



## Della Sanders

September 20, 1959 - June 7, 2007

SANDERS, Ms. Della - Age 47, passed away Thursday, June 7, 2007 at McLaren Regional Medical Center. Family hour 9:30AM Saturday, June 16, 2007 at Bethel United Methodist Church, 1309 N. Ballenger Hwy., with funeral service commencing at 10AM. Dr. Rev. Tara Sutton officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 9:30AM Saturday. Ms. Sanders will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 2PM-8PM Friday. Ms. Della M. Sanders was born September 20, 1959 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of George N. Sanders and Equilla Williams. Della attended Flint Schools and graduated from Northwestern High School "Class of 1977". Della was employed by Hurley Medical Center and gave 16 years of dedicated service. Della lived her life loving the Lord and living by his word, she was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church. Della loved her family and was a mother to all. She took care of everyone. Her best advice and motto was "Don't worry about it, pray about it". She enjoyed listening to gospel music and ballroom dancing. Della will always be remembered and truly missed by the people whose lives she touched. Della leaves to cherish in her loving memory: daughter, Mary Rice; 2 grandchildren, Mitchel and Markel Rice; mother, Equilla Williams; stepmother, Ethel Sanders; 4 sisters, Debra Sanders, Lillie (LaKay) Avant, Kyana Paul all of Flint, and LaTonya Sanders of Georgia; 6 brothers, George Sanders Jr., Willie Sanders, Roderick (Belinda) Mcadory, Kenneth Sanders all of Flint, Eric (Tina) Spencer

of Florida and Jomo Sanders of Houston, TX; aunts, Pearl Clemons of Chattanooga, TN and Lula Warren; uncle, Ernest Sanders; sister-in-law, Lenitta Gibson all of Flint; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Roland Nickerson, Peggy Gentry, Debbie Taylor, Marquette Crowder and Sandra Starling. Ms. Sanders was preceded in death by her father, George N. Sanders; niece, Ebony Sanders; aunt, Lillie B. Northern; uncle, Robert Lee Warren. The family would like to express special thanks to Dr. Levin, Dr. Pandrangi, and Dr. Naik, the entire staff at Midwestern Regional Medical Center and Heartland Hospice, also Rev. Dr. Tara Sutton and Bethel United Methodist Church.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Della Sanders*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *To the family of Della  
My thoughts and Prayers are with the family of Della, God will give you the comfort and peace you need doing this time. Just remember you loved Della but God loved her best, may God Bless you and keep you.*

**DEMETRIA WILSON** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Family,  
It is my prayer that you will continue to be strengthened and bless in your time of sorrow. Della has entered the gates of heavena is now waiting for our arrival.....Be bless umtil that day when we will join her in the presence of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.....  
Ladalia*

**Ladalia Postell** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS AND STRENGTHEN YOUR FAMILY, LINDA*

**LINDA THOMAS** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ I will miss her smiling face at Hurley. To the family stay strong and remember what she would want you all to do. She was the backbone to all of you.

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**Eleanor** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ To my longest and dearest school friend, whom was the only friend that kept in touch with me since junior high school. I love you with all my heart even in death, I love your family and will miss you dearly Della I have no one to fuss at me anymore. Della always cared about other people instead of being into self. 2nd Corinthians 5:8 says To be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord. To the family look to the hills which cometh our help, our help cometh from the Lord. May God Bless You All! Love Always Doreatha D. Swift & Family.

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**Doreatha D. Swift** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ TO THE FAMILY OF DELLA SANDERS: I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE PASSING OF DELLA. WE WILL MISS HER SMILING FACE IN AUGUST AT OUR 30 YR CLASS REUNION. DELLA AND I GO WAY BACK TO JR HIGH SCHOOL, I WOULD SEE DELLA ALMOST EVERYTIME I WENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND WE WOULD ALWAYS LAUGH AND TALK! SHE WILL BE MISSED BY ALL WHO KNEW HER. I'M PRAYING THAT GOD WILL KEEP YOU THROUGH THIS DIFFICULT TIME.

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**KAREN FLOWERS** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ To Mother Quilla, Debra, Will-Lee and LaKay my heart is with you thru the loss of Della Mae. we all know that nothing went wrong, because God said in his word this place is not our Home. we've all shared many laughs with her and now it's ok to cry because when God sends your "home-coming" angel we must say good bye! with Della parting this place, I can feel the void just as plain as can be, but I thank God he has set her "free" ...Della Mae my sister, my friend to the end, rest assure I will laugh with you again..  
"With much Love" on your Home going Day..... Peggie

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**Peggie Gentry** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. MAY GOD GIVE YOU COMFORT AND PEACE. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT GOD WILL NOT GIVE US MORE THAN WE CAN BEAR. HE IS ALWAYS WITH YOU AND WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU.

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**SANDRA THURMAN** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ To the Sanders and Avant Family

*May God Bless You and keep you in his loving care.  
Della will be truly missed not only by me but by all.*

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**Trina Berkley** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ You're in GOD's Hands Now. Rest With Him, Suffer No More Sweet Della. I Pray We Meet Again.

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**Margaret Williams** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ During your life, you have painted a beautiful picture for all to see. You've touched the hearts of many and left behind alot of good memories and for that I am forever grateful.

You will be sadly missed!!  
Love Ya,  
DeAidre and Family

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**DeAidre Avant** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Della was like a sister to me. I going to miss her a lot.Della you going to be miss lot. But you going home to be with our father. On more pain, on more crying, no more saying I am sick. You are with Jehovah,and his son Jesus.

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**Margaret Holloway** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ To the Sanders family, my heart and prayers goes out to you in the lost of your loved one. In times like these, look to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, He can mend that hurting heart. Just remember that she is only a memory away, for she will always be in your heart. May God be with you all.

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**Betty Knapp** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ We all loved Della. Della was like family to us from the time we met her. She was always there with us through so much. She will never be forgotten. God sure has an angel in Della. Our prayers and condolences are with you all. Let us know if there is ANYTHING we can do.

*The Fizer and Mullins families.*

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June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family. this is truly a sad lost for everyone that knew Della She was a kind of person that was easy to talk, we work together at hurley in office call we would talk before going to our area. she is going to be miss by her co workers and friends .But rember you can find confort in knowing that God is still on the throne and he is there for you and your family. let the same God that is healing my heart heal yours God bless and keep you

*Delores Childs*

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**Delores Childs** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ della you will be forever missed your friend myesha dena mcgruder lakay please call me so we can drop of some dinner for your family

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**myesha mcgruder** - June 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM