



## Victoria Rae Anastasi

July 19, 1993 - January 12, 2025

Vicky passed away from a genetic disease on Sunday, January 12, 2025, at her mother's home, surrounded by her family, who, along with a couple good friends, cared for her every day until she left this life to be with Jesus.

People say it takes a village to raise a child, but I say it takes a village to help your child transition. Vicky had a village. Many families and friends prayed for Vicky's peaceful journey into heaven, where she sits now with a grateful love and spirit for those left on earth.

Vicky was a generous, loving and kind woman. Her smile and infectious personality touched many. You felt her warmth and love immediately after meeting Vicky. Her talents go beyond her generous spirit. She was an accomplished actor, starring and appearing on the big screen, tv, magazine ads and commercials. She remained humble and down to earth. Additionally, Vicky was a wonderful artist. She was often commissioned to paint portraits of people's pets. Her paintings will be cherished by many.

Vicky was an avid animal lover, especially towards her husky/shepherd mix, Leo. She raised him from a pup and traveled back and forth from Atlanta to Maryland with Leo in tow.

She was predeceased by her father, Anthony Anastasi, grandparents, Jimmie and Mitzi Vaccaro, Tony and Marianne Anastasi, her uncle James Mark Vaccaro, uncle Stephen Anastasi and aunt Deborah Anastasi. She is survived by her mother Susan Anastasi, brother Dominic Anastasi, aunts Linda (Michael) Turner, Nancy (Robert) Chamberlain, Mary Teresa Anastasi, and

Lori Anastasi, as well as many cousins and her fiancé in Atlanta, Clay Crosby.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 23. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Visitation

JAN 23. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Prayer Service

JAN 23. 6:15 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Funeral Mass

JAN 24. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
201 St Marys Ave  
La Plata, MD 20646  
(301) 934-2261

## Burial

JAN 24 (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
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(301) 934-2261

# Tribute Wall

KC

“ I played Victoria's mom in "Restoration." We joked about how I would have had to have her when I was 14. She was such a light and so sweet. We would chat on set about similarities we had, talked about chronic health stuff, her dad, how she was besties with her amazing mom, and Seidah, our makeup artist, would have to dab our eyes in the corners with Q-Tips because they watered so much. We talked about a lot of things on set. Then, she stayed with me in Atlanta when she was looking for a place down here. She slept on an air mattress in my apartment and played with my daughter, who was 6 or 7 then. My daughter absolutely loved Victoria and asked me for a long time when she was coming back to visit. She was such a talent, and I am heartbroken for what she went through, and for what you all went through as her family. I will cherish the time I got to spend with her and think she was too amazing for this world to hold. I send all my love to you, Susan, and Dominic, and I will forever remember her as the force that she was.  
-Kate Caldwell



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Kate Caldwell - January 30, 2025 at 09:46 PM

MD

“ I met Victoria only once-13 years ago on a college theatre trip. I'm from NY, and in college I was at some theatre conference with her school. She was such a smart ray of sunshine! I wish I had had the chance to get to know her better.

*I'm very sorry for your loss. I was friends with Vicky on facebook and I remember her posting about her father. I lost my father as well as my brother when I was young from cruel disease.*

*I'm sharing this because I hope this is some comfort for those close to her- through the anguish of missing my brother and father-I realized later on that I became more like what I admired most in them. I really feel that they live on in me. I'm sure many will feel this with Vicky! She seemed like a really awesome person and the world will always need more people like her.*

*-Mike Dlugosz*

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**Mike Dlugosz** - January 26, 2025 at 04:36 AM

CR

“ My deepest condolences to Susan and Dominic losing a lovely daughter and sister. My heartfelt sympathy and prayers are with you hoping that you find a sense of peace at some point.

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**Carol Anne Rife** - January 23, 2025 at 01:35 PM

WF

“ With love from the Crosby family purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



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**With love from the Crosby family** - January 23, 2025 at 08:29 AM

WF

“ With love from the Crosby family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

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**With love from the Crosby family** - January 23, 2025 at 08:29 AM

KB

“ I have been looking back so fondly these last two weeks on memories with Vicky through pictures I have and from other's posts reminding me of even more. She was so warm and welcoming to me in high school doing theater with her both at LPHS and PTP. We went to Nebraska twice for the Thespian Festival, she came to my Valentine's Day Movie marathon sleepover I co hosted with another friend, and I was always so excited to see when she got a role in a big TV Show or Movie because no one deserved success like Vicky. One of the kindest people I ever met and have just been devastated, stunned, and looking back through photos with a smile remembering what a beautiful soul she is and was.

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**Kyle Bailey** - January 23, 2025 at 01:09 AM

AF

“ Alyssa & Hamill Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



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Alyssa & Hamill Family - January 22, 2025 at 10:13 PM

AF

“ Alyssa & Hamill Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

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Alyssa & Hamill Family - January 22, 2025 at 10:13 PM

LA

“ Forever Remembered, Forever Loved.... my deepest condolences Linda Anastasi



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Linda A Anastasi - January 22, 2025 at 08:49 PM

HH

“ Hector Torres and Jay Haddock purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



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Hector Torres and Jay Haddock - January 22, 2025 at 05:11 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.*



January 22, 2025 at 03:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

January 22, 2025 at 03:34 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.*



January 22, 2025 at 02:28 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

January 22, 2025 at 02:28 PM



“ *Devie Bunting(Pettie) purchased the Celestial Love for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.*



**Devie Bunting(Pettie)** - January 22, 2025 at 12:00 PM

DB

“ Devie Bunting(Pettie) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

Devie Bunting(Pettie) - January 22, 2025 at 12:00 PM

JN

“ Jennifer Joyner and Jerome Newsome purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



Jennifer Joyner and Jerome Newsome - January 22, 2025 at 07:20 AM

JN

“ Jennifer Joyner and Jerome Newsome planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

Jennifer Joyner and Jerome Newsome - January 22, 2025 at 07:20 AM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 21, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

January 21, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ Love, Kris, Doug, Becky, Jake & The Kids purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



Love, Kris, Doug, Becky, Jake & The Kids - January 20, 2025 at 10:00 PM



“ The Frazier Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



The Frazier Family - January 20, 2025 at 06:01 PM



“ Cate Turner and family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



Cate Turner and family - January 20, 2025 at 04:52 PM

CF

“ Cate Turner and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

Cate Turner and family - January 20, 2025 at 04:52 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 20, 2025 at 12:10 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

January 20, 2025 at 12:10 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 19, 2025 at 12:46 PM



“ I met Victoria working on an industrial many years ago. She was so kind and funny and always smiling or telling a joke! We stayed connected through ig and I loved seeing her career progress. My memory of her was that she was so cool and positive.



Alyse Hamilton - January 17, 2025 at 01:23 AM

JM

I taught Vicky acting classes. She was so passionate and dedicated to her career. Her spirit and soul had so much light. She will be truly missed.

Jennifer Mann - January 19, 2025 at 11:12 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

January 16, 2025 at 03:19 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 16, 2025 at 03:19 PM

LP

“ Leah Perry purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



Leah Perry - January 16, 2025 at 12:29 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 16, 2025 at 11:49 AM

GT

“ So, so sorry to hear this news. Victoria and I were in some acting classes together in Greensboro and she was always so lovely to work with and extremely talented. Such a friendly soul. Hugs to all who knew her <3

Gabby Trice - January 16, 2025 at 11:05 AM

TM

Victoria was such a bright light to everyone who had the opportunity to meet her. I was fortunate to experience her talents in an acting class about 8 or 9 years ago. She was so passionate and always honest with her emotions. Her comedic timing was second to none and she constantly encouraged the people around her. Thanks for sharing her with us as my friend will be missed but never forgotten!

Travis Moore - January 17, 2025 at 08:58 AM

TG

“ I met you through Kenny when he brought me into the CSM theater to meet the theater family and from there were many Applebee's and Red Robin meetings after shows.

After you left CSM. You continued to pursue your passion in film. We talked about your experience with Restoration, how excited you were with this production and the viewing. you would even connect me with people to learn more about working behind the camera a passion I carry out today. No matter how many questions I had you were there to answer. You were a great friend and just a a huge light in this world that is rare to find.

Thank you for the laughs. Thank you for the advice and thank you for the great person you were.



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**Tim G** - January 16, 2025 at 08:54 AM

MF

“ Mark and Kathi Heron and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

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**Mark and Kathi Heron and family** - January 15, 2025 at 04:40 PM

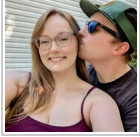
MF

“ Mark and Kathi Heron and family purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



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**Mark and Kathi Heron and family** - January 15, 2025 at 04:40 PM



“ *Vicky and I met and worked together at MadHatter in Greensboro for a blip in time. I am so saddened to hear the news of her passing. She truly was light as many other posts have described her. It was my first serving job and my freshman year of college and I have never encountered someone as cool and inviting, that I've never forgotten her. I loved hearing about all her accomplishments or seeing her face on a target bassinet or seeing her latest henna creation on her hands when we were working together. In recent years we hadn't kept in touch but I commissioned an art piece from her that is very cherished and loved seeing her life unfold through Instagram. Prayers to those closest to her as she was definitely such a precious soul.*



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**Sarah Blevins** - January 15, 2025 at 03:14 PM

GC

“ *I met Victoria on the set of a film she was acting in, while living in MD. She brought an instant smile to all of us on set. While my time knowing her was brief, she made an impact on me that I have carried for many years and will continue to carry. She will be remembered and missed for the light she brought into our lives.*



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**Gabriella Colarusso** - January 15, 2025 at 02:58 PM

CC

“ Vicky was the best part of high school! So many great memories with her. Thanks for taking this punk kid to Prom, you made his whole year. Rest in peace my friend, thanks for being you.



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**Chris Cheney** - January 15, 2025 at 02:36 PM

KG

“ I met Victoria at LPHS through theatre. We had theatre classes together and performed in Aladdin and Chicago together. Even in high school, Victoria was incredibly talented in acting but what will always stand out is how kind she was. It was like a light radiated from her. She had an infectious laugh, a big smile, and kind energy. I can't imagine the loss her family and friends are experiencing and I'm praying for peace and comfort for all who will miss her physical presence.

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**Kristen Gwaltney** - January 15, 2025 at 02:34 PM

KS

“ I am so heartbroken in Victoria's passing. I knew her when we both started off acting modeling together about 10 years ago. I would always see her on auditions and jobs and she was the friendliest most outgoing person. She always had a smile on her face and was so kind and genuine. She'll be greatly missed. ❤️

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**Kelly Schwartz** - January 15, 2025 at 02:02 PM

MD

“ Vicky was always so sweet & kind & just one of those people who lit up a room. We weren't close, but we ran in the same circles (CSM, PTP, visual arts circles) & had many mutual friends. Whenever we did see one another, it was always a pleasant meeting. She was truly a beautiful soul & a wonderful talent. My heart goes out to all who loved her, especially her family. ♥

Mary DeMarco-Logue - January 15, 2025 at 01:59 PM

MF

“ Victoria and I had a class together at CSM. From day one she was so kind to me. We ended up in a project together and supported me the whole way. She was such a kind soul and we did not remain close friends but we continued to support each other in our life adventures. I loved seeing all her posts of where she was in her life.

Madison Fields - January 15, 2025 at 01:36 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victoria Rae Anastasi.



January 15, 2025 at 01:07 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Rae Anastasi.

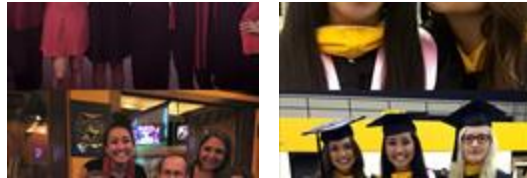
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KR

“ Sending your family so much love and strength as they go through this tragedy of losing you ❤️

*Victoria and I met in college at Towson University and were in the same Mass Communications major. We were in a few classes together and joined teams working on projects. She was such a genuine and warm-hearted person.*

*I didn't know anyone in some of those classes and she was so welcoming and friendly and fun. We hadn't talked much since post-grad, but I loved seeing her adventures pursuing travel, acting, and modeling. She lived such a full, vibrant life ❤️*



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**Katherine Roberts** - January 15, 2025 at 01:00 PM

RH

“ Thank you for being so beautiful to the people of Fayetteville N C



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**Robert S Hall** - January 15, 2025 at 12:18 PM

AH

“ I met Victoria when she was lago in LPHS’s production of Aladdin. I also enjoyed watching her in Chicago. I had a couple of classes with her at CSM and did a few projects with her in acting class. She was always the most cheerful, confident, and funniest person in the room. I didn’t know her very well, but we talked on occasion and I loved seeing updates about her life on social media because she really just deserved the world. Extremely talented and sweet. My entire heart goes out to this family.

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**Alison Haney** - January 15, 2025 at 12:14 PM

NI

“ Victoria was such a bright light. I worked with her on a project for only a few days a decade ago yet her kindness and positive energy have stayed with me. May she rest in eternal peace.

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**Nick** - January 15, 2025 at 12:13 PM

LM

“ So Heart Broken 💔  
She was a Gem!!  
Will NEVER forget her!!!

*Prayers For the Fanuly!!!*

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**Larry McIntosh** - January 15, 2025 at 12:02 PM

PG

“ She was the nicest person I ever met at CSM. She will be missed greatly.

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**Phil G.** - January 15, 2025 at 11:30 AM

SS

“ *Condolences. I remember her from high school. Extremely nice and kind individual, I have no doubt that she is in a peaceful place of glory.*



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**Shane S** - January 15, 2025 at 11:19 AM

SK

“ *Sarah Robinson Kilinski lit a candle in memory of Victoria Rae Anastasi*



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**Sarah Robinson Kilinski** - January 15, 2025 at 11:14 AM