



Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins

December 23, 1973 - September 22, 2014

Demetrose Dawsey Hawkins was born on December 23, 1973 to Tommie Dawsey and Barbra Doles in Vero Beach, Florida.

"MiMi" was educated in the public school department in Brevard County and Indian River County, graduating with the class of 1992. She attended the Indian River Community College and received a degree working in the Department of Corrections in Okeechobee and Indian River County. She earlier received state certification as a C.N.A, finally the doors opened with the postal service where she has worked for the last 10 years.

On July 1, 1994 she married her high school sweetheart Joe L. Hawkins Jr. and to their union, Joe Louis Hawkins III and Jacquelyn Le'sha Hawkins were born.

"MiMi" was a member of the Church of God by Faith "House of Prayer for all people", where she was a willing worker for Christ, asst. Financial Secretary, possessing the gift of "help".

On Monday, September 22, 2014 Demetrose was called home to be with the Lord. "MiMi" leaves to mourn, her husband of 20 years, Joe Hawkins Jr, son, Joe Louis Hawkins III, and daughter, Jacquelyn Le'sha Hawkins. Her devoted mother, Barbra Dawsey, father Tommie Dawsey Sr., Brother, Tommie Dawsey Jr., of Tallahassee, Dennis Dawsey of Haines City, Florida, one sister, Sonja Maria Dawsey(Julio Arocho) of Puerto Rico, One brother-in-law, Jeffrey B. Hawkins Sr. of Vero Beach, father and mother-in-law Joe & Erma Hawkins Sr. of Vero Beach, Florida. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, uncles,

and aunts. She was blessed to have angels surrounding her such as Chris, Cindy, Ron, and Jeff.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hortense & Mills Memorial Funeral Home
4301 US Highway 1
Vero Beach, FL 32967
(772) 569-4626
<https://www.hmmemorials.com/>

Country Inn & Suites Rooms \$89.38 KING 97.58 DOUBLE

SEP **26** (ET)

Country Inn & Suites
9330 19th Lane
Vero Beach, FL 32966
zakmccarron@oplhotels.com
<http://www.countryinns.com/verobeachfl>

Funeral Service

SEP **27**. 2:30 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
4545 30th Avenue
Vero Beach, FL 32967

Tribute Wall



“ Hortense & Mills Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Hortense & Mills Memorial Funeral Home - September 24, 2014 at 12:25 PM

CB

Amen.....???

Chiquita Bagley - September 25, 2014 at 10:43 PM

SL

“ MiMi was such a beautiful person inside and out. Everyone she came in contact with she made an everlasting impression on. She left behind alot of family and friends. She is now in heaven laughing, dancing and watching us. She will always be in our hearts and our memories will stay strong. Until we see you again. Love and miss you dearly. RIP MiMi Hawkins



Sherry Lockwood - September 30, 2014 at 03:19 PM

TH

“ *Your light will forever shine...*



Tracy Hawkins - September 27, 2014 at 11:24 AM

CK

“ *Cadace Kaigler lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



cadace kaigler - September 27, 2014 at 07:25 AM

LL

“ *Lisa Leiner lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



lisa leiner - September 26, 2014 at 08:37 PM

RW

“ *Many fond memories I have with you, Mi Mi, will not be forgotten. We may never know why things happen, but I do know our God is PERFECT and He makes no mistakes. Heaven has gained another angel into the kingdom....may you have sweet rest, my friend. Love always, Raquel*



Raquel Wright - September 26, 2014 at 08:21 PM

BA

“ *Special thoughts and heartfelt prayers are with you and your family during this time of sorrow.*

Bellamy Alexis - September 26, 2014 at 08:16 PM

KJ

“ *Our prayers are with everyone*



kelly jones - September 26, 2014 at 07:24 PM

KJ

“ *The lord called you home way to soon but then again he only takes the best. Ive known you since I lived acrossed from your mom and then after I moved you used to deliver my mail to me. Weve chatted and laughed and you were always so good to my kids and me. You will be missed dearly now heaven has another angel. Miss Barbara and Joe and the kids you are in my prayers may you find comfort and peace with all that has happened. From kelly jones, sanai, sierrah and james.*

kelly jones - September 26, 2014 at 07:20 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



September 26, 2014 at 06:57 PM

LF

“ *Lilly Connell & Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



Lilly Connell & Family - September 26, 2014 at 06:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



September 26, 2014 at 04:22 PM

LL

“ *Lisa Leiner lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



lisa leiner - September 26, 2014 at 02:21 PM

KH

“ *kenneth hawkins purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



kenneth hawkins - September 26, 2014 at 01:35 PM

TF

“ *Our prayers are with you'll, THE SEARS FAMILY, A FLOWER
READY TO BE PICKED*

The Sears Family - September 26, 2014 at 01:33 PM

DD

“ *Darlene Dillard lit a candle in memory of
Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Darlene Dillard - September 26, 2014 at 01:24 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the
family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



September 26, 2014 at 08:51 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for
the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



September 26, 2014 at 08:31 AM

JJ

“ Joe Hawkins Jr,joe LII, Jaquelyn lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



joe hawkins jr,joe III, jaquelyn - September 26, 2014 at 07:44 AM

DJ

“ Dexture Almarie Jackson lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Dexture Almarie Jackson - September 26, 2014 at 07:20 AM

DJ

“ Dexture Almarie Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Dexture Almarie Jackson - September 26, 2014 at 07:19 AM

DJ

“ Dexture And Almarie Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Dexture and Almarie Jackson - September 26, 2014 at 07:12 AM

BS

“ *Mimi...We had some fun at work...made the best of it anyways. You were always there with a hug and kind word. God took you too soon but I guess he needed a special angel. May your family trust in God's way though we don't understand and find peace. With sympathy and sadness,*
Barbara and Bill Skalaski



Bill and Barb Skalaski - September 25, 2014 at 09:35 PM

WF

“ *With love, Ashley Jameson and family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



With love, Ashley Jameson and family - September 25, 2014 at 08:46 PM

CB

“ *My heart is so heavy. I will forever cherish our friendship and your smile that brighten up a room when you walked in. Love you always and forever!*



Chiquita Bagley - September 25, 2014 at 08:40 PM

TD

“ Tammy Dwinell lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tammy Dwinell - September 25, 2014 at 08:36 PM

TD

“ Oh Mimi you were always on top of your game..and ours also. Your smile will be so greatly missed as well as your great wisdom. You never had a bad word for anyone and always saw the good in everything. I miss you so much Mimi.... you have so many beautiful people down here to help with your babies. You know they will help them and your husband cope with all of this. Until we meet again keep me in line with that wonderful poke love and miss you.. Tammy

Tammy Dwinell - September 25, 2014 at 08:27 PM

KB

“ We've known each other since we were kids, played together and then our kids grew up to play together. You were and always will be one the most humble, sweet, and loving person I know. I pray the Lord watches over the loves of your life. You are and will be truly missed. I pray to see you again in Heaven. Until then rest my friend and know that you were loved and will be missed.



Kimberly Boykin - September 25, 2014 at 05:41 PM

KB

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Kimberly Boykin - September 25, 2014 at 05:41 PM

KH

“ Joe, I only met your beautiful wife a few times, but every time she was laughing and teasing and full of life. My heart breaks for you and your children. You are in my prayers.

Your "old lady" friend at Pawprints, Kelly Hickey

Kelly Hickey - September 25, 2014 at 05:12 PM

SD

“ Demetrose,

I will forever cherish the "by chance" meeting we had one year ago. We spent HOURS laughing, talking, sharing, reminiscing of our junior high days in the parking lot....It felt as though we left off from 20 years ago...

I will always remember your beautiful smile.

I love you...May you REST IN PEACE!!

Shirlonda Chambliss Drummond - September 25, 2014 at 04:17 PM

CK

“ You were an awesome person. You always had a beautiful smile and kind words to say every time we spoke. My heart aches and I will truly miss you.
May God comfort your family and wrap his loving arms around them during this difficult time.
Until we meet again MiMi

Candace Kaigler - September 25, 2014 at 03:20 PM

RT

“ I pray that God will sustain and comfort you during these trying times.

Robert Temple - September 25, 2014 at 02:43 PM

MI

“ Missy lit a candle in memory of Demetrose
"Mi Mi" Hawkins



Missy - September 25, 2014 at 02:02 PM

MI

MiMi was a very kind lady always had a word of encouragement for me when she was delivering the mail to our office complex. I will miss her.
Missy D.

Missy - September 25, 2014 at 02:04 PM

CM

“ Courtney, Andy, & Josh Maslak lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Courtney, Andy, & Josh Maslak - September 25, 2014 at 01:21 PM

LK

“ Cousin Mimi. Always will remember summers spent with you and the crew at summer rec, laundry mat, playing tweed lie leet, and going to Guy Coley's for snack. Best days of our lives. You will be missed greatly, but loved always. RIP cuz

Ladell Byrd Kimbrough - September 25, 2014 at 12:42 PM

JA

“ Wonderful woman, mother, friend...will miss her ...I love you Mimi, Jazzy.



Jazzy - September 25, 2014 at 12:29 PM

KC

“ Joe and Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as you go through this trying time.
Kim, Sean and the entire Pawprints team

Kim Conti - September 25, 2014 at 12:09 PM



“ *Geneka Perry lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Geneka Perry - September 25, 2014 at 11:43 AM



“ *Geneka Perry lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Geneka Perry - September 25, 2014 at 11:40 AM



“ *Jeanette Richards & Family lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Jeanette Richards & Family - September 25, 2014 at 07:45 AM



“ *Sabrina And Ashley Ross lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Sabrina and Ashley Ross - September 25, 2014 at 07:25 AM

SF

“ Sabrina, Ashley And Nakyah Ross lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Sabrina, Ashley and Nakyah Ross - September 25, 2014 at 07:24 AM

DC

“ Dorothy Cobb lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Dorothy Cobb - September 25, 2014 at 07:13 AM

SF

“ Sista Big Bones Social Club Of Gifford F sent a virtual gift in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



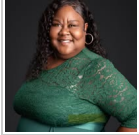
Sista Big Bones Social Club of Gifford F - September 25, 2014 at 04:52 AM

SF

“ Sista Big Bones Social Club Of Gifford F lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Sista Big Bones Social Club of Gifford F - September 25, 2014 at 04:41 AM



“ *With deepest sympathy. John Boy and Pooh*



Janetha Chambliss - September 24, 2014 at 11:01 PM



“ *Jeanetta Marshall and Family* ❤️

Jeanetta Marshall - September 24, 2014 at 09:42 PM



“ *Nadia Watson lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Nadia Watson - September 24, 2014 at 09:36 PM



“ *LaDyladonna Williams lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



LaDyladonna Williams - September 24, 2014 at 08:54 PM

NG

“ *Nikki Green lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



nikki green - September 24, 2014 at 08:04 PM



“ *Cicely Powell-Porcher lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Cicely Powell-Porcher - September 24, 2014 at 08:02 PM



“ *Jemal Hayes lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Jemal Hayes - September 24, 2014 at 07:37 PM

AI

“ *Atawa Irving lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Atawa Irving - September 24, 2014 at 07:13 PM



Monique Franklin

“ *Monique Franklin lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Monique Franklin - September 24, 2014 at 07:01 PM



Monique Franklin

“ *I remember hanging out at the house (Mrs. Emma), and the first time Meme came over to see Joe. She was always smiling when we were kids. God has called his smiling Angel home. She will never be forgotten!*

Monique Franklin - September 24, 2014 at 07:01 PM



MW

“ *Monica Works lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Monica Works - September 24, 2014 at 06:48 PM



MR

“ *Marsha' Reese lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



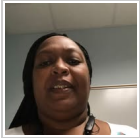
Marsha' Reese - September 24, 2014 at 06:44 PM

TR

“ Timothy & April Riggins lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



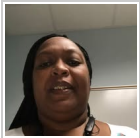
Timothy & April Riggins - September 24, 2014 at 06:34 PM



“ Tee Marie lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tee Marie - September 24, 2014 at 06:13 PM



“ Tee Marie lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tee Marie - September 24, 2014 at 06:11 PM

CJ

“ CAROLYN JONES lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



CAROLYN JONES - September 24, 2014 at 06:11 PM

CJ

*R.I.H. MY FRIEND MIMI YOU WILL BE FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS
AND JOE SHE WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU LOVE YOU MY
FRIEND*

CAROLYN JONES - September 24, 2014 at 06:15 PM

LH

“ *Latoshia Hubert lit a candle in memory of
Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Latoshia Hubert - September 24, 2014 at 05:56 PM

DW

“ *Public Information Officer D.L WATSON
May you rest in peace, God bless you*



DaWayne watson - September 24, 2014 at 05:54 PM

KL

“ *Kathryn And Lee lit a candle in memory of
Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Kathryn and Lee - September 24, 2014 at 05:29 PM

KA

“ Kat lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Kat - September 24, 2014 at 05:26 PM

SH

“ Shelia Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Shelia Hawkins - September 24, 2014 at 05:26 PM



“ Debra Smith lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Debra Smith - September 24, 2014 at 05:06 PM

TS

“ Tachelsha Spates lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tachelsha Spates - September 24, 2014 at 05:02 PM

AF

“ You will never be forgotten...smile on, Meme, smile on baby gurl...love Nen & Bill.



avril flemming - September 24, 2014 at 05:01 PM

MP

“ JOE MY PRAYERS ARE WITH BRUH DOIN THIS TIME OF BEREAVEMENT.MAY GOD GIVE YOU STRENGTH.MARCUS PERRY

MARCUS PERRY - September 24, 2014 at 05:00 PM

TT

“ May God Bless this family and RIP MeMe!
You will be greatly missed by many!



Termesa Taylor - September 24, 2014 at 04:38 PM

 Tee Gibson

“ Tee Gibson lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tee Gibson - September 24, 2014 at 04:36 PM

EF

“ *Emily Powell Littlejohn and Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins.*



Emily Powell Littlejohn and Family - September 24, 2014 at 04:31 PM

AD

“ *Alma Green- Dixon lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Alma Green- Dixon - September 24, 2014 at 04:24 PM

LE

“ *Our PRAYER'S go out to Joe, Joe-Joe and Jackie and the rest of their family. May GOD keep his arm's tightly around you all and give you some comfort in this time of need. I feel so lucky to have met and become friend's with Meme she had such a big heart and loved everyone. She will truly be missed BUT never forgotten.. R.I.P. Girlfriend*

Laura Espich - September 24, 2014 at 04:08 PM

LE

“ *Laura & Mark Espich lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Laura & Mark Espich - September 24, 2014 at 03:52 PM

CG

“ *Our prayers are with you*
Chastity Gibson & Kenny Holmes



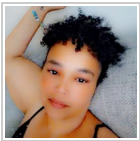
Chastity Gibson - September 24, 2014 at 03:36 PM

PA

“ *I still can see mama Hawkins dancing with jackie when she was called during last years chorus banquet when jackie went to get her award.*



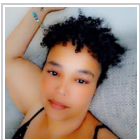
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“ *Adonna Anderson sent a virtual gift in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Adonna Anderson - September 24, 2014 at 03:30 PM



“ *Adonna Anderson lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Adonna Anderson - September 24, 2014 at 03:29 PM

SL

“ Susie Limorin lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Susie Limorin - September 24, 2014 at 03:22 PM

CC

“ Courtney Clark lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Courtney clark - September 24, 2014 at 03:01 PM

TF

“ The Mitchner,s Family lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



The Mitchner,s Family - September 24, 2014 at 02:55 PM

RP

“ Ronnetta Perry lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Ronnetta Perry - September 24, 2014 at 02:52 PM



“ *Candis Taylor lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Candis Taylor - September 24, 2014 at 02:37 PM



May God comfort you and your family!

Candis Taylor - September 24, 2014 at 03:49 PM



“ *I remember talking to yall in winndixie every chance i got homie keep up the legacy the lord wont put unto you what you cant handle love you all*

Harold Leake Jr. - September 24, 2014 at 02:08 PM



“ *Labara Vaneisa lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Labara Vaneisa - September 24, 2014 at 02:06 PM



“ *Shery Davis lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins*



Shery Davis - September 24, 2014 at 04:41 AM

TP

“ Tammy Williams Parris lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Tammy Williams Parris - September 24, 2014 at 04:18 AM

LL

“ Letha @ Emmett Lane lit a candle in memory of Demetrose "Mi Mi" Hawkins



Letha @ Emmett Lane - September 23, 2014 at 09:51 PM

AH

“ 4 files added to the album Love You



Albert Hawkins - September 23, 2014 at 07:36 PM

SH

“ 4 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Sandra Hawkins - September 23, 2014 at 07:21 PM