



## Donna Diane Turlington

September 3, 1961 - January 29, 2025

Donna Diane Turlington, also affectionately known as Diane Wright-Turlington, passed away unexpectedly on January 29, 2025, at the age of 63. A native and lifelong resident of St. Augustine, Diane's warmth and kindness touched the lives of all who knew her.

Diane's career journey began at Marineland as a secretary, followed by a position at VAW

Aluminum. She then transitioned into retail at Publix for 15 years. Diane enjoyed volunteering for many years with Alpha Omega Miracle Home, but found her passion was working with the residents and helping at the thrift store. She started working at the Alpha Omega Thrift Store, where she later retired as an assistant manager. While there, she made it very clear to her boss that she would never charge anyone for a Bible, even if it cost her her job. That's how much she loved sharing the word of God. Diane's compassionate nature and dedication to helping others will always be remembered by the many lives she impacted during her time there.

She loved nothing more than gathering with her family, where she would always bring her famous homemade cookies. She cherished every moment with her sons, grandchildren, and loved ones. Even in the most serious moments, Diane's infectious laughter was sure to get her or someone else in trouble at every get together, giving us countless giggles and memories over

the years.

Diane is survived by her sons Michael Colee (Kari) and Dustin Turlington of St. Augustine; her mother, Carol Wright of St. Augustine; her siblings, Lisa Franklin (Charles), Sheryl Hitchcock (Charles), Woody Shugart (Leslie), Nina Craven (Kevin), all of St. Augustine, Georgette McMahon (Art) of Huntersville, NC, and April Carey (Brooks) of St. Augustine; her grandchildren, Alexa, Trenton, and Alleigh; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, Buck Wright, her former husband, Troy Turlington, and a grandson, Christopher.

A celebration of Diane's life will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, February 3, 2025, at Church On The Rock. Flowers are gratefully accepted, or those wishing to honor Diane's memory may make a donation to Alpha Omega Miracle

Home: 2480 Collins Avenue, St. Augustine, FL 32084.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## **A Celebration of Life**

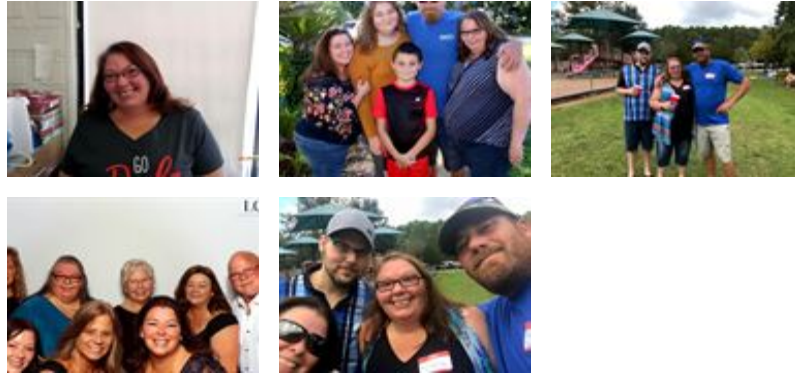
FEB 3. 3:00 PM (ET)

Church on the Rock  
2995 Varella Avenue  
St. Augustine, FL

# Tribute Wall



“ 13 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**St. Johns Family Funeral Home** - February 03, 2025 at 07:56 AM

PT

“ *Phillip Thai purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Donna Diane Turlington.*



**Phillip Thai** - February 02, 2025 at 01:42 PM

JF

“ *John & Nancy Fout purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Donna Diane Turlington.*



**John & Nancy Fout** - February 02, 2025 at 12:11 PM

JF

“ John & Nancy Fout planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donna Diane Turlington.

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“ Ken & Raeann Ralston planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donna Diane Turlington.

Ken & Raeann Ralston - February 01, 2025 at 03:34 PM

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“ Ken & Raeann Ralston purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Donna Diane Turlington.



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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna Diane Turlington.



February 01, 2025 at 01:03 PM

LD

“ Diane was a very sweet, cheerful person. I always enjoyed talking with her at Alpha and Omega or whenever we ran into each other. My condolences and Prayers for her family and friends. ❤️

Lori Dukes - February 01, 2025 at 08:52 AM

AL

“ I'll always cherish our time together. Your laughter and rebellious spirit. I'm utterly crushed right now. I love you mama Diane.

Ali - January 31, 2025 at 01:26 PM

LP

“ To Diane's family and friends my heart is so broken to know I won't see my friend until I see her in heaven, Diane I know you're a much better place no more pain and your with Jesus and your Daddy and all your other loved ones that have gone on to heaven I'll keep your precious momma and all your siblings in my prayers to give them strength and comfort. May you rest in peace, my dearest friend I love and I miss you, Diane.

leila pacetti - January 31, 2025 at 12:25 PM

MS

Diane, your smile is like no other. Your giggles and laughter are contagious. The world was a better place with you in it💖 I will surely miss our talks and laughs. You are dearly missed. Keeping all your family in my prayers🙏 I will see you again soon🙏

Melody Siddons - January 31, 2025 at 07:06 PM

JP

Diane always brought a smile to me and showed us kindness. Prayers to for family.

JoJean Ponce - February 01, 2025 at 10:57 PM