



## Paulette Richardson (Garrett)

July 12, 1952 - January 7, 2018

Paulette Garrett Richardson was born on July 12, 1952, to Carrie and Charlie Garrett in Fairfield, Alabama. Paulette loved the Lord and peacefully entered into Heaven, in her sleep, during the early hours of Sunday, January 7, 2018.

She grew up in Birmingham, Alabama, and was educated at Holy Family Catholic School and in the Birmingham Public School System. She graduated from Miles College with a major in Special Education and a minor in Spanish. She completed both her graduate and post graduate studies at the University of Alabama in Birmingham.

As a child, Paulette was always active in sports, street games (4 square, softball, etc.), and dancing. She was so active, that at the age of three, she broke her arm while using a bed as a trampoline.

Paulette made a career in the Birmingham Public School System where she served as a teacher, assistant principal, and principal. Her final years with the Birmingham Public System was in the capacity of Director of the Special Needs Program.

After experiencing health challenges, she moved to Dover, Delaware where she resided until her death.

Paulette was preceded in death by her son, Johnny; both parents; and her oldest sibling, Alta. Her remaining family are 3 sisters, Donna (Cassie) Garrett (San Diego, CA), Betty Garrett (Dover, DE), and Regina Sanders (San Antonio, TX); two brothers, Charlie Garrett, Jr. (Houston, TX), and Micah White (Richmond, VA). She also leaves to cherish her memory her niece, Hailee Garrett and 3 nephews, Ruben Sanders Jr., Sam Sanders, and Xavier Garrett; 4 great nephews, Ruben Sanders III, Zavian Sanders, Nehemiah Sanders, and Noah Berry; aunts; and a host of cousins and friends.

Lovingly Submitted,  
The Family

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Paulette Richardson (Garrett), please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

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“*Ms. Paulette Garrett Richardson was my principal at Robert E. Lee Elementary School in Birmingham, Alabama. My family and I would like to send our condolences in the loss of your loved one. "Rest in Lord God's Loving Arms".*

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**Deborah Witherspoon Brady** - July 01, 2019 at 12:00 AM

PC

“*"Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal"*

*Paulette was my principal at Robert E. Lee Elementary School in Birmingham AL.*

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**Patricia Cunningham** - February 26, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“*I would like to offer my condolences for your loss. How comforting it is to know that Jehovah, the God of all comfort, will soon eliminate all grief and provide permanent consolation when “all those in the memorial tombs will hear Christ’s voice and come out”! (John 5:28, 29) God promises that “he will do away with death forever, and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces.” (Isa. 25:8) Then, instead of having to “weep with those who weep,” all earth’s inhabitants will “rejoice with those who rejoice.”—Rom. 12:15.*

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**M Jones** - January 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. The bible gives us hope of seeing our loved ones again in the near future. At Acts 24:15 it tells us that the dead will be resurrected. Please look forward to that time, and until then, may your family be comforted and blessed.

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**Doretha Sampson** - January 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

H.

“ 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."

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**H.Fields** - January 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS!

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**Thomas & Libby Widgeon** - January 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one . May the wonderful memories of your loved one continue to provide a measure of comfort to you until Gods promises are fulfilled at Rev.21:3,4.

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**JoyceA** - January 11, 2018 at 12:00 AM