



## Margaret Richards

July 17, 1934 - May 17, 2024

Margaret Ann McRae Richards, 89, passed away on May 17, 2024, at Bedford Care, Monroe Hall, in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. She was a member of Bethlehem Baptist Church, Laurel, Mississippi.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Rush and Garnett Windham McRae, and her sister, Carolyn Ford (Mack).

She is survived by her loving husband, Milton H. (Mickey) Richards; sisters Myrna Hood (Jimmy) and Jean Duke (Pete); children Marsha R. Chatsko and Gary Richards (Jayne); grandchildren Misty M. Richards (Clyde Twine), Micheal Donovan Chatsko, and Kaitlyn R. Hamm (Jeb); and one great grandson, Lawson Hamm.

Pallbearers will be Paul Hood, Chad Hood, Reagan Hood, Lewis Duke, Jr., Clyde Twine, and Jeb Hamm.

Family visitation will be Wednesday, May 22, 2024 at 9:00 am at Memory Chapel Funeral Home, 3100 Audubon Dr., Laurel, Mississippi. Guest visitation begins at 9:30. A procession will leave the funeral home for graveside services to commence at 11 a.m. at Bethlehem Baptist Church, Laurel. Dr. Cary G. Kimbrell and Reverend Jimmy Hood will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, Margaret and her family ask you to make a donation to Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery Fund in her memory. The church's address is 838 Reid Rd; Laurel, MS 39443.

To sign the online guestbook, visit: [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery

838 Reid Road  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **22**. 9:30 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapel-laurel.com/>

## Graveside Service

MAY **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery  
838 Reid Road  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Margaret Richards.*



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May 21, 2024 at 12:32 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Richards.*



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May 21, 2024 at 11:32 AM



“ *Prayers for peace and comfort to the family in the days ahead.  
David & Angela Rudolph*

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**Angela Rudolph** - May 20, 2024 at 04:29 PM