



## Dedria Viverette

February 25, 1973 - December 16, 2009

VIVERETTE, Ms. Dedria - Age 36, passed away Wednesday, December 16, 2009 at Emory University Hospital in Atlanta, Georgia. Family hour 10:30AM Wednesday, December 23, 2009 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing immediately at 11AM, Eld. Gregory Martin officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. There will be no public viewing. Ms. Dedria "Nikki" Viverette was born February 25, 1973 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of Wiley and Clara Viverette, Jr. Dedria was a resident of Atlanta, Georgia. She was baptized in March of 1986 and became a devout Christian. "Dedria" attended high school in Kerrville, Texas and graduated from Madison High School in San Antonio, Texas. She also attended Angelo State University, in San Angelo, Texas and earned her Nursing degree from Georgia State, in Atlanta, Georgia. "Nikki" was a fun loving Flight Attendant and Facilitator for Delta Airlines for 16 years. She loved adventures and traveling to places like Peru and Germany. Dedria loved reading and cooking gourmet meals. She also helped to build homes with Habitat for Humanity. Dedria had a rare blood type, which made her an avid blood donor and encouraged all those around her to be a donor. "Nikki" loved spending time with all her special friends and spoiling her nephews. Ms. Dedria "Nikki" Viverette leaves to cherish her memory: parents, Wiley, Jr. and Clara Viverette of Brunswick, GA; sister, Tracy Viverette (Marcos) Purty of South Australia; 2 nephews, Myles and Bryce Purty; aunts, Wyvonne (Sy) Holt

of Bloomfield Hills, MI, Elizabeth Martin of Flint, Gistine (Willie) Brown of Fort Mill, SC, Pearl (Maxwell) Robbs; uncles, Bill (Ruby) Viverette of Flint, Russell (Lizette) Jones of Millington, TN, Al (Vanessa) Jones, Harrison (Anna) Jones, all of Flint, Hervey (Paula) Jones of Charlotte, NC, Edward and Thirman Jones, both of Flint; a host of cousins and friends that she loved (too many to name). One of the beautiful things about Dedria is that you knew she loved you. The family would like to express a special thanks to Dedria's Delta family and friends.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dedria Viverette*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My heart aches for you and the family during this difficult time. Dedria and I went to prom in high school. She was such a fun loving, beautiful and compassionate person. She will be greatly missed. To Tracy, Mr and Mr. Viverette: may these truths sustain you. Dedria will always be as close as a memory, and the God of all comfort will always be as close as a prayer. With Deepest sympathy.*

*Huelen Smith*

**Huelen Smith Jr.** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *To The Viverette Family you all are in my prayers during this time. May God bless you all.*

*Sheila Lewis*

**Sheila Lewis** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so blessed to have known "D". Her energy, humor, and passion will forever be etched in our hearts and minds. We will continue to pray for your strength and comfort. We love you.*

**Lisa Williams** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GW

“Dedria, will always hold a special place in my childhood memories. I remember all the summers I spent in Missouri, Mississippi, Texas, and Michigan with Aunt Clara, Uncle Wiley, Tracey, and Dedria. Wow! we had so much fun together. Dedria aka. Nikki, always made me laugh. Nikki's spirit of life is always been a blessing to me. Nikki you are gone too soon from our family, but God has other plans for you now! May God comfort our family from your departure from us and carry your spirit of life on. I am blessed to have been able to enjoy one last visit with you recently at Oktoberfest. God bless the Jones and Viverette family. Love your cousins Gina and Todd Woodard.

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**Gina Woodard** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MW

“Dedria was an amazing facilitator. I worked with her several times in Atlanta and was always inspired by her wit and candor with the class. She always kept them laughing but yet got the teaching points across in a fun way. We will all miss her at Delta. She was a big part of the training and inflight department

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**Michael Williams** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family, and to (Nikki) we love and miss you. You are in a better place now!!!

Love, Nier and Trolonda

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**Chanier Brown** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ To the Viverette family,  
I have had the pleasure of knowing Dedria for the past 16 years working at Delta. She was always full of life and brought a smile to my face everytime I saw her. My deepest regrets and prayers are with your family through this difficult time.

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**JoAnn Erbs** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HJ

“ During this hard time of pain as we deal with Dedria's separation from us, our prayers and thoughts are with our family. Hervey always remembered "D" strutting in the mall in Texas in her tall leather boots and jeans just like a real Texan. He always said no one could walk like "D". We have so many joyful memories like in St. Louis when the cousins had a wonderful time with "D" leading them in Karaoke all night at a night spot. Family, God is here walking with us because the walk is hard and the paths are difficult, when we need him most, he will carry us.  
Love Aunt Paula

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**Hervey and Paula Jones** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ Dedria yu will be missed, and never forgotten. i am so appreciative God allowed us to spend 3 days in the woods LOL to bond..Dedria yu have a great sense of humor, beautiful smile that im goin to missed but notFORGET!!!! i appreciate yu reaching out to me after graduation to find out my next steps in life ;)>>>to my older cousin and to MY AUNT+UNCLE+CUZ, TRACY i am praying for yu ALL i luv yu ALL seeya soon!!!

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**Teandre** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ To Aunt Clara, Uncle Wiley, Cousin Tracy, Marcos, Myles & Bryce: Dedria was a rose among the desert blooms. She was an outstanding human being as well as a daughter, sister, sister-in-law, aunt, niece and cousin. She will always be my little cousin "Nikki". Her spirit will always be remembered from our times together from family reunions to just recently at Ocktoberfest. My heart goes out to my family and that we all feel a great loss but God knows best. May God keep his arms around the family at this time.

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**Brela Jones James & Derrick James** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We're going to miss you, there is no one like my Nikki!!!

*I will always keep those blue jeans you gave me. And, I can still wear them:-)*

*Love Aunt Pearl!!!!*

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December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ My deepest sympathies to all of Dedria's family and loved ones. Even though our friendship was brief getting to know Dedria only this past year, I am very saddened to hear of her passing. She was a wonderful person with a generous heart. She will be missed terribly by the Delta Family. I feel fortunate to have known her. She is in my prayers.

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**Joseph Moll** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ *My dearest Dee. You will be missed. I have been blessed to have had you in my life. I will miss you greatly. Much love, Your roomie and friend.*

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**Lisa Marie King** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *Words cannot express the sadness of all who loved her. She made us all better people through her humor. I will miss her*

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**Cecilia Barfield** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *Wily, Clara B., Tracy and family. We want to express our deepest sympathy to you and the family. Nikki is not suffering any more, and we know that God doesn't make any mistakes. We pain for her separation from us, but God is rejoicing for her celebration with Him and the rest of the family in heaven. Stay strong in the Lord! Love, your cousins, Leon and family.*

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**Leon & Barbara Parker** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *TO MY FAMILY,  
MY PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU ALL. MAY GOD  
FOREVER CONSOLE US IN OUR TIME OF NEED. LOVE, TAMMY*

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**TAMMY (JONES) BALL** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Deepest sympathy. What a huge loss to us.*

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**Chuck Hunter** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO YOU ALL.MAY GOD BE WITH YOU ALL DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME.

MIA L. WARREN - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I do not know if you remember me, but I went to school with Dedria, my name was Jennifer Chapel. I want share my condolences with you and your family. Dedria was a wonderful gal. I loved Dedria so much and was blessed to have known her. I enjoyed being in band with her and hanging out. Throughout the years after moving from Kerrville, I always kept she and Tracy in the back of my mind. Although we were not connected as friends all these years, I never forgot about her and she was with me spiritually. I finally got re-connected to her through facebook a couple of months ago and was extremely excited. This has come as a shock to me as well as everyone else. I am really glad that I did have a chance to say hi again and let her know that I had never forgotten about her and how much I do love her. I adored her then as I do now. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this hard time. May God Bless you and comfort you now and always. I wish I could be there but this will be as good as it gets from Colorado.

Love always,

Jennifer Chapel Haining

Jennifer Chapel Haining - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ We love you Dedria. You will be missed!!

The Croziers - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ *Mr@Mrs Viverette,  
Im sure yall dont remember me but I was a very close friend of  
Dedria's back in school in Kerrville Tx. I am so sorry to hear about  
her untimely passing. Im sure this is a very difficult time for the  
whole family, but she in such as better place. Your family is in my  
heart and prayers.*

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**Robina Pride** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *You and your family are in my prayers.*

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**Claudette Walzer** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ *Clara & Jones Family: Losing a young loved one is always almost  
too much to bear. In Revelation 21:4 it says: "God will wipe every  
tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or  
crying or pain." His words tells us that "as one whom his mother  
comforts, so will I comfort you." You must claim his promise "I will  
not leave you comfortless; I will come to you." May your fond  
memories help sustain you until the pain subsides - Much love to all  
of you - Romi*

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**ROMI JEAN JONES** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ My Family and I wpuld like to express our deepest sympathy for your Family's loss of one with so much to offer. But Jesus stated that he will call all those in the graves to come out. John chapter 5 verses 28,29. To a resurrection. We can only pray for Jehovah God's kingdom( Matthew chapter 6 verse 10.) Revelation chapter 21 verses 1-5) under Jesus rule there will be the end of death. I really these scriptures from Gods words will bring you some comfort. Again our deepest sympathy.

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Family

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**CharlieMae Traeye and Family** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ I pray that you find peace and comfort

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**Jameane Grandberry** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Praying for you

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**Kevin and Anissa Hillman** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ GOD BLESS YOU AND PRAYING FOR YOU

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**DIANNE MARTIN** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WP

“ God will strenghten you

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**Willie and Clarissa Payne** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *All of us send our deepest sympathy. May the love of family and friends comfort and strengthen you in the days ahead.* ”

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**The Willie C. Viverette Family** - December 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM