



## Lachavious "Shay" Woods

November 6, 1988 - October 23, 2023

LaChavious Duntral Woods, the first of two children, was born November 6, 1988 to Vanessa Richmond and James Woods. "Shay" was a life long resident of Sorrento and Mount Dora, Florida.

She was educated in the Lake County Public School System. She fulfilled her life's professional career as an Executive Secretary.

She was a loving and devoted wife, daughter, sister, and aunt. She loved her family and enjoyed her life to the fullest. Shay was the family first bundle of love (Baby). Shay was all of our first baby girl. We were so excited when she was born. What love you have shown us all.

Shay will long be remembered for her beautiful soul and dynamite smile. Her smile could light up the world. Everybody who met Shay knew her as a very sweet, loving and kind young lady. She was compassionate, caring, soft-spoken at times, or no words at all just a smile. She will always be remembered and cherished for how she loved us all. Her smile was so beautiful and it will always be in our hearts. Her smile made everyone realize that the world is a lovely and beautiful place . . . . Our first love Shay, Shay.

Shay was preceded in eternal rest by her beloved aunts, Maria Richmond and Liana Dinkins, paternal grandparents James and Helen Woods.

She entered the sunset of life on Monday October 23, 2023 at Advent Health Waterman Hospital in Tavares, Florida.

Those who will cherish her the most:

Wife: Melaine Woods of Eustis, Florida

Mother:

Vanessa Richmond (Kevin) of Mt. Dora, Florida

Father: James Woods of Mt. Dora, Florida

Brother: Kosheme Richmond of Mt. Dora, Florida

Grandmother: Barbara "Bob" Dinkins of Mt. Dora, Florida

Uncle: James Dinkins (Katrina) of Mt. Dora, Florida

Aunts: Potra Pope (Paul)\* Shanda Snow (Marcus)\* Sonja Banks (Andrea) \*  
Tamara Woods All of Mt. Dora, Florida

Nieces: Jonasti Richmond of Mt. Dora and Ja'Coriana Richmond of Mt. Dora, Florida

Nephews: Kosheme Richmond, Jr. of Mt. Dora, Florida Ka'Dorian Richmond of Mt. Dora, Florida

Cousins: Shaquanta Howard \* Tershina RichmondCordell Allen, Jr., Mt. Dora, Florida

Friends for life: Tamara Williams of Mt. Dora, Florida Shontel Fountain of Mt.

Dora, Florida

Colleagues \* Friends \* Supporters

# Tribute Wall

SR

“ *Sharon Rouse lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



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**Sharon Rouse** - November 09, 2023 at 08:50 PM

SC

“ *Stephanie Cummings lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



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**Stephanie Cummings** - November 05, 2023 at 08:02 AM

AQ

“ *Lord our God, you are always faithful and true.  
Shay was suddenly taken from us.  
Draw near to all who mourn her loss ....  
Comfort her family and friends  
with the power and protection of the cross  
and the assurance of eternal life,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

*Amen.*

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**Aqua** - November 04, 2023 at 12:54 PM

SR

“ Sharon Rouse lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods



Sharon Rouse - November 03, 2023 at 07:50 PM

S.

“ My heart goes out to you and your family, Keeping you all in my prayers 🙏



S.Graham - November 03, 2023 at 07:42 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.



November 03, 2023 at 11:19 AM

BM

“ Continued prayers for your family, sleep in peace beautiful 💖💖💖



Brittany Marshall - November 03, 2023 at 11:13 AM

BC

“ *Berril Cox lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



**Berril Cox** - November 02, 2023 at 10:32 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.*



November 02, 2023 at 10:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.*



November 02, 2023 at 10:00 PM

NF

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*



**Natasha Foster** - November 02, 2023 at 09:57 PM

WS

“ *In Loving Memories of a Beautiful Angel , May your soul rest in Heaven and continue to watch over your family. Love W. Sams and family*



Wanda Sams - November 02, 2023 at 09:43 PM

KJ

“ *Shay you will be missed!*



KJ - November 02, 2023 at 09:28 PM

MB

“ *A light to remember Shay! Who will not be forgotten❤️RIP!*



Marcella Benavidez - November 02, 2023 at 09:20 PM

VW

“ *Vickey Walker lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



Vickey Walker - November 02, 2023 at 01:40 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.*



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November 01, 2023 at 11:37 PM



“ *Nastashia Kirkwood lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



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**Nastashia Kirkwood** - October 29, 2023 at 06:06 PM



“ *My heart and prayers are with you family.*



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**June & Perman** - October 29, 2023 at 04:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.*



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October 29, 2023 at 03:13 PM

MH

“ Vanessa,  
*I offer my deepest sympathy to you and your family! May the many memories of your beloved "Shay" bring you endless comfort and peace during your time of bereavement. You have all the tools that you need to Handle GOD'S Dark Room! Please remember: When you know that you've done your Best and All that you can....." You just Stand!"*

*Always in my thoughts and prayers,  
Marcie Hymes*

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**Marcie Hymes** - October 29, 2023 at 02:39 PM

MH

“ *Marcie Hymes lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



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**Marcie Hymes** - October 29, 2023 at 11:33 AM

JS

“ *Janice Smith lit a candle in memory of Lachavious "Shay" Woods*



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**Janice Smith** - October 27, 2023 at 03:34 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lachavious "Shay" Woods.*



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October 25, 2023 at 04:21 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lachavious Duntral Woods.

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October 25, 2023 at 04:21 PM