy Lady" to many at church.

Rachel loved spending time with her family and talking on the phone. And her famous words "don't talk about my grandchild" will never be forgotten. She had 7 grandchildren, Carlos Johnson (Alisha), Robert Bradby, Valerie Stewart

(Clark), Chaundra Bradby, Jamie Johnson (Tiffany) and Jennifer Harris (Dameien), twelve great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Elaine Bradby, Patricia Johnson, Rev, James H. Johnson Jr. (Iva) and Garnett Johnson (Debbie) of Atlanta; one sister-in-law, several nieces and nephews, devoted Sarah G. Miles, Blanche Ghee and by her side devoted granddaughter, Val. A host of other devoted, faithful friends too numerous to list or even count.

Previous Events

Walk through Visitation

MAY 5. 3:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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

Grave Side Service

MAY 6. 12:00 PM (ET)

New Vine Baptist Church
5100 John Tyler Memorial Hwy
Charles City, VA 23030-3317
(804) 829-2151

Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Rachel Ghee Johnson, Please Click the Link below.*



March Funeral Homes - May 05, 2020 at 10:50 AM

BC

To Pastor Johnson, First Lady Johnson and the Entire Johnson Family, Words are inadequate at this time but love still radiates as I send this greeting. Mama Johnson was one of the Angels God sent to watch over us for a period of time. We are truly thankful for this wonderful gift and will cherish the times spent with her. I will certainly miss the gentle quiet spirit and the caring spirit she exhibited to all of us at Liberty. Her bag of candy and cough drops were truly a blessing when we would get to coughing. She will be missed for awhile but we know we will all be together again. I know the faith that each of you have will hold you up in the days ahead.

*With much love,
Brenda Jones Cotman and Ronald L. Cotman*

Brenda A Jones Cotman - May 05, 2020 at 04:51 PM



“ *Rachel Ghee Johnson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

BC

“ Bruce Cutler lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson



Bruce Cutler - May 06, 2020 at 08:35 PM

BJ

“ Deepest Sympathies to the Johnson family, God bless and comfort you all in your time of bereavement, So sorry for your loss. Butch & Susie Jones



Butch & Susie Jones - May 06, 2020 at 06:53 PM

NB

No rest for the worry

Newt Bone - May 09, 2020 at 12:23 AM

MC

“ Rev. Johnson and family we are sorry to hear of your mom's passing. Moms are special people because of their willingness to love sooo much. A mother's love never dies it shall live on through each of you. God is able to supply all our needs and I have no doubt he sees your hurt and pain. May the peace that only God can give provide strength and comfort to take you through. Marilyn & Harris Crump



Marilyn Crump - May 06, 2020 at 04:56 PM

FC

“ *Frances Cotman lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Frances Cotman - May 06, 2020 at 12:35 PM

SC

“ *Sending our condolences to the family. From, Ruth Christian and the Young, Buchanan and Cannon family.*



S. Cannon - May 06, 2020 at 09:01 AM

CP

“ *Dear Family,
May you be comforted by the special memories and knowing she is now present with the Lord. With deepest sympathy.
Love Charlotte Charity Peterson and Family*



Charlotte Peterson - May 06, 2020 at 07:26 AM

AB

“ *A Bradby lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



A Bradby - May 06, 2020 at 12:11 AM

AJ

“ *Bubba, Elaine, Patsy and Garrett: My prayers are with you. Your mother was a special lady and was like our second mother growing up. May you be comforted by all the special memories and knowing she is now present with the Lord. With deepest sympathy-Archer Jr.*

Archer Jones Jr - May 05, 2020 at 08:47 PM

RC

“ *THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS GO OUT TO THE JOHNSON&GHEE FAMILIES.*



Robert&Barbara Charity - May 05, 2020 at 08:04 PM

VB

“ *Vinsherida Brown lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Vinsherida Brown - May 05, 2020 at 07:58 PM

LW

“ *Lolinda &Paul Whitehead lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Lolinda &Paul Whitehead - May 05, 2020 at 06:13 PM

JA

“ *Jane Adkins lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Jane Adkins - May 05, 2020 at 05:48 PM

WD

“ *To Pastor Johnson & Family,*

Verne and I express our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your mother, mother-in-law and grandmother. May your faith in God provide comfort during your moment of grief.

Wesley and Julia Dickerson

Wesley Dickerson - May 05, 2020 at 05:41 PM

JC

“ *To the family of Mrs. Rachel Johnson, we express our condolences on the loss of your loved one. She was a beautiful person. May God bless you all!*



Janet & Cornelius Crawley

Janet Crawley - May 05, 2020 at 03:33 PM

MJ

“ May the God we serve continue to comfort you all as each day forth. I know Aunt Rachel is smiling down from heaven but rejoicing with Jesus she has made it home. I remember so many things that as a young child she instill in Jennifer and I. We used to play and Aunt Rachel would just giggle. Good memories will carry us through the grief of losing someone so dear, sweet and loving. Rest in Heaven Aunt Rachel. Love Michelle

Michelle Johnson - May 05, 2020 at 02:54 PM

LJ

“ Lisa M Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson



Lisa M Jones - May 05, 2020 at 01:17 PM

LJ

“ Linda Jones lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson



Linda Jones - May 05, 2020 at 12:15 PM

JB

“ *Rev. Johnson and Family,
Warren and I were sorry to learn of your
mom's passing and extend our sincere
sympathies. I never saw Mrs. Johnson when
she didn't have a smile on her face! Praying
God grants you and your family peace, strength and comfort during
this trying time.*

*Love,
Warren & JoAnne*



JoAnne Bell - May 05, 2020 at 11:15 AM

CW

“ *Elaine,Patsy, Bubba and Garrett
Our deepest condolences to your families. Am
so thankful I got to see your mom on her 90th
birthday it was a blessing it was a beautiful day
we talk, laugh and just enjoyed each other.
Rachel was so gentle ,kind and loving to all.
Love,Cookie, Charles Wallace*



Cookie Wallace - May 05, 2020 at 11:01 AM

CC

“ *Corey And Nicole Cotman lit a candle in
memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Corey and Nicole Cotman - May 05, 2020 at 10:45 AM



“ *Charlene Redman lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Charlene Redman - May 05, 2020 at 10:30 AM

AJ

“ *Sending my heartfelt condolences to the Johnson family. Mrs Rachel was such a sweet person and customer to me for few years. She will be missed by all*



Amanda Jones - May 05, 2020 at 09:14 AM

DG

“ *Dale Crawley/Larry Gilliam lit a candle in memory of Rachel Ghee Johnson*



Dale Crawley/Larry Gilliam - May 04, 2020 at 10:52 PM

DG

God saw need for a beautiful Angel, and he came for Mom Johnson , will be truly missed, but God knows best

Dale Crawley/Larry Gilliam - May 04, 2020 at 10:55 PM



My prayers and Love to all the Family; Grandma Rachel had a very kind and loving spirit. Love you All.

Peter Jones - May 05, 2020 at 01:36 PM



SC

“ *My heartfelt condolences to the Johnson family. Ms Rachel was such a lovely lady. Prayers and love to all of you. May you find comfort in all your wonderful memories.*

Silene Crawley-Johnson - May 04, 2020 at 10:01 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 04, 2020 at 04:31 PM