



Emma Laura Chandler

April 29, 1945 - October 3, 2018

Emma Laura Chandler, the beloved daughter of the late James Melvin Chandler, Sr., and the late Laura Ann Ayers Chandler, was born on April 29, 1945, in Northampton County, Virginia. She departed this life on Wednesday, October 3, 2018, at the age of 73.

Emma was educated in Accomack County Public Schools. She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Education from Norfolk State University, Norfolk, Virginia, and a Master of Arts degree in Business Education from New York University, New York, New York.

Emma began her professional career as a fifth-grade teacher at South Accomack Elementary School in Virginia, and later moved to Brooklyn, New York, where she taught office skills to adults who were preparing to enter or re-enter the job market.

After moving to Dover, Delaware, Emma worked in the Capital School District, at Delaware Technical & Community College and at Delaware State University. Emma also taught at Northampton High School, in Virginia

Although Emma had no biological children, many looked to her for guidance, encouragement and emotional support. She always stressed the importance of a good education.

Emma leaves to cherish fond memories, two brothers, James Melvin Chandler, Jr. and Robert Chandler; one sister, Lawanda Chandler Barber (Garland); two aunts, Carrie Harmon Bailey and Marguerite Rogers; five nieces, Alice Mae Green, Laura Ann Smith, Danita Smith, Beverly Bivens (Lewis) and Carolyn Spence (Matthew); eight nephews, Lionel Chandler, Sr., (Caroline), Angelo Chandler (Priscilla), Maurice Chandler, Sr. (Vanessa), Eldrege Ray Chandler, Sr., Peter Robert Lee Chandler, Jr., James Marvin Chandler, Edward Glover, and ▼▼Vincent Glover (Angela); niece-in-law, Patricia Chandler (the late Mario Chandler); and a host of great and great-great nieces and nephews and other relatives and friends.

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family

To send flowers to the family of Emma Laura Chandler, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

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“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief, by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible, you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God \"will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces.\"

H. Fields - October 13, 2018 at 08:01 AM

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“ Sorry For Your Loss\r\nJesus Loves Me\r\nWe Are Special

Thomas Widgeon - October 06, 2018 at 05:41 PM

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“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Isaiah 61:1,2 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - October 06, 2018 at 02:21 PM

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“ I\r\nI would like to offer my personal condolences to the family. I hope that you will be able to find strength in God\u2019s promise at (Revelation 21: 4) that soon \u201che will wipe out every tear from the eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning, nor outcry, nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away\u201d. You and the family of Emma Chandler are in my prayers.

JoyceA - October 06, 2018 at 11:23 AM