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**C**elebrating the Life of Shari T. Nakamura, age 54, of Honolulu, Hawaii. Passed away Wednesday, December 18, 2013. Shari was born on March 25, 1959 in Kahuku, Hawaii to Toranosuke and Haruyo Nakamura. She was the youngest of 4 children. She attended Kahuku High & Elementary, Kapiolani Community College, and the University of Hawaii-Manoa. Shari earned her high school diploma and her Bachelor's & Associates degree. She worked as a Human Resources Manager with Hawaii Family Dental Centers in Restaurant Row. She is survived by her brother, Ronald I. Nakamura; and sisters, Gail S. Yamanaka and Janis M. Otake. Her services will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at Hawaiian Memorial Park Mortuary. Visitation will be from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. and service will begin at 10:30a.m. Inurnment will follow at 1:00p.m. at Hawaiian Memorial Park Cemetery.



# Tribute Wall

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**Karen Caston** posted:

I worked with Shari in the mid-80s at Sprint. We moved to Seattle together for work and I got to know her more closely. She was a very kind and generous person and I feel lucky that she was a part of my life. She is someone I will always remember for her warm heart and sunny smile.

September 15 at 10:49 AM



**John Pak** lit a candle in honor of Shari.



May 27 at 9:36 AM

**JP** **John Pak** May 27 at 9:41 AM

I met Shari at the Shinshu Kyokai Dormitory when she stayed there for a short time. I remember a gentle personality and a friendly smile. Sorry to hear she's gone, much too soon. Belated condolences to her family.



**Keoki Mercado** lit a candle in honor of Shari.



January 19 at 1:47 PM



**Junebug** lit a candle in honor of Shari.



My condolences to the Nakamura Ohana. I've worked with Sheri at Hawaii Family Dental Centers-Waterfront. And have always made her laugh when we both talked with each other. I'll miss her lovely smile and friendship. She really helped H.F.D.C. a great deal. And I thank god that I had a chance to work with her. I'll miss her dearly. My prayers and blessing to all! With Love - JUNEBUG

January 11 at 10:17 AM



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JB

**June Bug** lit a candle in honor of Shari.

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January 11 at 9:55 AM



PR

**Patty Rabago** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

My deepest sympathy to the Nakamura family. Shari and I grew up together in Kahuku. She had a heart of gold. Sweet kind and always had a smile on her face. She will be deeply missed.Patty Rabago Pickard

January 10 at 6:24 PM



ZW

**Zenaida Molina Walker** posted:

I first met Shari when I was six and moved next door to her. We started off as neighbors, became friends and I can even say that I considered her to be my best friend. She had always been such a special friend that when I had my first child, I knew that Shari had to be godmother to my son and I was so happy when she agreed. It's not often that you meet a fine and such a good person in one's lifetime, but when Shari considered you a friend you knew that it was special. Good-bye my friend, I will never forget you and it was a privilege and blessing to have known you. Thank you for being my friend.

January 9 at 11:03 AM

CN

**Colleen Nakayama** posted:

Our heartfelt condolences to the Nakamura family. I worked with Shari many years ago in the Career Information Center through the Office of Vocational Education at UH Manoa. I will always remember her caring, soft spoken voice but most of all her friendship. She will be greatly missed. Keith & Colleen (Murayama) Nakayama

January 9 at 6:02 AM



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MS

**Maggie Sison** lit a candle in honor of Shari.

My heartfelt condolence to Shari's ohana. I worked with Shari at Fireman's Fund Insurance Company. She was a great personnel manager and a great friend. Rest in peace, rest in love, Shari.....you will be missed. Maggie Sison

January 9 at 12:10 AM



ST

**S.Tui** lit a candle in honor of Shari.

Shari was a kind gentle woman who always heard both sides to every story... Her voice and words of wisdom will be greatly missed.... So thankful that I was able to have known you.....Love you Shari

January 8 at 3:42 AM



MC

**Malie Chong** lit a candle in honor of Shari.

My Auntie Shari was the best auntie in the whole wide world--she was indeed my second MOTHER...not only to me, but to everyone who knew her...she would be kind to the most undeserving, unwilling and unsavory of humans...and WHY because of her gentle, pure spirit. And because of her own personal belief in the human soul being good and well deserving of blessings. I can't believe she's gone and I will never get used to it. I miss my Auntie deeply, dearly and oh so seriously. She has been with me my whole life...and she believed in me my whole life...even when I didn't believe in myself. She loved my kids like they were hers...whole heartedly and selflessly. She loved ME for ME...even after I told her all my dirty little secrets. She never judged me, she never hated me...she never doubted me. Life will never be the same.

January 7 at 9:31 AM



CP

**Caron-Lee Pastor** January 9 at 12:55 PM

Aloha Malie. I knew your aunt as she was my former manager. It is true that she always looked at the brighter side of things and always saw the good in people. Please know that she spoke highly of you and your accomplishments and was a very proud aunt. My heart goes to you and the rest of the Nakamura family.



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**Williams Family** posted:

I would like to offer my deepest sympathies to you. I know the pain of a broken heart. Our Heavenly Father feels our pain. Psalms 34:18 assures us that He is near to those broken at heart. He does, however, hold out a promise that in the very near future He will wipe out all tears of sorrow and pain from our eyes and death will be no more. (Revelation 21:3-5) He also promises to remember all those in the memorial tombs (graves) and restore them to life. (John 5:28,29) Until those words are fulfilled, may you find much peace and comfort in God and in His promises found in the Holy Scriptures.

January 1 at 10:34 PM



Patty Rabago shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

January 10 at 6:24 PM



Summer 2013 at Leiau Meatoga Redding's Wedding Reception



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