



Alisha Catrina Wright

July 31, 1972 - September 10, 2010

ALISHA CATRINA WRIGHT, was born on July 31, 1972 to proud parents, Verna Gentry and the late Anthony Wright.

She was nicknamed “Lisa” but we all came to know her as “Lady Lisa” a name well-suited to this extraordinary young woman. Suddenly on September 10, 2010, Lady Lisa was called to join her heavenly family in their eternal home.

During the thirty-eight years we were blessed to have her, Lady Lisa lived a charitable, fearless, magnificent life on her own terms. From childhood on, we all knew she was a force to be reckoned with.

Lady Lisa was always the one to step up and handle things, no matter how challenging or daunting. If could work together and accomplish things, all the better because she believe in people working together for the betterment of all. She was definitely a “people person” and the true epitome of the Phenomenal Woman.

Lady Lisa gave her time, energy and money, freely and passionately, to anyone she could help, regardless of the person, situation or circumstanced. She had a great charitable heart and worked fervently for any cause of project she deemed worthy.

She had such an infectious smile-like sunshine. She could light up any room with just that smile and energy. She was very easy to talk to and confide in, always ready with an uplifting word and encouraging quip. She loved to sing and dance and used her talents to entertain and uplift others. She was an intelligent and savvy young woman who had set some hard fought goals for herself and was on her way to accomplishing all her dreams.

Alisha was bound and determined to become a lawyer so she could fight the hard battles from a better perch and she was well on her way. She obtained her Bachelor's Degree in less than four years and had recently returned to school to complete her Master's Degree. All this while excelling in her job with the Maryland Transportation Authority.

Alisha was an exceptional employee, a dedicated, hard worker who recently received a well-deserved promotion to Procurement Associate. She was entrusted with the details and safekeeping of hundreds of million of dollars worth of contracts for the State of Maryland. Chances are, you have seen the results of her hard work if you travel the roads in the State of Maryland.

Alisha will be truly missed by so many, however, because of the life she lived, she remains in our hearts forever. In the words of Maya Angelou: "A great soul serves everyone, all the time. A great soul never dies, it brings us together again and again."

Lady Lisa was a great soul who will always thrive in the hearts of those whose lives she touched.

Alisha lives to cherish an abundance of precious memories: her "son" Sparky; her mother, Verna Gentry; brother, Jersey Snyder; nephew, Jersey; maternal grandmother, Lillian Payne; and paternal grandmother, Nell Powell; her special life-long friend and confidants, Brian Saunders and Rolan Monsanto;

her “dream husband” Mark Hunter; and many, many family members and friends.

Cemetery Details

Private

Baltimore, MD

Previous Events

Wake

SEP 18. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Alisha Catrina Wright*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My name is Rick Evans. I met Lisa through mutual friends about 3 years ago and became fast friends. She was one of my karaoke buddies and enjoyed singing duets together. As a gay rights activist, Lisa, through her connections worked with me to resolve various issues that effected the gay community. Although she will be deeply missed, she will live on in the hearts of everyone she touched. The thing I will miss the most is her smile. When she smiled, it made everyone around her smile. So when your feeling sad and missing Lisa, just think of her place in your heart and smile. I know she is smiling down on us, so lets keep smiling back for her.*

To her family, may god keep you, bless you, and be with you through this difficult time.

*"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted."
--Matthew 5:4*

Rick Evans - September 17, 2010 at 10:33 AM



“ *Lisa gave great hugs which clearly came from a great heart. I loved to hear her sing and when she came into the place, everybody lit up. She carried and shared great joy. I only knew her slightly and miss her so I cannot imagine the depth of the pain her family and those closest to her are feeling.*



Terry Wright - September 17, 2010 at 06:25 AM

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“ *Lisa was a beautiful lady who loved to sing. I will miss her so much.*

Auggie Dorsett - September 17, 2010 at 05:33 AM

SO

“ *Sofanda lit a candle in memory of Alisha
Catrina Wright*



Sofanda - September 16, 2010 at 10:54 PM

SO

*A truly amazing woman. I only knew her for a short time, but she was
such an inspiration to those around her.*

Sofanda - September 16, 2010 at 10:55 PM

 Larry
Johns

“ *Larry Johns lit a candle in memory of Alisha
Catrina Wright*



Larry Johns - September 16, 2010 at 10:26 PM

 Larry
Johns

*My heart is filled with joy because God makes no mistakes he allowed
us to share a wonderful woman. Her radiant smile always brighten a
room. Her laughter filled the air. She possessed a quality that second to
none and that was her love for people. Though she is physically gone
her memory is for ever branded in each life that she touched. I knew
her for wow 24yrs and its funny we lost touched but when we
reconnected we didnt skip a beat so from the EWSH Family my
Family...We love u and were gonna miss u my friend*

Larry Johns - September 16, 2010 at 10:35 PM



“ *I will miss you very much.* ”



Clyde Thomas - September 16, 2010 at 09:06 PM



“ *Alisha or Lady Lisa as many of us knew her was a very special person with a beautiful spirit. She was blessed with the gift of compassion for others. She will be tremendously missed by all who knew her.* ”

Stephanie Cooper - September 16, 2010 at 08:54 PM



“ *Stephanie Cooper lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright* ”



Stephanie Cooper - September 16, 2010 at 08:51 PM



“ *Stephanie Cooper sent a virtual gift in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright* ”



Stephanie Cooper - September 16, 2010 at 08:50 PM



“ Janet Fleming sent a virtual gift in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright



Janet Fleming - September 16, 2010 at 08:44 PM

AE

“ Angie Estes lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright



Angie Estes - September 16, 2010 at 08:22 PM

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Angie Estes - September 16, 2010 at 08:20 PM

MG

“ Mary Gardner lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright



Mary Gardner - September 16, 2010 at 06:12 PM



Darlene Booker

“ *Darlene Booker lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright*



Darlene Booker - September 16, 2010 at 06:08 PM



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Ada Buffet - September 16, 2010 at 05:58 PM



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Ada Buffet - September 16, 2010 at 05:57 PM



“ *Michael Serio lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright*



michael serio - September 16, 2010 at 05:28 PM



“ *John Sprinkle lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright*



John Sprinkle - September 16, 2010 at 05:23 PM



“ *Misty Barfly lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright*



Misty Barfly - September 16, 2010 at 05:11 PM



“ *Ada Buffet lit a candle in memory of Alisha Catrina Wright*



Ada Buffet - September 16, 2010 at 05:03 PM



“ *I loved how Lisa would embrace you just as you were ... and tell you what SHE felt , no matter what the consequence... if SHE believed in something ... she worked for it , and you KNEW it !*

R.I.P. Lady Lisa

Ada Buffet - September 16, 2010 at 05:00 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - September 16, 2010 at 04:48 PM