

Ms. Rachel Hardiman

May 25, 1976 - October 16, 2025

Ms. Rachel Rochelle Hardiman was born on May 25, 1976, to Ms. Ruby L. Curry and the late James Hardiman, Jr. On October 16, 2025, Rachel peacefully entered eternal rest. Rachel graduated at the top of her class from McNeil High School in 1994 and continued her education at Southern Arkansas University in Magnolia, Arkansas, where she earned her BSN and became a Registered Nurse. Nursing was her passion—she truly loved helping people.

Rachel began her career in El Dorado, working many years at the local hospital before relocating to Tampa, Florida. There, she worked at Brandon Hospital until becoming a mother. After welcoming her two wonderful children, Jada and Cayden, she transitioned to working from home as a Nurse Case Manager for Cigna Insurance, a role she held for many years. Her children were the center of her world, and her life revolved around them and her family.

Rachel was a sweet, kind, and positive soul whose presence had a lasting impact on everyone she met. She will be deeply missed.

Rachel was preceded in death by her father, James Hardiman, Jr.; her stepfather, Lee Otis Leaks; and her grandparents, uncles, and aunts.

Left to cherish her memory are her beloved children, Jada Nicole Gill and

Cayden Isaiah Gill of Tampa, FL; the father of her children, Vincent Gill of Tampa, FL; her mother, Ruby Curry of McNeil, AR; her sister, Tracey R. Page of McNeil, AR; her brother, Jeron (Londa) Hardiman of Hope, AR; niece, Haylee Hardiman; nephew, Jeron Hardiman, Jr.; aunts: Ida Strickland (Ricky), Beatrice Curry, Carrie (Ray) Pace, Linda (Vernon) Davis, Rosie Clayton, Mary (Artist) Daniels, Laura (Amos) Loudermill, Janice (Deon) Street, Carolyn (Rodney) Barnes, Virginia Warren, Brenda (Terry) Kelley, Vicki Weaver, Norissa Sharp, Linda Curry, and Mattie Christopher; uncles: Jimmie McBride, Jr., Jimmy Hardiman, John Hardiman, George Hardiman, Thomas (Monica) Hardiman, Donnell Hardiman, Marcus Curry, Jackie (Marilyn) Curry, Jerry Curry, Robert (Debbie) Harper, and Erwin Curry; along with a host of cousins and friends who will miss her dearly.

Celebration of Life services will be held Saturday, November 15th, 2025, at the Columbia District Auditorium in Magnolia, Arkansas at 2:00 p.m., with burial to follow at Old St. Matthew Garden in McNeil, Arkansas, under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home, LLC. Supt. Donald Page, Eulogist.

Visitation will be Friday, {Nov. 14th}, from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. at R.L. Reed Funeral Home in Magnolia, Arkansas.

A final public viewing will be held before service from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m., so please govern yourselves accordingly.

“For precaution due to the COVID-19, Masks are Encouraged but Not Required While Attending the Services and During Visitation Hours. However, wearing masks ensures safety for you and others. Thank you.”

Cemetery Details

St. Matthew Cemetery

Columbia County Rd #62
McNeil, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 14. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

R.L. Reed Funeral Home
100 Hwy 79 North
Magnolia, AR 71753
(870) 901-3536

Celebration of Life

NOV 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

Columbia District Auditorium
611 S. Madison St.
Magnolia, AR 71753

Tribute Wall

HF

“ Hazel Mask Smith & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Hazel Mask Smith & Family - November 16, 2025 at 12:56 AM

HF

“ Hazel Mask Smith & Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Hazel Mask Smith & Family - November 16, 2025 at 12:56 AM

DG

“ Delma Gantt lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Delma Gantt - November 15, 2025 at 09:43 AM

SL

“ My sweet and beautiful niece Rachel. You became the matriot of that family, so your presence will truly be missed. Fly high beautiful. Love ur aunt Sha

Sherria Lewis - November 14, 2025 at 10:07 PM

JT

“ Judy Talley-Wade lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Judy Talley-Wade - November 13, 2025 at 09:34 PM

LH

“ My Sister-in-Love,

You were definitely the sweetest person in the world. No matter what my crazy questions were, you were there listening and giving big sister advice. My favorite nurse, who loved her family. The way you always encouraged Jeron, was so important to him. I love you and I am going to miss our daily messaging and just being able to say "Hey Sis!"

*Love Always,
Londa*



Londa Hardiman - November 13, 2025 at 05:23 PM

MC

“ Michael/Mary Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Michael/Mary Clayton - November 13, 2025 at 04:18 PM

KL

“ *Keosha Love sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Keosha Love - November 13, 2025 at 12:44 PM

AW

“ *Annie Witcher lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Annie Witcher - November 12, 2025 at 09:01 PM

SS

“ *Condolences to Rachel’s family. Rachel was such a great mother and a thoughtful caring friend. Love our conversations. She will truly be missed.*

Shandie Smith - November 11, 2025 at 08:17 PM

TP

“ *Tonya Porchia lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Tonya Porchia - November 10, 2025 at 09:49 AM

AW

“ Condolences and prayers go out to the family, friends and colleagues. 🙏🕊️

Angela Wax Williams
Texarkana, Texas



Angela Wax Williams - November 10, 2025 at 01:08 AM

TM

“ *Trudy McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Trudy McDaniel - November 09, 2025 at 11:06 PM

EP

“ *Evelyn Page lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Evelyn Page - November 06, 2025 at 03:12 PM

BH

“ *Betty Hardiman lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Betty Hardiman - November 05, 2025 at 01:12 PM

TS

“ Teresa Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Teresa Smith - November 01, 2025 at 09:53 AM

TS

“ Teresa Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



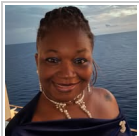
Teresa Smith - November 01, 2025 at 09:52 AM

NS

“ Norrissa Sharp sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



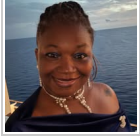
Norrissa Sharp - October 30, 2025 at 04:03 PM



“ Angela Wesley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Angela Wesley - October 29, 2025 at 11:23 PM



“ *Angela Wesley sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Angela Wesley - October 29, 2025 at 11:22 PM

RL

“ *Ruthie Lee-Curry lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Ruthie Lee-Curry - October 29, 2025 at 10:06 PM

HG

“ *My condolences to the family. Rachel will truly be missed. She was such a kind and loving person. Go ahead and take your rest Rachel.*



Hope GulleyHopson - October 29, 2025 at 09:24 AM

BD

“ *Barbara L Daniels lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Barbara L Daniels - October 27, 2025 at 12:49 PM

MC

“ *Michael & Mary Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Michael & Mary Clayton - October 26, 2025 at 09:10 PM

MS

“ *Praying for the family*



Maurice Strong - October 26, 2025 at 07:30 PM

KD

“ *Sending condolences to the family!*



Kendall Dismuke - October 25, 2025 at 08:41 AM

VM

“ *Rest in love and peace sweet cousin* 🙏



Vontisha Murphy - October 24, 2025 at 06:31 PM

LB

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family*



Latesha Blanks - October 24, 2025 at 02:40 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ms. Rachel Hardiman.*



October 24, 2025 at 11:22 AM

LF

“ *Lyndell Franklin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Lyndell Franklin - October 23, 2025 at 10:44 PM

MP

“ *Mary S. Pickings lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Mary S. Pickings - October 23, 2025 at 05:31 PM

JQ

“ Rachel was one of the most exceptional nurses and truly a remarkable human being. Her compassion and dedication touched everyone around her—patients, colleagues, friends, and family alike. She led with kindness, spoke with sincerity, and cared deeply in ways that left a lasting impact. Her absence is felt profoundly—not just by our team, but by the world. We have lost someone truly special. With deepest Sympathy to her family and friends, Cigna Case Management Team

Jamie Quinn - October 23, 2025 at 03:31 PM

TP

Thank yall so much. ❤️

Tracey Page - October 24, 2025 at 08:29 PM

SR

“ Rest in peace, my dear nurse friend Rachel. Your kindness, laughter, and strength touched everyone around you. I’m grateful for the memories we shared as co-workers and friends, and you will forever be in my heart.
Shonda Ratliff



Shonda Ratliff - October 23, 2025 at 01:09 PM

DI

“ Sorry for your loss keeping you all in my prayers RIL Rachel

Diris - October 23, 2025 at 09:05 AM

BC

“ Prayers up for the family. R.I.L. cuz.

Brent Curry - October 23, 2025 at 07:17 AM

BW

“ *Becky White lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Becky White - October 23, 2025 at 06:28 AM

DT

“ *Denise Earma Took's lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Denise Earma Took's - October 23, 2025 at 12:22 AM

AN

“ *Angala lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Angala - October 22, 2025 at 11:20 PM

AH

Rest in love cousin love you

Angela Hardiman - October 23, 2025 at 11:06 PM

TH

“ *Sending my condolences and prayers sincere prayers to the family and friends. Love Treen*



Toccara L. Hyde - October 22, 2025 at 10:30 PM

TE

“ *Tearee Easter lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Tearee Easter - October 22, 2025 at 09:39 PM

AK

“ *My prayers and condolences go out to Rachel's family. Rachel, you will always be remembered. Take your rest, sweet friend.* 🙏
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ADRIA KILGORE - October 22, 2025 at 09:06 PM

BW

“ *We extend our deepest condolence to the family of Sister Rachel Hardiman. She was a very kind and smart young lady. She left an indelible mark on the lives of those who knew and loved her. God bless her family. Love, Billy and Patricia Williams*



Billy and Patricia Williams - October 22, 2025 at 08:53 PM

SM

“ Get your rest classmate 🙏🏻 prayers for your family.



Shumbaya Robinson Manning - October 22, 2025 at 08:49 PM

MA

“ Mekia Anderson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Mekia Anderson - October 22, 2025 at 08:00 PM

LH

“ Laura Hardiman sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Laura Hardiman - October 22, 2025 at 06:58 PM

LH

“ Laura Hardiman sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman



Laura Hardiman - October 22, 2025 at 06:57 PM

LH

“ *Laura Hardiman lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Laura Hardiman - October 22, 2025 at 06:57 PM

CK

“ *Chinika Keener lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Chinika Keener - October 22, 2025 at 06:20 PM

LC

“ *Linette And Vernon Curry lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Linette and Vernon Curry - October 22, 2025 at 06:08 PM

SC

“ *Sonya Colvin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Sonya Colvin - October 22, 2025 at 05:14 PM

BB

“ *BeckyWatson Biddle lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



BeckyWatson Biddle - October 22, 2025 at 03:54 PM

ER

“ *Edna Rowden lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Edna Rowden - October 22, 2025 at 03:45 PM

NJ

“ *Natasha Jones lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Natasha Jones - October 22, 2025 at 03:43 PM

RF

“ *Ramona Fears sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Ramona Fears - October 22, 2025 at 03:27 PM

RF

“ *Ramona Fears lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Ramona Fears - October 22, 2025 at 03:27 PM

LB

“ *Loretta Beck lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rachel Hardiman*



Loretta Beck - October 22, 2025 at 03:11 PM