



Charia (Shara) Annette Styles

March 30, 1965 - February 26, 2008

CHARIA A. STYLES TRAVELERS REST, SC

Charia (Shara) Annette Styles, 42, passed away, February 26, 2008 in Columbia, SC.

Born in Greenville County, she was the daughter of Carolyn Poole Lancaster and the late Louie Erwin Styles. Ms. Styles worked at NCR and was a member of the Garden of Grace United Church of Christ in Columbia, SC.

Surviving in addition to her mother is her step-father, Don Lancaster; a brother, Jason Erwin Styles and wife Amy of Greer; a step-brother, Tim Lancaster and wife Kim of Simpsonville and a step-sister, Stephanie Boyer and husband Mike of Simpsonville.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Locust Hill Baptist Church with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends Sunday afternoon from 2 until 3 p.m. at Locust Hill Baptist Church.

The family will be at 36 N. Old Mill Road, Travelers Rest, SC 29690 .

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the American Diabetes
Association of SC, 2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite #205, Columbia, SC 29204

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Locust Hill Baptist Church
5534 Locust Hill Rd.
Travelers Rest, SC

Service

MAR 9. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Charia Styles was one of the most naturally gifted singers I have ever known. Hearing her sing during our days as Furman University classmates was such a pleasure. She had such a wonderfully witty personality, and I have fond memories of our college days together. Losing her at such a young age, I can only imagine the heartache her family feels, and I send my sympathy you all. Charia held a significant place in all our hearts, and she is remembered and will be missed by many.##imported-begin##David Perry Ouzts##imported-end##*

July 28, 2008 at 01:07 PM



“ *I was just informed of Charia's passing, and I am sorry to hear of your loss. Charia was a good friend to many of us at Furman. She was an extremely talented musician and truly a great friend. I can still picture her in her pink gown singing on stage with the Furman Singers. She had a tremendous impact upon all of us who knew and loved her, and although many of us have lost touch after so many years, we are saddened by your loss.*
Sincerely,
Roman J. Woodall and Friends##imported-begin##Roman Woodall##imported-end##

July 27, 2008 at 11:04 PM



“ *I was so saddened to read of Charia's death in the latest issue of Furman magazine. She was a good friend to me during my high school and Furman years, and we had LOTS of laughs and great fun together. I'm so sorry for your family's loss.##imported-begin##Kelley Batson Addison##imported-end##*

July 25, 2008 at 09:46 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. My memories of Charia from days at Furman are of laughter and smiles and of what a good friend she was to me and many others. I am so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Suzy Samuels##imported-end##*

March 10, 2008 at 07:38 PM



“ *DEAR FAMILY AND FRIENDS*

SHARA WILL BE TRUELY MISSED, SHE WAS A HARDWORKING INDIVIDUAL WHO CARE A GREAT DEAL ABOUT HER FRIENDS AND THE CAUSES THAT SHE SERVED ON. SHE HELPED US WITH SC PRIDE 2007 AND WAS PLANNING ON HELPING WITH PRIDE 2008. SHE WAS SOMEONE WHO U COULD DEPEND ON IN GOOD TIMES AND BAD. WE ALL WILL MISS HER A GREAT DEAL, AS CHAIR OF PRIDE 2008, WE WILL PROBALLY DO A DEDICATION TO HER FOR HER LIFES WORK. YOU SHOULD BE PROUD OF HER.

GLENN##imported-begin##GLENN PIPKIN##imported-end##

March 09, 2008 at 07:27 AM



“ *Carolyn and Family,*

My thoughts and prayers go out to you during this time of loss. May God give you the peace and comfort that only he can give to you during this time. God bless you all.##imported-begin##Lori Pittman Turner##imported-end##

March 08, 2008 at 11:35 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy in your loss. Our prayers for your comfort and courage. Love, Norma & Jimmy Jones###imported-begin###Norma & Jimmy Jones###imported-end###

March 08, 2008 at 09:57 PM



“ You are in my thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin###Linda Foxworth###imported-end###

March 08, 2008 at 07:09 PM



“ I was sad to read the news of Charia's death. I regret not keeping up with her since we were at Furman together. She was my suite-mate during her sophomore and junior years and we had some very fun times together. My prayers are with your family during this difficult time.

Jamie (Kuntz) Hall###imported-begin###Jamie (Kuntz) Hall###imported-end###

March 08, 2008 at 02:37 PM