



## Dianne Strickland

March 16, 1946 - April 18, 2020

Dianne Smith Strickland

Dianne, age 74, passed away at home surrounded by her loving family Saturday, April 18, 2020. She was a native of Kentwood and a longtime resident of Hammond. Dianne loved the Lord and was a member of Spring Creek Baptist Church for many years. Her family always came first. Dianne was a loving partner, mother, grandmother, and friend who is already dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Dianne is survived by loving partner, Ed Chehardy and her “favorite child,” Shadow; her daughter, Rhonda Strickland Hartis and husband Charles; daughter, Jeannie Strickland Sciacca and husband Tony; son, Jesse ‘Jay’ Strickland and wife Tammy; grandchildren, Jessica Hartis, Landon Hartis, Brayden Stephens, Cole Sciacca, Jordyn Sciacca, Justin Strickland, and Cody Wilson; great-grandchildren, Jace Strickland, and Conner Strickland; sisters, Frances Varnado Griffin, Celia Smith, and Rachel Coggins; and brother, Deloy Smith, Jr.

Dianne is preceded in death by her daughter, Deanna Dianne Strickland, parents, Deloy and Neva Smith, Sr.; cherished aunt, Willie Mae Sumrall; and great-grandson, Karson Husser.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks to please consider making a donation in the name Neva Dianne Strickland to Ameracare Family Hospice, 303 W 21st Ave, Covington, LA 70433, 985-893-3301, [www.ameracare.com](http://www.ameracare.com).

Due to the current order by Gov. Edwards, the family is not able to invite the public to a visitation or funeral services as intended.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dianne Strickland.*



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April 27, 2020 at 10:07 AM



“ *To Dianne's Family,  
My sympathy to family members for the loss of your loved one. I have memories from many year's ago of visiting with Aunt Eula, Dianne's grandmother and Willie Mae, Francis, Celia Ann, and the others. May you find comfort with your memories.*

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**Evelyn Jean Simmons Dees.** - April 21, 2020 at 12:35 PM



“ *Prayers for the family. Dianne is such a friendly person and loved by many.*

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**alan juderjahn** - April 20, 2020 at 11:39 PM



“ *So Sorry for your families loss. Dianne will be missed by so many. Prayers for all family n friends.*

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**Patricia Mcallister** - April 20, 2020 at 02:47 PM



“ *Prayers for Ed and her family. I will so miss playing all of her favorite songs for her. Always a smile and a hug.*

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**Susan Wilson** - April 20, 2020 at 01:14 PM