



## Janet Cleveland

August 20, 1960 - November 4, 2022

No obituary found for this tribute.

# Cemetery Details

## Hillandale Memorial Gardens

6201 Hillandale Dr  
Lithonia, GA 30058-4759  
(770) 981-1144

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Gregory B Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory  
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy  
Decatur, GA 30034  
(404) 241-5656

## Celebration of Life

NOV 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Fairfield Baptist Church  
6133 Redan Road  
Lithonia, GA 30058

# Tribute Wall

VJ

“ *Velma Y Julius lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland*



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**Velma Y Julius** - December 02, 2022 at 05:57 AM

VJ

*Sending my sincere condolences to you on the loss of your mother. May the Lord comfort you with sweet memories and His perfect peace.*

*Warm regards,  
Velma Y Julius*

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**Velma Y Julius** - December 02, 2022 at 06:10 AM

RC

“ *Please accept my sincere condolences on the loss of your mother. I had the pleasure of working closely with Janet on CDC COVID-19 response where she was a fierce and relentless advocate to make sure everyone in the community had access to COVID-19 vaccines. She inspired us all to do our best work--high expectations, but delivered with sweet, encouraging words. I am so grateful to have had the opportunity to learn from her vast public health experience. the world is a better place because of her.*

*With love,  
Rosalind Carter*

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**Rosalind J Carter** - December 01, 2022 at 11:44 AM

JG

“ Please accept my sincere sympathy for the family of Janet Cleveland. It was an honor to collaborate with Janet for more than a decade in the Division of HIV Prevention, as I held campaign briefings with her for perinatal and national HIV testing programs. She always was appreciative of the support we provided for the Together promotional outreach and recognized staff input as a gracious leader. I also have wonderful personal memories of hallway chats with Janet about family members in New York starting their careers in journalism and public relations. Janet's warmth and keen knowledge in the field of HIV public health will be greatly missed.

*Kind regards, Judy Griffith*

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**Judith Griffith** - December 01, 2022 at 11:34 AM

DC

“ I will miss my sister!!! "Well done my good and faithful servant".

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**Deborah Denise Carson** - December 01, 2022 at 11:32 AM

LC

“ I have had the blessed opportunity to work with Janet Cleveland for the pas 21 years. What a remarkable woman and a fantastic colleague. She will definitely be missed but never forgotten. Sending lots of energy and light to Janet's family and friends!

*Lyell*

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**Lyell Collins** - November 22, 2022 at 03:03 PM





“ Janet was so special. I finally had the opportunity to work with her on the COVID response on the CHEO Team. I had heard so much about Janet from my friends in HIV. It was such a pleasure to get know and work with her for the short period of time. She will be missed but she left her footprint on all who had the pleasure of meeting her. May God bring her family comfort and peace.

Yolonda Freeman - November 22, 2022 at 08:43 AM



“ Andrea Grangent lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland



Andrea Grangent - November 19, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ Though for a short time, I am so thankful to have had the opportunity to work with Janet at CDC. I will forever remember what she taught and the impact she had.

Shaeyla Davis - November 18, 2022 at 12:26 PM



“ Janet Cleveland was dedicated to improving prevention of HIV across all barriers. She strived to improve services in Mississippi. Rest In Peace!



Juanita Kinnard Davis - November 17, 2022 at 11:31 PM

RN

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to Janet’s family. Janet was committed to the community and ending HIV. She touched many lives and dedicated her life to making a difference. She will be missed!



Rhondette Nickson - November 17, 2022 at 08:04 PM

BF

“ Beverly Fallen lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland



Beverly Fallen - November 17, 2022 at 04:41 PM

BF

“ Lauriel:  
On behalf of the Children's Church Teachers at Union Missionary Baptist Church. Please know our sister and your mother were a bright light for us all. We were shocked to learn she had passed away. Your mom was a beautiful person who taught so many students at U.M.B.C. including my three adult kids. She will be missed by all of us. Please know that your U.M.B.C. teachers are praying for your peace in the Lord. Always remember that you were the apple of your mother's eye. Whenever you feel down hold on to all those good memories you have of mommy. She is only sleeping and pray full we will see her again. Lauriel make her proud. Keep doing all the good things she wanted for you. I believe she is always watching over you. Mostly God knows what's best for you. Keep God close always and you share make her proud. Much love,  
Beverly Fallen and U.M.B.C. Children's Church Teachers

Beverly Fallen - November 17, 2022 at 04:40 PM

LG

“ *Lynne G. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Janet Cleveland.*



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**Lynne G.** - November 17, 2022 at 10:47 AM

RV

“ *Janet Cleveland: Kind heart, trusting soul, clear thinker, treasured colleague, and a balm to all of us who had the privilege of working with you at CDC. May the angels take good care of you and your family here on earth. Rest in Peace and Glory.*  
*Dr. Ronald Valdiserri ("Dr. V")*

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**Ronald Orian Valdiserri** - November 16, 2022 at 05:04 PM

NN

“ *National Black Women's HIV/AIDS Network purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Janet Cleveland.*



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**National Black Women's HIV/AIDS Network** - November 16, 2022 at 12:02 PM

BG

“ *Bambi G. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Janet Cleveland.*



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**Bambi G.** - November 16, 2022 at 11:44 AM



“ *From my earliest entry into the public health arena, HIV prevention, and the CDC landscape, I and so many other advocates relied on the wisdom of Janet to guide our pathway. She was a warrior for the community while demonstrating a sincere spirit of encouragement. Janet's commitment to community and HIV/AIDS organizations never wavered and I am personally grateful that our paths' crossed. Rest in Peace my sister! You and your smile will most certainly be missed. Respectfully, Bambi W. Gaddist, DrPH*

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**Bambi Gaddist** - November 16, 2022 at 11:28 AM

NN

“ *National Black Women's HIV/AIDS Network lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland*



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**National Black Women's HIV/AIDS Network** - November 16, 2022 at 11:18 AM

DG

“ *Dee and Joanne Mitchell - Suwanee, GA purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Janet Cleveland.*



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**Dee and Joanne Mitchell - Suwanee, GA** - November 15, 2022  
at 04:26 PM

DH

“ *To Janet's daughter: my heart is heavy for you. The loss of both parents so soon is difficult. Your mother was a friend to many but an extraordinary one to me. She was a warrior for the community and a blessing to us all. She loved you deeply and talked about you constantly. Please reach out to me if you need anything, and remember she left you with people who love you because we so loved her. God bless you. I got your email and will be sending my information. Aunt Debra*

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**Debra Fraser Howze** - November 14, 2022 at 07:55 PM

DW

*Dana Williams*

*My dear sister. There are no words that I could say that would describe how much you are loved, cherish, valued and appreciated. I have so many cherished memories with you, so many fun times, at this moment I can hardly speak. To the family, I want you to know that Janet will be remembered as a beacon of hope, a committed warrior in the fight of not just HIV but the health inequities that underserved and disadvantaged communities face on a daily basis. She will truly be missed. May the ancestors keep you sis. Stay close so that we can call you to provide heavenly guidance as we navigate this world. To your beautiful daughter who you are so proud of and whom we all know through you and your undeniable love. Your mama loves you so much. Know that you have people all around you that are here to support you as you continue to navigate this world. Please don't hesitate to reach out. You are LOVED.*

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**DANA WILLIAMS** - November 17, 2022 at 03:29 PM

DH

“ Debra Fraser Howze purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Janet Cleveland.



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**Debra Fraser Howze** - November 14, 2022 at 07:38 PM

DH

“ Debra Fraser Howze sent a virtual gift in memory of Janet Cleveland



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**Debra Fraser Howze** - November 14, 2022 at 07:28 PM

CG

“ Carola Angelique Gaines lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland



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**Carola Angelique Gaines** - November 14, 2022 at 06:49 PM

CG

*Sending my love to the family of my Soror, may you rest in the arms of our Savior. Enter into Omega Omega*

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**Carola Angelique Gaines** - November 14, 2022 at 06:50 PM

LW

“ *Lucretia Wade lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland*



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**Lucretia Wade** - November 14, 2022 at 06:31 PM

LW

*My heart was saddened when I heard of Janet's passing. Janet and I became friends when she lived in Cleveland, OH. We always said it was something special about our friendship We later learned years after she and I both moved from Cleveland, OH. My husband would connect with a fraternity brother of his in the Philadelphia area, Who grew up with Janet. We said we were meant to cross each other's path. Praying for Comfort to the family. Lucretia Sullivan Wade and family*

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**Lucretia Wade** - November 14, 2022 at 06:39 PM

LW

“ *Lucretia Sullivan Wade lit a candle in memory of Janet Cleveland*



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**Lucretia Sullivan Wade** - November 14, 2022 at 05:23 PM