



## Richard N. Fuller

December 30, 1971 - April 15, 2024

Richard N. Fuller, Jr. 52, transitioned peacefully on April 15, 2024. Affectionately known as Rick, he was a lifelong resident of Norwalk, CT., born December 30, 1971 to Carolyn C. Fuller of Norwalk and the late Richard N. Fuller, Sr. He attended Virginia Union University and earned a Bachelor of Arts in English and continued his education at the University of Bridgeport receiving a Master's Degree in English. He retired from the Norwalk Public Schools and continued his role as an Educator with Bridgeport Public Schools. The magnificent tapestry of his life was woven with threads of guiding the Norwalk High School Bears in FCIAC Girls Basketball to three undefeated championships and a state championship. In addition to youth development, he mentored many youths at the Norwalk Housing Authority After School Program, Youth Development Program at GW Carver Center and countless experiences mentoring and nurturing youth. Rick was affiliated with Omega Psi Phi Fraternity and was the founder of Colonial Village Garden Center. His purpose was not a destination but a journey filled with profound meaning and valuable lessons. His memory will be treasured by his loving mother, Carolyn C. Fuller, his sister; Dominique Franklin and her adored son, Karter Trotter, his brother; Jonathan Lake, aunts; Anita Osborne (Herman), Diane Peters (Keith), Charlene Fuller, J.D. "Denise" Fuller and Brenda Penn-Williams, uncles; Daniel Fuller (Norma), Lloyd Fuller, Terry Fuller (Elaine), Jeffrey Fuller (Christine) and Douglas Peoples, godson; Jeremy Williams-Abel, three god sisters; Melissa Sellers, Renita Crawford and Kara Williams

and a host of cousins, extended family and friends. In addition to his father Richard N. Fuller, Sr. he was predeceased by his brother; Bryan Fuller, maternal grandparents; Wilson and Lillian Crocker, paternal grandparents; Lloyd D. Fuller, Sr. and Charlotte Fuller. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, April 23, 2024 from 11:00 am – 12:30 pm, followed by a service of celebration at 12:30 pm at Grace Baptist Church, 17 West Ave., Norwalk, CT., Rev. Dr. Lindsay E. Curtis officiating. Interment will be private. Services entrusted to Graves Medley Funeral Services.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

APR **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Grace Baptist Church  
17 West Ave  
Norwalk, CT 06854-2208  
(203) 838-5717

### Service

APR **23**. 12:30 PM (ET)

Grace Baptist Church  
Norwalk, CT

# Tribute Wall

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“ Carolyn and family, please allow us to share our deepest sympathies. You are in our hearts in this difficult time.

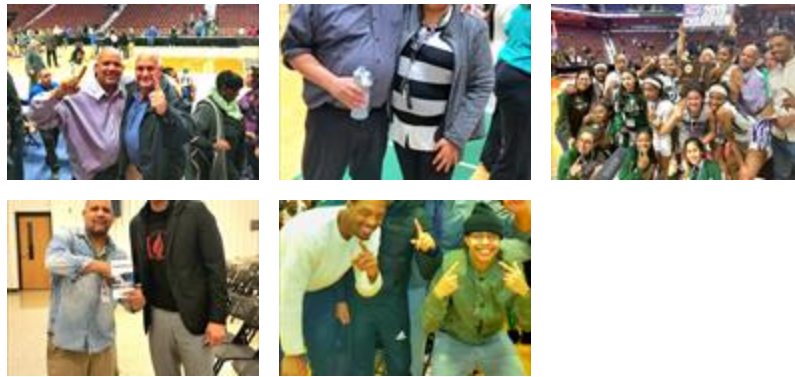
*Andy and Sue Mais*

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**Andrew Mais** - April 24, 2024 at 08:53 AM

TS

“ 8 files added to the album *Forever Fuller*



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**T. Sherrill** - April 23, 2024 at 11:32 AM

GD

“ Carolyn & family. We are lifting you up in prayer for strength & comfort during this sad time. We send you our deepest heartfelt sympathy.

*Gale and EJ DuBois  
(formerly Norwalk, CT)  
Chesterfield, VA*



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**Gale Houser DuBois** - April 22, 2024 at 12:27 PM

SC

“ My deepest condolences to the Fuller family during this difficult time. I had the privilege of coaching volleyball with Rick as an assistant some years ago, while volunteering. He was a total gentleman and well respected by the girls in the program. He was well known in the basketball world with at least one State Championship under his belt. Rest in Peace, my friend.  
Sheena Carpenter

Sheena J Carpenter - April 22, 2024 at 10:42 AM

CW

My condolences to the Fuller family God Bless you Rick I love you my brother

Corey White - April 22, 2024 at 11:23 AM

YP

“ Yinit, Walin and Joseph Pena purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Richard N. Fuller.



Yinit, Walin and Joseph Pena - April 21, 2024 at 10:35 AM

YP

“ From: Yinit, Walin and Joseph Pena planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard N. Fuller.

Yinit, Walin and Joseph Pena - April 21, 2024 at 10:35 AM

"F"

“Joe” Joseph A. Fleming purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Richard N. Fuller.



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"Joe" Joseph A. Fleming - April 21, 2024 at 02:28 AM

"J"

“Ricky and I were closest of friends in college. I am so sad about his departure. I am praying for Ms. Fuller and the entire family during this time. Rest well my brother and friend. Ricky shared with me this poem written by his grandfather. I cant believe after all these years I still have it.



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Joseph A. Fleming "Joe" - April 21, 2024 at 02:23 AM



“Mrs. Fuller, we are very much saddened for your Loss, our condolences to you and your Family. Yours in Christ, Rev. Curtis and Betty Langley of North Carolina 🙏🙏



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Betty Langley - April 20, 2024 at 12:51 PM

IE

“ Carolyn:  
*Words will never explain the sadness I felt when I learned our "Little Ricky" had passed. It seems such a short while ago he was running around the Carver as a little boy. May God hold you close as you go through this great loss.*

*Love,  
Izora (Zeke) Ebron and Family  
North Carolina*

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**Izora Ebron** - April 19, 2024 at 08:15 PM

CW

“ *My condolences and prayers go out to Rick Fuller Jr. and family. Mrs. Fuller I will continue to pray for you.*

*Love,*

*Cristina Webb  
Candice Webb  
Christopher Thigpen  
Cedric Thigpen*

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**Caden Webb** - April 19, 2024 at 01:51 PM

JH

“ *My condolences and prayers are with you all. May God's presence and your fond memories of Rick, offer some comfort and peace. God Bless!*



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**James Homer** - April 19, 2024 at 02:35 AM



“ *Our condolences to you, Mrs. Fuller. We are lifting you and your family up in prayer.*

*Tracy Lane  
Michael Johnson  
Christina Johnson*

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**Tracy Lane** - April 18, 2024 at 10:03 PM