



Paula Jean Rider

August 6, 1948 - April 17, 2016

Paula Jean Rider, daughter of the late Grady and Pauline (Carruth) Pendergrass, was born on August 6, 1948 in the state of Oregon. Paula grew up however attending schools in California. She later moved into the Branson/Hollister area where she lived for several years before moving to Richland, Missouri in the nineties.

In 1964 Paula married Gary Lynn Rider in Richmond, California, and five children were born to this union. The couple later divorced and remained friends until Gary's death in 2008.

She was a member of the Lions club in Napa, California.

Paula took great pride in raising and caring for her family and home. She and Gary owned and operated their own print shop business for several years.

In Paula's spare time you could find her basking in the sun at the lake. However, she treasured the times spent with her family and friends, especially her grandchildren. Paula was always ready to lend an ear or helping hand to anyone in need.

Paula passed away on Sunday, April 17, 2016, at Lake Regional Hospital in Osage Beach, Missouri having attained the age of 67 years.

She will be fondly remembered and sadly missed by all those who knew and loved her. Paula leaves behind to cherish her memory three children: Sydney C. Rider and wife, Joyce of Richland, Missouri, Anthony L. Rider and wife, Vicky of Sacramento, CA and Tuesday L. Martin and husband, Anthony of Galt, California; 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren; one brother, Grady Pendergrass and one sister, Janis Theodosie both of California; several nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, Paula was preceded in death by her two brothers, Ronnie Carruth and Freddie Pendergrass; two sisters, Diane Moitoza and Katie Perry; two beloved children, Gary Rider Jr. in 1965 and Tracy Rider in 2009.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, April 23, 2016 in the Memorial Chapel of Richland with Pastor Chuck Baker officiating. Favorite music selections included "Blessed Assurance," "In the Garden" and "I Want to Stroll Over Heaven with You." Serving as escorts were Dale Cohen, Sr., John Mayor, John Huff, Andy Rosack, Jesse Nelson and Damon Cohen. Burial followed in the Oaklawn Cemetery of Richland, Missouri.

Services were under the direction of Memorial Chapel of Richland.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Paula Jean Rider and may be left at the Memorial Chapel of Richland.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Cemetery

Richland, MO 65556

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Paula Jean Rider*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - May 03, 2016 at 09:25 AM

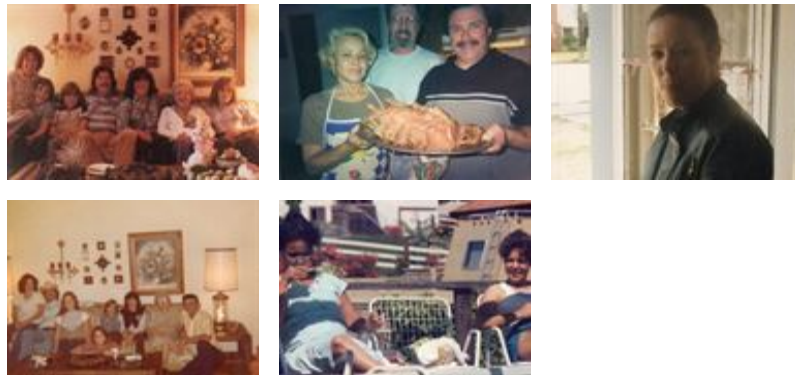


“ *Paula Jean Rider*

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Memorial Chapels and Crematory - April 22, 2016 at 04:50 PM



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Memorial Chapels and Crematory - April 22, 2016 at 01:09 PM



“ Paula will be missed by family and friends, we are blessed to have known her. Rest in peace. Jack And Melissa Eldredge



Jack and Melissa Eldredge - April 19, 2016 at 06:12 PM



Thank You so much

Syd Rider - April 22, 2016 at 09:17 AM



“ Shannon Huff lit a candle in memory of Paula Jean Rider



Shannon Huff - April 19, 2016 at 03:59 PM

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“ *The name of the LORD is a strong tower; the righteous man runs into it and is safe. Proverb 18:10 (ESV)*



PULASKI COUNTY CAMP GIDEONS - April 19, 2016 at 11:02 AM



“ *Shannon Huff lit a candle in memory of Paula Jean Rider*



Shannon Huff - April 19, 2016 at 08:00 AM