



Desirae E. Parkinson Guillot

November 19, 1993 - October 25, 2021

Desirae Eliza Parkinson- Guillot went home to be with Jesus on October 25, 2021.

Desirae was a 2011 graduate of Delmar High School. After graduation, her academic achievements include graduating from Del-Tech with an associate's degree in social work, she then went on to earn a bachelor's degree in psychology at Salisbury University. While continuing to pursue a master's degree in clinical psychology from Capella University, she attended Valor Christian College in Columbus, Ohio, studying music ministry. She worked as a behavioral therapist for children with autism. She played the keyboard, guitar, and sang beautifully. She attended the Uprising Church in Hebron and was a part of their worship team. She was also a member of Melson's United Methodist Church in Delmar.

Desirae was a kind, loving ray of sunshine. She treated all she encountered with kindness and respect. She was adventurous, fun, spontaneous, and loved to joke around, especially teasing her father. She was a daddy's girl and her mother's rock. Her heart's desire was spending time and planning creative fun things to do with her nephews. She was instantly a loving and attentive, beautiful mother. Her family will love and miss her for all time and her parents will forever be immensely proud to call her their daughter.

She is survived by her daughter, Genevieve Faith Guillot; parents, Dennis and Ronda Parkinson of Delmar; brother, D.J. Parkinson and his wife Kim; nephews, Eric, Wayne and William Parkinson, all of Fruitland; father-and

mother-in-law, Dr. Tom and Lynn Guillot; sisters-in-law, Sarah Heck and husband, Sam and Dr. Lori Guillot; brother-in-law, Thomas Guillot, III; nieces, Juliet Heck and Valerie Heck; nephew, Samuel Heck; and her very best friend since childhood, who was like a sister to her, Della Winslow.

She was preceded in death by her husband Christopher Guillot, and her brother, Eric S. Parkinson.

A funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 9, 2021, at Short Funeral Home in Delmar. A visitation for family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Pastors Bill Cropper and John Oltman will officiate. Interment will follow the service in Melson's Cemetery in Delmar, Maryland.

Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Melson's Cemetery

Melson's Road
Delmar, MD 21875

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **9**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Short Funeral Home
13 East Grove St.
Delmar, DE 19940

Funeral Service

NOV **9**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Short Funeral Home
13 East Grove St.
Delmar, DE 19940

Tribute Wall



“ *Short Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Desirae E. Parkinson Guillot*



Short Funeral Home - November 09, 2021 at 06:15 PM

AW

“ *This memory! ❤️❤️❤️❤️ my kids were so unhappy that they had to go back to Maryland!!! We love you Chris and Desirae so so much!*
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Danielle Marie Noriega
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 12, 2021 at 09:19 AM

AW

“ The last week has been a nightmare. A nightmare i and others so desperately wish to wake up from but it has devastatingly become our reality. My heart has shattered into pieces, my world turned upside down. Grief and heartache consumes me and I'm not sure I will ever recover from the loss and emptiness I feel. The hurt is almost unbearable. I've lost one of the most important people in my life, my person, my confidant, my defender, my sister, my absolute very best friend. Desirae you were so many beautiful things that I've been struggling to find the words because how do you begin to describe to others just how wonderful you were with just a few words? You were smart, kind, funny, gentle, selfless, trusting, honest, loving, outgoing, spontaneous and so much more. You were without a doubt the best friend a girl like me could have ever asked for and I will treasure what we had forever. I will cherish the memories we created for I will have them for a lifetime to share for as long as I am able. Our friendship was true and most certainly unbreakable. You were like the other sister that God knew I needed and he gave me you. I will try to find comfort in knowing that I have so many memories with you to look back on and smile. I will also find comfort in knowing that even though your no longer with us, I still have a piece of you I will still be able to love on and hold tight and that is your sweet and beautiful Genevieve Faith. I promise to love and care for her forever and to remind her just how much you loved her. I absolutely love you with every fiber of my being Desirae and will cherish the fact that you loved me in return. Rest In Peace my dearest friend, until we meet again 💔

Della Winslow
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 12, 2021 at 09:18 AM

AW

“October 25 a day I will always remember!! My sweet, sweet Desi Desirae Guillot how do I even begin!! You are Carlos baby!!! He always called you Miss Dez!! Always will be and have been our family!! Sunday, October 25 you went home to be with the Lord and join Eric, Pop, Chris, and other family! I really don't know what else to say but we love you and we will seriously miss you! Please send thoughts and prayers for the Parkinson family during their time of grieving! Please send prayers for Carlos and i as we are struggling bad! Rest easy Dez and we will always, always be here for Mom and Dad and Genevieve!!! We love you Dez!!! Not quite sure how to keep pushing forward!!! So if you talk with God or your church please add us to the prayer list!!! Thank you 😊

Nichole Collingsworth-Briddell
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 12, 2021 at 09:17 AM

AW

“somedays i think it's all just a bad dream and i'll wake up and other days i'm just sad and at a loss for words. no words can express on how hurt i am right now. losing you seems so unreal. you were a big sister, best friend, aunt, spiritual leader and so much more. there's not a day that goes by that i don't think of you. i will forever cherish the memories all us had together. we love you and we will all watch over sweet genevieve. till we meet again i love you always
r.i.p our sweet angel☐

Erica Joseph
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 12, 2021 at 09:14 AM

AW

“ I’m at a loss for words.. My thoughts are with the families of Desirae Guillot & Chris Guillot. There’s no way I would have been able to get through my time in Ohio without the two of them.. Hearing this news is completely heart breaking, forever together now. 💕💔😭

Tabitha Amanda
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 12, 2021 at 09:13 AM

AW

“ So sad to hear this news. Rest peacefully Desirae Guillot. You were so special to this world!

Romeo Clark
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:59 PM

AW

“ This cannot be happening. One of my Valor quad girls. A friend like no other. Even when time got away from us you always came back around and connected like nothing had happened. We were just texting about you coming here. 2 days before you passed. I know Chris is up there ready to sing and play music together again though. Please keep Desirae Guillot’s family and baby in your prayers. My heart literally aches.

Claire Armbruster Compton
From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:58 PM

“ I’m in shock and In tears. I did not know Desirae Guillot as well as most of you but I know from personal experience what a great person, christian, genuine friend and woman of God she was from a brief encounter.

See there was a time she noticed I was struggling in life and she reached out to me. We spoke on fb messenger and she asked me if I would like to meet up. We shared conversation, tears, and laughs over sushi. We talked about similar struggles we endured in our lives. We spoke of getting together for a couples date knowing our significant others shared a passion of music and playing guitar. She asked if she could pray with me upon our leaving. We held hands and she prayed aloud over my situation.

Well life happened, time passed and that double date for them to meet never happened. I wish it had ... and I regret it did not. Via fb I saw their life going well, happiness, love of music, and pictures of Desirae and Chris’ fun adventures. I then saw they got married. I was so very happy to see this, knowing what it took to get to that place, given things she had shared with me from years past. So needless to say when I learned Chris passed I was in shock and saddened. I reached out to her to let her know I was thinking of her and praying for her. I then found out she was pregnant. I saw her being a great mom enjoying her precious baby girl, but I could see the daily struggle missing Chris was so very real. Now today I learn of Desirae’s passing, my heart literally sank and all I can think ... I wish I could have been there for her like she was me and helped her like she helped me.

Desirae our brief encounter on this earth proves that there are genuine people who care, who will take the time to reach out to a complete stranger and share their testimony, in an effort to help others. You gave me a listening ear when I needed it, You gave me hope when I needed it, You prayed with me when I needed it. You showed me I was not alone, that there are people who have similar struggles despite being a follower of Christ.

Desirae I pray you are at peace with our Heavenly Father. I will keep fighting the fight, one day at a time. I will always remember you and be grateful you saw me when I needed a friend, and didn’t

*judge but understood from experience life struggles.
Rest In peace Desirae*

*JeepHer Kari
From Facebook Page*

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:57 PM

AW

“*Dang man this is wild Rest in Paradise sis my condolences to both the Parkinson and Guillot families*

*Marsan Boyer
From Facebook Page*

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:56 PM

AW

“*Devastated and in disbelief. Such an amazing and loving young woman. Im sure Eric and Chris were both waiting with open arms for her in Heaven. My thoughts, prayers, and love to her amazing parents, her beautiful baby girl, the entire family and Della. As well as Chris' family.*

I didn't get to visit with her often and have not been out to visit her parents very much over the years. I tried to stay in contact as much as possible. But no matter how much time or distance the entire Parkinson family is near and dear to my heart.

*Ashley Duke
From Facebook Page*

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:56 PM

AW

“ I really don't know what to say 😞 you will be missed very much. I know we didn't talk or hangout but you have always been a good friend to me, God has gained another Angel in heaven. Thoughts and prayers ❤️

Christien Carey

From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:55 PM

AW

“ A beautiful soul gone way too soon. Rest in peace love ❤️

Kelci Dykes

From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 04:54 PM

AW

“ Last night on my way back from work, I opened my phone and got one of the biggest shocks of my life... You and Chris were so kind to me at Valor. That 3rd week, When I lost one of my good friends, you guys got me to your car, in the middle of a breakdown, loaded me up and drove me off campus for a few hours. We rode around Canal and stopped at a DQ and even a Starbucks while you guys tried to help me work through the pain I was feeling. And even after I dropped out, you guys kept in touch. Always checking on me, making sure I was still going strong... I still can't believe this is actually happening. You're so missed by so many people... mused included. But the thing that keeps me calm is knowing you and Chris are finally reunited once more and forever. I'll see you both soon in those portals of glory. Save a spot for me.

Walker Chance

From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 02:07 PM

AW

“*Desirae Guillot A beautiful soul gone too soon. You were a true blessing to everyone you knew. You and Della Winslow were my childrens favorite babysitters! My family and I will miss you dearly. I promise to help your family take care of your beautiful baby girl and make sure she knows how much she is loved.*

*Amy Worden
From Facebook Page*

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 02:06 PM

AW

“*Desirae Guillot I love you! I know I'm selfish but God doesn't deserve you, I still needed you. Thanks for being a kind gentle soul, you always accepted me for me and maybe I should've done more to keep you closer but the Lord has a plan and his timing is perfect so deep down I know this is how it has to be. Thank you for letting me be apart of your world, love you always and forever.*
Mikey ❤️🥺

From Facebook Page

Amy Worden - November 11, 2021 at 01:24 PM

KE

“*Dear Des, im sorry to be writing to you this way but I just wanted you to know i loved you and appreciated our talks and hanging out back in the day! You & your family embraced me especially because of uncle cee. I regret not getting together more like we always said we would but I always watched and kept in touch via Facebook ❤️ Im thinking about your mo & dad daily during this. Mr dennis & Mrs Rhonda hugs to you. Im so sorry again. You had a sweet, sassy, beautiful daughter that anyone would have been happy to have known.*

keandra - November 08, 2021 at 11:06 PM



“ 77 files added to the album Life Tributes



Short Funeral Home - November 08, 2021 at 06:26 PM

NC

“ *To my dear sweet Miss Dez, I love you and miss you already! I really don't know what to say because my heart is heavy and I'm at a loss for words, I will always miss you! All I can think about right now is the time you asked me to go to church with you and I said no and said no again, then you looked me in my eyes and said you're going! And I came! We walked in with this big black man with this little petite white girl, and you introduced me to everyone as your brother!!! I'm laughing right now!! And we always got those looks like we always got, like who is that? And we laughed and laughed! I was nervous at first but being there with you comforted my soul and we had a great time! Love You always and forever Miss Dez!!! Carlos.*

nichole collingsworth - November 07, 2021 at 08:39 PM

NC

“ My sweet, sweet Desirae (Dez) your smile can light up every room you walk in!!! I love you so much! Like you are so happy it made me happy!! You made my heart warm and smile!!! I have many, many memories of you!!! One time mom and dad had a bbq for July 4 and Carlos and I wore regular clothes and everyone else had bathing suits and swimming trunks but you and dad decided to throw Carlos and someone else in. If we didn't laugh for forever!!! And your eyes just are hypnotizing!!! Them baby blues!!!! I love you Desirae Parkinson!! The last time we were together we had an amazing dinner and many laughs and we got to meet the baby!!! God that made our day!!!! How beautiful of a baby girl!!!! I love you Dez!!!!

nichole collingsworth - November 07, 2021 at 08:30 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Desirae E. Parkinson Guillot.



November 07, 2021 at 08:19 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Desirae E. Parkinson Guillot.



November 07, 2021 at 09:51 AM

TG

“ We love you and will miss your sweet smile and kindness. God bless you little angel!!

Tommy & Lynn Guillot

Tom G - November 05, 2021 at 12:57 PM

TR

Tommy and Lynn,
I was so sorry to hear about Chris and now your precious daughter-in-law. My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time.

Tracey Rathcke

Tracey Rathcke - November 06, 2021 at 06:08 PM

JH

“ So sorry for your loss. Years ago I was Desirae's teacher at su, then taught her and Chris their wedding dance. We attended the same church and I've kept up through social media etc. I'm not sure what happened, but I'm so sorry. She was such a sweet girl! Would love to find out more ways to help their baby. Prayers to everyone! ❤️

jessica hindman - November 04, 2021 at 10:15 PM

VS

“ Dennis, D.J. and Family - I am so sorry to hear about Desirae. I cannot imagine the grief that you are feeling. What a beautiful girl! Prayers for comfort and healing during this sad time.

Sincerely,

Valerie Swift, Crisfield

Valerie Swift - November 04, 2021 at 10:22 AM

JA

*Dennis, Rhonda and DJ. All the PARKINSON FAMILY. My heart is with you. I really with regret know the horrible pain of holding your child while saying goodbye: I lost CP, my only son and best friend to pancreatic cancer that reduced him to a skeleton , Jan. 30, 2020. I am so sorry you lost. Desirae, quite accomplishments, She surely was a light to this dark world. Again, I am sorry.
With Love,*

JEANNE WEBSTER ABBOTT

JEANNE WEBSTER ABBOTT - November 04, 2021 at 06:37 PM

LR

“ *Dennis, Ronda, and Dj, I am so very sorry to hear this. My heart is with, may you find the strength to go forward, with love, laurie rimkis*

Laurie rimkis - November 03, 2021 at 09:10 PM

JS

“ *I worked with Desirae and what a sweetheart! Her joy was infectious and her smile lit up the room. I am praying for the family and her little angel.
Gone too soon*



Jean Shipley - November 03, 2021 at 06:34 PM