



Diane Grace Garrette King

January 24, 1954 - March 25, 2022

Diane Grace Garrette King of Williamsburg, VA passed away March 25, 2022. She was born January 24, 1954 in Blackstone, VA to the late Volney and Edna Garrette and the family soon moved to Williamsburg, VA. Diane was very much a “Daddy’s Girl” who dearly loved growing up in a large family. She cherished memories of time with her brothers, sisters, cousins and friends, including frequent visits to family in the Roanoke area.

Diane married the love of her life, Ron, in 1971 and they lived in Indianapolis for several years before returning to Virginia. Together they raised their two precious children, Kevin and Michelle, and Diane was ever the devoted mother. She insisted on being home when her children were, even starting her own business which enabled her to do just that. In recent years Diane worked with Ron in the family’s auto repair business and this past December they celebrated their fiftieth anniversary.

Undoubtedly, Diane was welcomed into heaven by her parents; her beloved son, Kevin King; and brothers, Richard and J.R.

The love Diane left behind is cherished by her husband of over 50 years, Ron; her daughter, Michelle King; sisters, Peggy Johnson (Jim) of Indianapolis, IN and Virginia Rhodes (Norm) of Palm Coast, FL; brothers, Danny Garrette (Pam) of Williamsburg, VA and Randy Garrette of Appomattox, VA; numerous

nieces, nephews, and cousins to include Judy “JuJu” Farabee (Jim) with whom Diane was exceptionally close; along with her sweet little doggies, whom she pampered as if they were children.

A funeral service will be held 2 PM, Saturday, April 2nd at James River Baptist Church, 4931 Centerville Rd, Williamsburg, VA 23188 and interment will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends 5 to 7 PM, Friday, April 1st, also at the church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP), <https://supporting.afsp.org>

Cemetery Details

James River Baptist Church Cemetery

4931 Centerville Road
Williamsburg, VA 23188

Previous Events

Receive Friends

APR 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

APR 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RH

“ *I haven't forgotten, Love You Always - Robbie*



Robert Humphrey - March 24, 2023 at 08:10 AM

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“ *Ron,
I am so sorry to find out about Diane's passing today. Some of my happiest memories are of the times we all spent together when we were young. Diane and I ate many meals together at the lunch counter on our breaks from Binns and Casey's Dept. Stores. She was an incredible woman and your love story was an inspiration to us all. My heart is with you and your family.*

Lianne Oviedo

Lianne Oviedo - June 01, 2022 at 06:58 PM

BP

“ *Ron & Michelle,
My heart has an empty hole...I will miss our talks: sometimes we laughed, sometimes we cried, sometimes we vented., but all the time they were special to me. God has called home a very loving & caring soul, who loved her family very much. I know God knows best, it's just hard for me right now. I have lost a cousin, a good friend, & I feel a sister.*

*Ron & Michelle, asking God to supply all your need, today, tomorrow, and all the days to follow.
Praying for you always,
Becky Pigford*

Becky Pigford - March 31, 2022 at 12:07 PM

LC

“ *Ron/Michele - Diane was one of the sweetest women I have ever known. I enjoyed our phone calls over the past few years and will miss them. You know Kevin was waiting for her and knowing both are no longer in pain. I know she is with her Kevin. Love ya Lisa*

Lisa Chandler - March 30, 2022 at 03:33 PM