



## Paulette Ervin

October 29, 1946 - October 14, 2025

Mrs. Paulette Marsh Ervin peacefully transitioned from labor to reward on Tuesday October 14, 2025. She was born on October 29, 1946, to her late parents, Katie Mae Walker and Benjamin Howard Marsh in Gadsden Alabama. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Ervin; her sisters, Earline Townsend and Annie Mae Townsend; brother, Michael Marsh. Paulette was a proud graduate of Carver High School. She began her early career at Goodyear and the Rubber Company in Gadsden, Alabama, and later went to work at Shaw Industries in Chickamauga, where she faithfully served for 25 years until her retirement.

Paulette was a cherished and faithful member of Community Baptist Church, where her faith shone brightly through her many roles. Paulette sang in the choir, participated in the Senior Saints Group, the Ladies of CBC, and the SONShine Sister Sunday School Class, where she also served faithfully as Class Treasurer. Her servant's heart led her to contribute to the Decorating and Fellowship Hall Committee, as well as the Outreach and Mission Teams. Always on the move, Paulette joyfully embodied the hands and feet of Jesus in all she did.

Paulette was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary 3679, Widow Harvest. She took joy in cooking, shopping, working in her yard with her flowers, spending time with family and friends and devoting her time to helping those in her community.

Loving and unforgettable memories will remain in the hearts and minds of her beloved son, Marvin (Patti) Marsh; granddaughter, Adrienne (Ava Travis) Marsh; grandson, Roger (Julie) Walston; three great-grandchildren, Dianne Bennett, Chole Walston, and Tristian Walston; brothers, James (Ocie) Townsend and Terry (Eula) Townsend; sisters-in-law, Deborah Ervin, Gracelia Moore, Virginia Daniels, and Carolyn Daniels; brother-in-law, Thomas Ervin; goddaughter, LaToya Porter; special friends, Faye Ramsey, Cynthia Smith, Maggie Laster, Rosemary Jones, and Mike Hill; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, friends, and her church family.

Paulette will lie-in-state on Wednesday, October 22, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will follow at 12:00 noon in the Chapel with Pastor Mike Angel as the Eulogist.

Burial in Chattanooga National Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Chattanooga National Cemetery

1200 Bailey Avenue  
Chattanooga, TN 37404

# Previous Events

## Lie-In-State

OCT **22**. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home  
3417 Wilcox Boulevard  
Chattanooga, TN 37411-1076

## Funeral Service

OCT **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home  
3417 Wilcox Boulevard  
Chattanooga, TN 37411-1076

## Burial

OCT **22**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Chattanooga National Cemetery  
1200 Bailey Avenue  
Chattanooga, TN 37404



# Tribute Wall

LM

“ *Paulette was a very sweet and loving person. We had so many good times together. She was always smiling. She will be remembered for all the good She did. She will be missed by all that knew and loved her.* ”

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**Lynn Marbry** - October 22, 2025 at 07:11 AM

MJ

*Paulette was always showed kindness to all people she met. You will be missed. Take your rest.*

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**Mrs. Virginia Jackson** - October 22, 2025 at 04:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Paulette Ervin.* ”



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October 21, 2025 at 09:45 AM

GH

“ *Grant & Debbie Hobbs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paulette Ervin.* ”

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**Grant & Debbie Hobbs** - October 21, 2025 at 09:45 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Paulette Ervin.



October 21, 2025 at 08:49 AM



“ Shannon Ray planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paulette Ervin.

Shannon Ray - October 21, 2025 at 08:49 AM



“ My Condolences to Paulette’s Family And Friends. She was an inspiration to many of us. Sweet thoughts and memories, Paulette will be missed here on earth but remember She loved Jesus and She was loved by everyone that met her because she always made you feel loved and like Family. Till We Meet Again.

Hunny Tate - October 20, 2025 at 03:59 PM



“ The Rhinehart Kids purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Paulette Ervin.



The Rhinehart Kids - October 19, 2025 at 02:27 PM

TK

“ *The Rhinehart Kids planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paulette Ervin.*

**The Rhinehart Kids** - October 19, 2025 at 02:27 PM

WC

“ *My Condolences to the family, Sorry for your loss 🙏🙏🙏*



**Winifred Careathers** - October 18, 2025 at 04:44 PM

MB

“ *PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY MAY GOD GIVE THEM A PEACE AND COMFORT THAT ONLY COMES FROM HIM*



**MONNIE ( BIRDIE)** - October 17, 2025 at 10:03 AM

GD

“ *Gloria J Daniels lit a candle in memory of Paulette Ervin*



**Gloria J Daniels** - October 16, 2025 at 11:41 PM

GM

“ *Condolences to Marvin for the loss of his mother. Paulette always treated me with love, kindness and respect. She was a God fearing woman. She was a loving mother, a great wife, a hard worker, a great cook, a lover of flowers and she grew some beautiful flowers and plants. Her dedication to mankind was amazing. May she rest in eternal peace. Her time on earth may be done but her memory will never be forgotten. Love and peace to the entire family.*



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**Gracelia Q Moore** - October 16, 2025 at 10:47 PM

YM

“ *Yolanda Moss lit a candle in memory of Paulette Ervin*



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**Yolanda Moss** - October 16, 2025 at 10:02 AM

TF

“ *From the first day I met Paulette I loved her. That's the kind of person she was. She was a blessed friend to my mother and my brother and sisters and she will be forever missed. Heaven has truly gained an angel. Rest easy Ms Paulette*

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**Terri Fennell** - October 16, 2025 at 08:05 AM

CB

“ Our sincere condolences and prayers to Marvin and the family of Sis.Paulette. May the Lord comfort and keep you all . Sis Paulette was very special to us all and Heaven has gained a beautiful Angel.



*Rev. Chad & Sis Vicki Burse, Betty & Kim Howell & Family*

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**Chad & Vicki Burse** - October 15, 2025 at 08:10 PM

ML

“ Myrtle Lockett lit a candle in memory of Paulette Ervin



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**Myrtle Lockett** - October 15, 2025 at 05:41 PM

ML

*You people's don't or you do know Paulette name should be a civil write book : She and her mother Aunt Katie Mea march will doctor martin luther king junior in down town Birmingham Paulette is a hero in my book? I can said more*

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**Myrtle Lockett** - October 15, 2025 at 05:56 PM

TE

“ My Condolences to the family of Sis. Paulette Ervin. She is going to be missed. We will continue to lift the family up in prayer. Love Ernest & Temeka Byrd ❤️

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**Temeka** - October 15, 2025 at 03:58 PM

GD

“ *Gloria J Daniels lit a candle in memory of Paulette Ervin*



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**Gloria J Daniels** - October 15, 2025 at 01:24 PM

AN

*She was such a blessed friend to my mother. And a blessing to us kids. We love you Paulette.*

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**Angie** - October 15, 2025 at 03:25 PM