



Rita D. Howell

September 6, 1951 - March 29, 2006

RITA DELORES HOWELL-WHITING, daughter of Mable Howell and the late Joseph A. Howell, was born on September 6, 1951 in Baltimore, Maryland. She departed this life on March 29, 2006 after fighting a lengthy battle with heart disease. She received her education in the Baltimore City School System (Pimlico Middle and Forest Park High). She served in the U.S. Marine Corps for a short time; she then attended and successfully completed modeling school. She loved to help others which prompted her to become a nurse's assistant and substitute teacher for the Baltimore City School System. Throughout her life she held an array of diverse jobs and attended classes at BCCC. Rita completed various seminars and training to improve and add to her skills. At the age of twenty-three, Rita married Raymond Lee Whiting and from this union two children were born, Katrina and Lisa. Rita loved light-traveling, dancing, going out to eat, chatting with friends, and spending time with family. She was always the first to help those in need, and respected others. She always gave an ear, and was a good listener. Rita was a hard worker and even worked when ill. To know her is to know that she was a beautiful person inside and out. She especially enjoyed the holidays. One thing's for sure, anyone who knew Rita could always count on getting a Christmas present. If she could send us a message today, it would most likely be, "God is the answer, so don't wait. Let's support each other and grow as friends, and as family. Rita attended New Hope Free Will Baptist Church where she gave her life to Christ. She successfully completed the "Right-Hand

of Fellowship" classes and became a member only days before entering into eternal rest. She leaves to mourn: her mother, Mable Howell; two sisters, Sheila Maynor and Juanita Clark; two daughters, Katrina Brownson and Zelecia Whiting; one son-in-law, Donell; three nieces, Erika Maynor, Joanne Clark, and Charlotte Clark; two granddaughters, Ayana and Jada; four grandsons, Treyvon, Derek, Dyontae and DJ; a host of other relatives and a huge group of long time friends.

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“ *Hello Howell Family ! We send you condolences to you all. Losing a love one in death hurts. The bible help us to see how Jesus felt when his dear friend Lazarus died, he had tears for the family. The time is coming when one will ever die again. Death is our enemy. The Crosby.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##*

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“ *My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but knows that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son Jesus Christ have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 What a wonderful prospect for our future and our loved ones who have lost their life to our enemy death.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##*

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“ So very to read of the death of your loved one. To the children, I know you miss your mom very much, her smile, her loving ways that only a mother has so very special. Death is such a sorrowful time we all have to endure, but very soon God promises to bring an end to this enemy that robs us of our loved ones. 1st Cor. 15:26 promises, "As the last enemy, death will be brought to nothing." Also Daniel 12² says "there will be many of those asleep in the ground of dust who will wake up." So the resurrection hope is sure to come true in the very near future. May the promises of God bring you comfort in the days ahead until the joyous day of the resurrection becomes a reality.##imported-begin##R Johnaon##imported-end##

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“ The lost of a loved one has an overwhelming impact on all and especially the immediate family. The pain and suffering alone is very hard to bear and no one should ever have to experience such a dark and sad time in life. However it seems to be no escape no matter the cause. I extend my deepest sympathy and thoughts of encouragement from the one who can remove such pain and grieving sorrow from the human family, that one is the Almighty Jehovah God. Jehovah is saddened over how life has turned due to the course of actions of our first parents Adam and Eve. However, because Jehovah is a loving God he has promised the offspring's of Adam and Eve a way out. In the near future He said death will be no more and the things that causes death will be no more according to Rev 21:3-4. This promise of life has always been Jehovah God's purpose for mankind according to Titus 1:2. This is a promise he can't lie about. Hebrews 6: 18 states of Jehovah God, it is impossible for him to lie. That is an encouraging hope. Also for those who suffer with all sorts of illness Isaiah 33:24 says it will come a time no one on the earth will say they are sick and the lame will walk Isaiah 35:6, the blind will see, Isaiah 35:5 and the greatest promise of them all will be when Jesus Christ will call all those in the memorial tombs to come out. Yes our loved ones will be blessed with a resurrection to life right here on earth. John 5:28-29 Yes Jehovah will resurrect those back to life to enjoy everlasting life with all their families and friends Ps 37: 10 states the meek will inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Ps 37:29. It's truly understandable since our heavenly father created the earth for man to live according to Isaiah 45:18. We can truly trust in God's written word because nothing he says will not return without results Isaiah 55:11. So we can dry our eyes due to the tears of sadness but tears of joy will flow when we can once again enjoy the lives of our loved ones temporarily lost to death.##imported-begin##B
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“ To Family and Friends please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. Acts 24:15 assures us that "there is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort and strength from this promise of the Bible.##imported-begin##SharonHill##imported-end##

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