



## Mr. Derrick Leroy Anderson

March 25, 1955 - November 25, 2006

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## Visitation

Thursday, Nov. **30**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Derrick Leroy Anderson*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Derrick was a great man. His committment, dedication and efforts in the Education,Awareness and Prevention of HIV/AIDs lives on in his legacy. I can still hear his laughter, see his smile and feel the warmth of his love. Truly he lives on. Ebony, and Kina-Bina, he lives on in you!!! God Bless you!!!##imported-begin##Rockelle D. Rogers, M.D.##imported-end##*

December 01, 2006 at 09:31 PM



“ *A couple months ago Derrick sent me some poetry that he had written. So I think its fitting to quote from some of his poems because I think Derrick would enjoy having the last word here.*

*"Will you honor my humanity? If I trust you with my truth can you be empathetic and imagine my fight?*

*And hold on to see me through, to be my friend and not take flight? Because together we stand..and divided we lose...No matter who I am. Can you simply refuse to choose to pass judgment and dehumanize me.*

*Human Being should be the only label that matters UNCONDITIONALLY. To indulge in the practice of identity bigotry wounds every single one of us and Diminishes our collective right to be free."*

*Amen Derrick, rest in peace, God speed my friend.*

*Love Patty##imported-begin##Patty Edwards##imported-end##*

December 01, 2006 at 08:14 PM



“ Our hearts and prayers are with you in your time of need. Derrick was a beautiful person and I also considered him one of my favorites cousins.

Love Donna (Twin)##imported-begin##Donna R. Hardin (Williams)##imported-end##

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December 01, 2006 at 08:43 AM



“ pam & eboni,  
my love, prayers & thoughts are with you. may god undergird you with his power and strength. love bobbi##imported-begin##bobbi hannah##imported-end##

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December 01, 2006 at 07:57 AM



“ My prayers are with the Anderson family.  
May God Bless you and keep you in his perfect peace.

Gwendolyn##imported-begin##Gwendolyn Powell-Dixon##imported-end##

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December 01, 2006 at 12:35 AM



“ Eboni may God be with you in this time of need. So many of us were blessed to have Derrick in our lives. He was a talented, sensitive man who devoted his life to making the world a better place. I am proud to have known him

Chris##imported-begin##Chris Starkey##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 10:27 PM



“ To Eboni and all of our family members, you are all in my prayers, may God see through this trying time.

God Bless

Your cousin, Dawnita and Family.##imported-begin##Dawnita Douglas##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 03:39 PM



“ eboni & family may god bless you and your family at this time of great sorrow my prayers are with you. love you eboni (debi)##imported-begin##deborah king##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 03:08 PM



“ To Ebony and all my other family members, please know that you are in my prayers. May God keep you and fill the void.

Love always,

Jetta##imported-begin##Jetta King##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 02:35 PM



“ I am deeply saddened and sorry to hear the passing of Mr. Anderson. I only knew him for a short time but in that short time that he made me feel like a genuine part of his family. I send my condolences to his wonderful family and hope that you all stay strong. I know that he is out of pain and suffering and smiling at you guys. His spirit lives on through you. I'm glad I had the chance to meet him and all of you...Once again May God Bless and keep you in his Eternal Love.##imported-begin##John Davies##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 02:22 PM



“ My sympathies and warm wishes go to Mr. Anderson's family in this time of sadness.##imported-begin##Stuart G. Itzkowitz ##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 02:19 PM



“ With love to Derrick, who inspired me and my countless UMich students. He spoke eloquently and with truth to many classes, conferences, and groups over the years. I will visit. Barbara Sloat##imported-begin##Barbara Sloat##imported-end##

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November 30, 2006 at 10:31 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to our entire family, we shall continue to praise GOD for the many blessing we all received.*

*I Love You Cuz, Derrick and will forever remember you!*

*Yvonne##imported-begin##Yvonne Carroll##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2006 at 08:38 AM



“ *Eboni,  
I was shocked to hear of your loss. Please know how sorry I am  
and that you and your family are in my thoughts and  
prayers.##imported-begin##BEVERLY K. LAPINSKI##imported-  
end##*

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November 30, 2006 at 07:09 AM



“ *To the family of Derrick Anderson, I hope that his legacy lives on in  
all of you. I believe he was a great man with a wonderful purpose  
and it would be a shame for it to be forgotten. May you find peace in  
the love and respect he had for life and peoples of all walk of life.  
May god bless you all and keep you in you time of grief. Be  
blessed##imported-begin##RHONDA GUESS##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 09:30 PM



“ *Eboni, your father was a remarkable man. His presence will be  
missed, but not forgotten. Stay strong my sister, and remember to  
keep God first. God Bless!##imported-begin##Renita  
Cain##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 04:03 PM



“ *Ebony:*

*May God bless and keep you and your family in your hour of sorrow.  
May the memory of your father live in your hearts  
forever.##imported-begin##Pamela Harrison##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 01:25 PM



“ *Ebby, My love & prayers to you and your family. May God's peace  
rest upon you to comfort you through these times. We love  
you.##imported-begin##Monique Barlow##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 12:34 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss but just  
know this too shall pass. The lord no longer wanted your dad to  
continue to suffer nor does he put on your shoulders more than you  
can bear. In time your wounds will heal and remember stay strong  
for your mom...she needs you now more than ever.*

*Respectfully,*

*Eleanor Whitney##imported-begin##Eleanor Whitney##imported-  
end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 11:39 AM



“ Dear Eboni and the Anderson Family, I can't say I know what you all are going through because I don't. I just want to say my prayers are with you all. Eboni your father is in a better place now, he has no worries, no pain, no suffering. Your father will always be with you through your good times and bad. So keep him in your heart, smile and continue with what he started. And may God bless you beyond your expectations.##imported-begin##Jason M Palm##imported-end##

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November 29, 2006 at 10:59 AM



“ Eboni:

*My deepest sympathy to you and your family. I will keep you all in my prayers.##imported-begin##Gloria J. Steward##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 10:27 AM



“ Dear Eboni & family, may the grace of God bless you and your family at your time of need.##imported-begin##Jan Castelle##imported-end##

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November 29, 2006 at 09:59 AM



“ Mrs. Anderson, Eboni & Family  
No words can truly express great comfort at this time as I know he shall be missed. Know my heart goes out to all of you. Dwell on the memories for in those memories comfort is everlasting. Love you Eboni - Jan##imported-begin##Janice S. Slappy##imported-end##

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November 29, 2006 at 09:55 AM



“ I am very sorry to hear of your loss. I still miss my mother dearly. All you can do is cope with the sadness and grief and learn to live with it.

*In time this sad time will become dull in your mind but remember the good memories of him they will last forever cherish them,,,,,*

**MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU##imported-begin##PAULA GLOMBOSKI##imported-end##**

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November 29, 2006 at 09:54 AM



“ My heart and prayers go out to you and you family Eboni. May God keep you and comfort you and hold you in his grace. I am here whenever you need me.

*Love Karen H.##imported-begin##Karen Harris##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2006 at 09:08 AM



“ God Bless the entire Anderson family and thank you Derrick for the short time I was able to learn from you. I hope your spirit will continue to guide the mission and vision of all who love you.

*Respeciffully,  
Jacqueline Whitted  
Community of Grace, Inc.##imported-begin##Jacqueline Whitted##imported-end##*

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November 28, 2006 at 04:58 PM



“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family during this time, know that God is with you.##imported-begin##Ms. Barbara Milhouse##imported-end##*

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November 28, 2006 at 04:01 PM