



## Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell

July 25, 1956 - March 24, 2024

Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell, aged 67, passed away peacefully on March 24th 2024 surrounded by her loving children and grandchildren at her home away from home in Florida.

A celebration of life service will be held on April 13th at 11:30am at Victory Church of God, 1343 Montaulk Hwy. East Patchouge NY 11772

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, Florida.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

APR **13**. 11:30 AM (ET)

Victory Church Of God  
1343 Montauk Hwy  
East Patchogue, NY 11772

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell*



**Beyers Funeral Home** - April 03, 2024 at 05:43 PM



*That was lovely. Thank you for sharing with us. Rita will be missed. God Bless the Family*  
*Donna Turner and Family*

**Donna Turner** - April 05, 2024 at 07:06 PM

SR

*Watching this I laughed, smiled, and cried. So many beautiful memories.*



*Miss you.*

**Shelly Ramdoo** - April 11, 2024 at 09:17 PM

AD

“ *Adrianna DeVall purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell.*



**Adrianna DeVall** - April 12, 2024 at 11:58 AM

SR

“ Rita Mikel,  
❤️💔❤️. One of the best friends In my life. Although it hurts and pains me that you're gone. I'm so glad you are not suffering anymore. You have been such a blessing to me. I can still hear your laughter in my ears and I choose to remember you that way. You were a living testimony. So strong and resilient, yet able to be the most caring and loving person. Daily I relive the memories from Brentwood, to Bellport etc. Life took you, us on many different paths and through them all you would say.. Lol..  
I loved the way you loved.. So unconditionally. You were a listening ear and a shoulder to lean on for so many, even if some took you for granted.  
I am thankful for God placing you and your family in my life. I have so many memories I hold dear to my heart.  
Thank you Athena, Chris, Davina, and Cire for sharing your mom with me.  
She was the Best.  
I will forever hold her dear to my ❤️  
Love Shelly..

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Shelly Ramdoo - April 11, 2024 at 09:33 PM

RW

“ Robert, Wilna planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell.

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Robert, Wilna - April 06, 2024 at 10:47 AM

RW

“ Robert, Wilna purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Rita Marie Jenkins Mikell.



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**Robert, Wilna** - April 06, 2024 at 10:47 AM

KS

“ I will always remember Sister Rita as the kind, loving and inspirational children's church leader! I learned so much from her as a child and her legacy lives on in me and many others.

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**Kristina Siverls** - April 03, 2024 at 01:19 PM

LB

“ Sister and Friend Rita, while I am saddened to hear this news...I am honored to have gotten share the world with you and be a part of your walk with the Lord. I am filled with joy of memories of our time together. Praying God's blessing as you walk the streets paved in gold and all His wonders. Until we see each other again...always in our hearts and souls 🙏

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**Latasha B** - March 31, 2024 at 10:37 AM

AK

“ Rita was my oldest friend, we didn't see each other often but it never stopped us from being close whenever we talk or saw each other. She has always been the most beautiful person inside and out. Rest in peace my sister I'll see you on the other side.

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**Arnita Kilgour** - March 29, 2024 at 07:16 PM

TH

“ RITA A LOVING BEAUTIFUL PERSON INSIDE AND OUT. GREAT MOTHER WONDERFUL FRIEND. I WILL ALWAYS HAVE HER IN MY HEART AND MEMORIES ☐☐❤❤🦋🦋

Terri Hart - March 29, 2024 at 06:27 PM

EF

“ Mommy, after so many years since I last saw you, your smile still remains fresh in my mind. My heart aches, and I wish I could give you one last squishy hug. You treated me like part of the family since I met Davina back in 9th grade. I remember when I first heard you speaking in gibberish and asked Davina what in the world you were saying. When she finally taught me, I felt like I knew a third language, but also... I knew you were serious about those chores! Lol.. Your home was my home away from home when my mom moved us out of NY to NJ. You always made me feel welcomed there, no matter what trouble I was getting into. Life pulled me in many directions, and there was a time I lost touch until someone told me they saw you working at Walmart. I called there looking for you, and I found you! I remember you answering the phone surprised, saying, "Evie?! Why are you calling me at work?!" Too funny. I'm so grateful for the memories I have of you and knowing that I will see you again when Jesus comes. I love you and miss you!! You'll be in my heart forever and always ❤❤❤

Evie Foderingham - March 28, 2024 at 08:10 PM

JC

“ To the best second mother a girl could ever have...as I still can't believe this is where we are right now I think of all the memories, great times, and all the special moments we shared with you. We will carry you with us until we meet again. To the most loving, caring, and genuine Mommy and Mum Mum to us all, we love you and will cherish every memory and moment we shared with you. We love you always and forever!

Jessica Cerna - March 28, 2024 at 07:03 PM

PM

To Rita's family. My heart is feeling heavy after hearing about your transition. I thank God for our Pineview memories made . I love you and thank God for having known you as a teacher. You are present with the Lord and absent from the body. Until we meet again in glory my sister in Christ, you rest in him! My prayers are with you all. 🙏❤️

Pastor Sonja Moses - March 29, 2024 at 08:17 PM

JU

“ I remember the earlier years visiting my cousin Rita In Bayshore NY whether it was babysitting the kids or just sitting around chitchatting. She always put me in a good mood with her smile and that infectious laughter. She was such a caring loving ❤️❤️❤️ soul. She will definitely be missed.



Juliet - March 28, 2024 at 06:43 PM

SC

I remember her pretty smile and getting up 5am for prayer at her mom's house in Babylon we studied the virtuous woman. Rita feared THE LORD, she shall be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands, and let her own works praise her in the gates. She will be missed.

Sheila Carter - April 01, 2024 at 09:00 PM

SS

“ There are so many memories that I could share from our sleepovers, to girl scouts, to when she was my teacher at VCA. Titi was the best aunt to my siblings and I. I am so thankful to have had so many years with her but she will be missed everyday. xoxo

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**Sabrina Sosa** - March 28, 2024 at 06:23 PM

SM

We're thanking God that my daughter ( Kayla) and I was given the opportunity to travel to Rita's Homecoming ! Meeting your children. Our Pineview Preschool Co-worker!! It was a blessing. Praying for you all!  
🙏❤️ Sonja Moses

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**Sonja Moses** - April 14, 2024 at 09:39 AM