



## Ruth S Goddard

March 1, 1920 - April 1, 2017

Ruth S. Goddard born March 1, 1920 to James and Flora Young, Johnson City, Tennessee. Mrs. Goddard passed away from earth to glory on Saturday, April 1, 2017 at Four Oaks Healthcare Center, Jonesborough, Tennessee. Mrs. Goddard retired from Johnson City Memorial Hospital and ended her working career as a foster grandparent with the Washington County School district. Mrs. Goddard is preceded in death by her husband, William Goddard and her daughter, Annetta Sue Goddard. She leaves to cherish her memory: sons, William Goddard, Jr., Robert Goddard (Lynn), both of Johnson City, TN and Frank Goddard (Deb) of Leavenworth, Kansas; daughters, Veral Jean Neal (Robert) of Johnson City, TN; Billie Evans of Jonesborough, TN and Linda Treadwell of Knoxville, TN; and a host of relatives and friends.

The family would like to thank the staff of Four Oaks Healthcare Center in Jonesborough, TN., for their love and care of Mrs. Goddard.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 7, 2017 at St. Paul A.M.E. Zion Church, in Johnson City, TN., with a funeral service to follow. Reverend Lester Lattany officiating. Mrs. Goddard will be laid to rest following the service at Washington County Memory Gardens.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 7. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul AME Zion Church  
201 Welbourne St  
Johnson City, TN 37601

## Service

APR 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul AME Zion Church  
201 Welbourne St  
Johnson City, TN 37601

## Interment

APR 7. 2:30 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Washington County Memory Gardens  
113 Memory Gardens Rd.  
Johnson City, TN 37615

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth S Goddard*

January 29, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *I met Mrs. Goddard at her daughter's Graduation, Linda Treadwell, who was receiving her Doctorate Degree! My sympathy and prayers go out to Linda and all her family and loved ones. 🙏*

**Connie Theriot** - April 06, 2017 at 06:47 AM



“ *To the Goddard Family, I would like to offer my sincere condolences to all of you at your time of loss, it's not easy to lose a loved one who has nurtured all of you with love, now Mrs. Ruth's rest has come, and I will remember her as being a kind and gracious lady. May the Lord's arms await her entry to his house.*

**Robert Taylor** - April 06, 2017 at 05:11 AM



“ *Gail Goines lit a candle in memory of Ruth S Goddard*



**gail goines** - April 05, 2017 at 10:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ruth S Goddard.*



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April 05, 2017 at 03:45 PM



“ *Roddy Bird lit a candle in memory of Ruth S Goddard*



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**Roddy Bird** - April 05, 2017 at 09:52 AM



“ *Our sincere condolences to the Goddard Family. Mrs. Ruth was such a kind and sweet lady. She will be greatly missed. May God bless and keep you during this difficult time.*

*Daryl and Debbie Grey*

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**Deborah Grey** - April 05, 2017 at 01:17 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ruth S Goddard.*



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April 04, 2017 at 10:53 PM

AP

“ I am so sorry to hear of Ruth's passing. She was my favorite resident while I was at Four Oaks. She always knew how to put a smile on my face and if I had a bad day she would tell me come on in here baby and let it out. I loved her so much and she will be missed. Prayers for the family! I know she's happy now being back with Sue!

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**Amber Phillips** - April 04, 2017 at 08:31 PM

AP

“ To Linda and the family of our beloved Sister in Christ Mrs. Goddard.

*“But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.”*

*1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

*The family is in our prayers during this time.*

*Love, Anthony & Paula*

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**Anthony & Paula** - April 04, 2017 at 08:18 PM

DM

“ *Darrell & Janice Murphy lit a candle in memory of Ruth S Goddard*



**Darrell & Janice Murphy** - April 04, 2017 at 07:18 PM

KH

“ *Kimberly Hamlett purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Ruth S Goddard.*



**Kimberly Hamlett** - April 04, 2017 at 09:28 AM

JP

“ *I had the opportunity to get to know Ruth during my time at four oaks and going into her room and talking to her was the highlight of my day I only worked weekends but it was because of her that I would have a smile on my face no matter how hard the day got we would always talk about my children and she would rub my belly and talk to my soon to be son she was one of the kindest sweetest people I have known and she will always be remembered and deeply missed*

**Jessica Phillips** - April 04, 2017 at 07:42 AM

JB

“ *Sending thoughts for comfort and peace to the family. Ruth brought so much joy to all who knew her, what a lovely person she was. Privileged to have known her.*

**Jennifer Bolus** - April 04, 2017 at 03:01 AM

J)

“ James And Brenda Charles ( Sonny ) lit a candle in memory of Ruth S Goddard



James And Brenda Charles ( Sonny ) - April 03, 2017 at 11:51 AM

PB

“ G.L. 7 Trish Bristol lit a candle in her memory



<http://storage.lifetributes.com/Candles/new/candle-9.png>

patricia bristol - April 03, 2017 at 11:35 AM

NP

“ Nancy Posey lit a candle in memory of Ruth S Goddard



Nancy Posey - April 02, 2017 at 09:29 PM

RK

Billie and Family my prayers are with you. Please walk in Faith. God loves you , peace be still. Love, Rev. Sherry Kinchloe

Rev. Sherry Kinchloe - April 04, 2017 at 04:50 PM