



## Aleta Marie Rhodes

October 8, 1948 - September 29, 2006

Aleta Marie Rhodes, born October 8, 1948 in Coffeyville, Kansas, went to be with the Lord on Friday, September 29, 2006. She retired in 2000, as Head of the Science-Biology Department at Edison High School. Aleta is survived by her mother, Doris Deane Rhodes; sister, Penelope Welch and husband Dr. Harold Thornton Welch III; nieces, Jennifer Leigh Brush, Joanna Adriane Sanchez and husband Arturo; also numerous cousins and legions of friends. Aleta is an elder at Boldtville, Presbyterian Church and a member of Windcrest Golf and Country Club.

# Tribute Wall

JL

“ I graduated from Thomas A. Edison in 1984. I was fortunate to meet Ms. Rhodes during my high school years. The world has suffered a terrible loss. My deepest condolences to all family and friends of Ms. Rhodes.

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**Jose Leija** - October 22, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ Congenial, assertive, pert, genuine...cherished cameo facets of Aleta, lifelong friend, former student, special blessing. Memories of her zest for accomplishment and vibrant, compassionate spirit live eternally in the heart.

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**Anne Catalani, English Dept.** - October 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ My prayers to the family and friends of Ms. Rhodes. May God Bless you. Ms. Rhodes was a dedicated and great teacher. She will be miss.

*EHS '87*

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**Lisa** - October 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Ms. Rhodes was a great science teacher that always kept me intrigued. I will always remember you!

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**Carlos Pena Jr.** - October 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ My deepest sympathy. Ms Rhodes will be greatly missed.  
c/o 1982

Sylvia Garza - October 10, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ My sympathies go to the family of Aleta Rhodes as they deal with the loss of her earthly life. She was a constant presence at Boldtville Presbyterian Church, "the little church in the wildwood", where I was baptized and confirmed. It sounds like her life

Patrick Merrifield - October 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ My deepest sympathy for Aleta's family. She was a wonderful, kind and generous person. We met through my Godmother many years ago. I remember when she got her drivers license. She was very much loved and a part of our family. She was always looking out

Claire Tomasini Segovia - October 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

HM

“ she was a great teacher who loved her job and her students it was a sad day when she retired in 2000 but its an even sadder day that she left this world in this way we will miss her and so will her family .

heather martinez - October 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ My deepest sympathies to Ms Rhodes family. She was a great teacher, and a wonderful person. There aren't many like her and she will be missed greatly.

Julie Sanchez  
EHS C/O 1997

Julie Sanchez - October 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ My deepest condolences to the family and loved ones of Ms. Rhodes. Ms. Rhodes was my Biology teacher at Edison, she was very patient with our class and made learning so much fun. She always knew how to grab our attention! All that had the pleasure of me

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**Cynthia Martinez** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I am so sorry I was out of town when Altea died. She was a wonderful lady, special friend, and my life has been blessed by her. LaVerne Brown, Windcrest Golf Club

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**LaVerne Brown** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ Miss Rhodes, I will miss you! Of all the teachers I had during my time at Edison, you were the most loved and respected. Everyone you taught learned much more than just how to dissect a "pickled" pig, they learned how to be the best person possible. Tha

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**Debby Landry-Rosenwald** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ My heart goes out to the entire family. Aleta was my anatomy teacher in high school and I had the pleasure of still getting to see her for years after that because of my job at Prudential. She will be greatly missed. She was always such a source of str

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**Laura Giordano** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ *Aleta, you are sunshine, you are the wind that comes upon us with a tingle of peace. Your smile, your personality, your friendliness, your composure, your love for everyone is going to be missed. You are with our Lord and can protect the many lives you ca*

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**Lorraine Dominguez** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KO

“ *Ms. Rhodes, thank you and bless you for being one of the guiding lights in this world. You helped all of us become the people that we are today. Thank you for being a friend and a teacher. We love you and will miss you.*

*Kathy  
c/o '94*

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**Kathy Searson Odam** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *My deepest sympathies go out to the family and friends of Ms. Rhodes. She was a great teacher and a wonderful role model. I always loved seeing her on game days with her black and gold t-shirt which read "I TEACH GREAT KIDS AT EDISON HIGH SCHOOL". She wil*

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**Rita Aguirre** - October 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ *My condolences to Aleta's family. She was a great teacher with a quick wit. She will be a great loss to this community. From the Villareal Family Letty'79, Janet'80, and Tim'86.*

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**Letty Villareal** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ I wish to express my sympathy to the family and friends of Aleta Rhodes. She was such a nice lady at church, and I know the loss of her will not be an easy cross to bear. May God bless all of you. And thank you, Deane Rhodes, for sharing your wonderful

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**Kris Merrifield** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Our family thought the highest of Aleta and always will. She will remain in our hearts and prayers along with her family. Our deepest sympathy to all who were affected by this great loss.

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**Meredith Busselmann** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Ms. Rhodes was an awesome person. I had her for Biology as a ninth grader...she helped me through the year. I went back to her for Biology 2 and was her student assistant for a year as well. She let me call her "Mom." That's how she was...you could count

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**Mary B. Briggs Garcia** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Aleta Marie Rhodes

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**Merlie Hempel** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Friends and family of Aleta Rhodes, I am so sorry to hear of her loss. She was truly a wonderful instructor. I am keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Elizabeth Roman-Class of 1991** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *Ms. Rhodes was a great biology/science teacher who I remember as a patient woman who believed every student can learn and who always went the extra mile for her students. She will be missed greatly.*

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**Julie Gallegos Garza** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *To the family and friends of Ms. Rhodes: I'm very sad to hear of your loss. May you all feel God's loving arms around you and be strengthened. It was a pleasure knowing Ms. Rhodes. I remember her as being so nice, so sweet. May she rest in peace.*  
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**Leticia Briseno Aguirre** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *Our condolences to all the relatives of Ms. Rhodes. Eric and I were former students of Edison H.S. c/o '91 and c/o 2000 Although I did not have her as my teacher I remember her being so helpful to everyone. She will surely be missed. My husband was one*

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**Cristina & Eric Perez** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ *My deepest regrets and sympathy to the family. She was a devoted teacher and role model*  
*Sincerly Maryrose Martinez Rodriguez class of 1979*

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**Maryrose Rodriguez** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ Ms. Rhodes was one of my coaches for Academic Decathlon, she was a wonderful person and very much loved! My prayers are with all the family that you may rest assured she is with her Heavenly Father now. Class of 2002.

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**Aida Vigil** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ My condolences to the Rhodes Family.  
Thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends at this time of sadness. She was a great teacher and inspiration to many.

*Edison class of 97*

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**June Reyes** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ I've not seen Aleta in a number of years...but remember our former times in high school....I played in the band with her at Sam Houston....she was a very sweet and kind person....very thoughtful...and with a sense of humor.....to Aleta's family .....May

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**Joy Heinemeyer Schwartz** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ My deepest sympathy to her family and especially her mother. I was a former student at Edison c/o 99 and I would always see her at HEB with her mother and everytime she saw me she said hi and asked how I've been. always with a smile on her face . MAy god

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**Cynthia Campos** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DO

“ I'd like to offer my sincerest condolences to the Rhodes family. As a former student, I greatly appreciated Ms. Rhodes genuineness, understanding and sense of humor. She was a great person to me and she will be sorely missed.

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**David Olveda** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I was shocked when I saw the news, I am sorry I cannot attend the funeral, my prayers are with the family, I loved playing golf with Aletha. She will be missed.

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**LAURA MARTINEZ** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ My deepest condolences to the family, friends and loved ones of Ms. Rhodes.

*I had her for Biology and she was a great inspiration to her students. She was patient, kind and stuck to her guns when she had to.*

*Even as squimish as I was about disec*

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**Cynthia Flores Martinez** - October 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

YE

“ I want to send my deepest sympathies to the family of Mrs. Rhodes, I had her for a class and I remember her being so passionate about her job. I really disliked science but she always seemed to make it fun and interesting for me. One of the main things that

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**Yvonne Estrada** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ My family has been in shock over the sudden death of Aleta Rhodes. I knew her through attendance at Boldtville Presbyterian Church, where she was a mover and a shaker, always a steadfast, faithful presence. The sight of Aleta, sitting near the front wit

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**Sandra Merrifield** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I feel truly blessed that my path and Aleta's path cross in 1990 at Edison High School. She was straightforward, fair, compassionate, endearing to all that met and knew her. Aleta was an excellent teacher, mentor and dept. chair. My condolences to all her fam

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**Brenda Bonsu** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ I had Ms. Rhodes for Biology and Anatomy, and I was her lab assistant for a semester as well. She was a good friend to us all, and I would visit her from time to time during college and even a few years afterward. She wrote most of my college recommenda

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**Sean Lackey** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Rhodes family at this tragic time. She was a true inspiration.

*Carol Warner Casey  
Class of 1980*

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**Carol Warner Casey** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Dearest Family,  
I would like to send my sincerest condolences from the Alva Family.  
My siblings and I had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Rhodes at  
Edison High School where she touched so many young lives. My  
fondest memories are the times spent joking arou

Desiree Alva - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ My condolences go out to the family and friends of this wonderful  
lady. The world has lost a great educator that will be missed by  
many. She cared for every student that went through her door and I  
am proud to say I was one of those fortunate students.

Refugio - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ I have fond memories of growing up in the Boldtville area with Aleta  
and her sister. Aleta will be so missed, she dedicated her life to  
teaching. My prayers are with her family during this time on need.  
God Bless.

Betty Halbardier Schwenn - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ My dearest condolences go out to Ms. Rhodes’s family and  
everyone who had the wonderful opportunity to have met such a  
wonderful women. I am honored to say that Ms. Rhodes was my  
teacher and one of my role models. I had Mr. Rhodes for at least  
one class e

Rose Hinojosa - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I would like to say Miss Rhodes was a great teacher i had the honor of learning from. Biology is not one of my best subjects but she managed to get me to learn something in class. I am sorry for your loss and feel like I have lost something from my past

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**Manuel Caballero** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GO

“ JANIS AND I PLAYED IN THE BAND WITH ALETA AND PENNY. TO THE RHODES FAMILY: OUR HEART ARE SADDENED FOR YOU. HOLD DEAR TO YOUR HEARTS ALL THE FOND MEMORIES YOU HAVE SHARED WITH ALETA AND ALWAYS REMEMBER HOW SHE HAS IMPACTED SO MANY OF HER FORMER CHEROKEE B

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**GAY LYNN BEABOUT O'NEAL** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Ms. Rhodes was one of the best teachers I have known and she was an even better person. Since graduating in 1982, I have had the privilege of working with her in her church work up until the present. I will greatly miss her.

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**Doug Dalglish** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ Im very sorry for your loss. She was the best Bio teacher ever...

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**Jeanette** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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**Jeanette** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ I thank God that I had the privilege to know and love you. You are a dear friend of a long, long time. See you.

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**Rose Hudson** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ My condolences go out to Ms Rhodes family. I had the privilege of having Ms. Rhodes for Academic Decathlon. She was a very sweet person who wanted the best for the students. May she rest in peace and many blessings to the family.

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**Laura Arocha** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ We join the countless individuals whose lives Aunt Aleta helped to mold and change for the better in sending our condolences and prayers.

We love you,  
Mike, Kristin, Mason, and Braden

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**Mike & Kristin Welch** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ We would like to send our deepest condolences to Aleta's family during this time. Aleta created an extended family at Edison High School during her teaching career, and we were blessed to make her acquaintance, learn from her, be her friend, her mentee a

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**Amy Kosler** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VS

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family and close friends of Ms. Rhodes. She was one of Edison's finest and left a lasting impression with me. I pray that you are comforted knowing what a wonderful teacher she was to so many students.*

*Veronica Serna-A*

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**Veronica Serna-Alonzo** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *I had the pleasure of teaching with Aleta for 14 years at Edison. Her compassion and exuberance made her wonderful to be around. I remember her with great fondness and send my condolences to her family on their great loss.*

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**Michelle LaFontain** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ *Heaven gets another great person & a good golfer. Hit'em long and straight. You will be missed!*

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**Cynthia Kirk-Dean** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *My deepest heartfelt sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Ms. Rhodes. She was a wonderful teacher who taught us so much about life in her Biology class. As I reflect upon my high school years at Edison I often remember the year I sat in her cl*

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**Ron Hesdorff** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ We have felt a great loss of a wonderful person and friend. Our heartfelt condolences and prayers go out to the family and her close friends of which there were many. Aleta was a very special person to both of us. We are going to miss her deeply and wi

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**Roy & Mary Hood** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ She was my best teacher about life not just Science.

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**Michael Mayo** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ My deepest sympathies for your loss. Ms. Rhodes was one of my coaches for Academic Decathlon--a sign of a dedicated teacher who took learning and teaching outside of the classroom. I was fortunate enough to know her as a coach and as an educator.  
Thom

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**Sandra Esquivel** - October 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VE

“ To the family of Ms. Rhodes,

*Ms Rhodes and my father Andrew Eckert used to rescue dogs at Edison High School. He was a custodian at Edison in the late 80's. Ms. Rhodes would hide the dogs in her office where her classroom was and my dad would pick the*

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**vickie eckert** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ How someone could do something so horrible to such a BEAUTIFUL person is beyond me Ms. Rhodes was one of the best teachers E.H.S ever had and she will be missed..my prayers go out to all who knew and loved Ms. Rhodes.

Jennnifer Correa  
Thomas Edison HS

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**Jennifer Correa** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ I wish to express my deepest condolences to her surviving family. I was heartbroken at the new of her tragic death. I graduated from Edison in 1993 and was fortunate to have had such an extraordinary teacher. She encouraged me to attend college and follo

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**Becky Castro-Delgado** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Aleta and her family. Our family knew Aleta through a mutual friend back in the 1960's and 70's. She was a very outgoing and considerate person. I will never forget her.

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**Steve&Mary Bennett** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LL

“ Ms. Rhodes was one of my favorite teachers at Edison. She had a caring personality, witty humor and universal wisdom. She always touched the lives of those who knew her. When she retired the field of education lost one its brightest lights, but the impact

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**Leif Lackey** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ To the family of Ms.Rhodes, My prayers are with you during this tragic loss. Ms. Rhodes taught me biology and anatomy during my 2 years at Edison. I was in the class of 1983. Although long ago I will never forget her. Ms. Rhodes was the best teacher I had

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**Clarissa** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ I am deeply saddened and heart-broken. Not only did we lose a great teacher but also a great friend. I was in her homeroom for 3 years. My heart goes out to her family. Barbara Messer-EHS Class of '79; Edison Alumni Association-VP

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**Barbara A Messer** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I was truly blessed to have Aleta as a science colleague and friend. Camping trips with her were such a treat. Her integrity and honesty were above reproach. She had a truly amazing sense of humor, and a plethora of interests. Her abundant faith in Go

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**Judy Mashburn** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JZ

“ Mrs. Rhodes changed my life. I moved to San Antonio from NYC as a lost teen in 1994. She helped set me straight and always motivated me to excel. She helped make me who I am today. She embodies all the great qualities of a teacher and great person. I

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**Jorge Zeledon-Castillo** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ Aleta was my mentor and my angel. She taught me how to be a teacher; be fair, tough, loving, be there for your students. Aleta made going to work fun and exciting. She was quite the practical joker as well and everyone loved her. She always called me her

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**Tanya DelValle Enriquez** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ i was so very sorry to hear of the loss of aleta she was a wonderful friend and classmate though i hadnt seen her in 30 yrs i still thought of her as a friend

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**ruby lawson collins** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

Jl

“ I was in the Sam Houston High School band with Aleta. I remember her as always friendly and always caring about others. My prayers are with her family and many friends at this difficult time.

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**Jane Wilson Ivers** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Although i never had Ms. Rhodes for class i knew many of my fellow peers who did and always heard of what a wonderful teacher and inspiration she was to her students. It is such a tragedy to have lost such an amazing and caring person in a time of such ch

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**Valerie Carreon Fuentes** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Aleta was our neighbor and friend in the back. My parents live behind her. She was a wonderful friend over all the years. She's supported all my school fundraisers as I grew up, even buying Girl Scout fundraisers. Poor Aleta even had to endure my prac

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**Merry Grace Martin** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ Please accept my deepest sympathies for the loss of this wonderful lady. I was one of the many students she touched. She was one of the best! I have never forgotten her and still think of her to this day. She demanded a lot from her students and yet she w

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**Rose Ann Akeroyd** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Aleta never knew a stanger. As fairly new members of the Windcrest Golf Club, Aleta made us feel welcome and always had a funny story to share at the end of a day on the course! Her energy and kindness will be missed, but the memories and stories she lea

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**Jeff, Lisa and Jessica Borth** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Ms. Rhodes was an amazing person, and she had a smile and personality that would light up any room. Our community and those who love her have suffered a tremendous loss. May God be with those who were close to her and give them the peace that they need

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**Monica Robles** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I had Ms. Rhodes my Freshman and Junior year in high school at Edison. She was the kindest and most straight forward person I knew. I could always come to her with my issues and know she would give me the best advice. I wish I could have talked to her

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**Jennifer Campos** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *Deepest Sympathies from my family to yours. A great teacher will be missed in the community.*

Abigail Moreno - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family in this time of sadness. God Bless You. Class of '87*

Moreno-Kruizenga - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ *Condolences to the family. You will be missed. Godspeed. From Paul GalvanBiggie Paul class of 88-89*

PAUL GALVAN - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ *Aleta & I used to joke around about our names when she would come into HEB #21. She was a wonderful person whom the world will truly miss. My prayers are with her family.*

Aleta Partridge-Worden - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *I never left Ms. Rhodes! Class of 95*

Carmen M. Aranda - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ *Aleta was a wonderful, loving friend, and I will miss her dearly. She could tell a story that would keep you spell bound. She was funny to the point, that she could have been a successful stand up comic. She would go out of her way to help someone, and wou*

Georgia Robbins - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

NJ

“ I love you all and will be thinking of you. My fondest memories are of Texas, Bandero, spinning on a merry go round, Aleta and all the family.

*With you in my prayers, Nancy*

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**NANCY JENSEN** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ To the family and friends of Aleta Rhodes, please accept my deepest sympathies. I am still in shock over this saddening news. I am a former student of hers and truly enjoyed having her as a teacher. I remember that she was devoted to her profession and

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**Dawn Driscoll** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Penny and Family, I was so sad to hear about Aleta. I will always remember her as Penny's wonderful little sister. I think about you often. Janice Hopkins McDonald

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**Janice Hopkins McDonald** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EV

“ Aleta will be missed by so many people. She was my mentor, but most she was my friend. When I was teaching Biology at Edison High School she was always willing to help and always had something funny to say...that was Aleta! You will be missed. The Lor

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**Esther Villegas** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ *Aleta was a light in my life for so many years. A better friend and person I will never find. I will never forget her. I know she is with the Lord and I hope that I will see her again in the hereafter*

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**Burwin Atkinson** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Please accept my deepest sympathies for the loss of this wonderful lady. She was my biology teacher back in the early 80's and she was truly one of the best! She was fun and yet tough! I enjoyed her class immensely and am deeply saddened by her untimely*

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**Mary Simmons** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ *To all of Aleta's family: She was a remarkable, caring friend. I am blessed to have known such a wonderful person. She was an inspiration to the teaching field. We will miss her happiness. God bless all of you. Essie Rodriguez*

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**Essie Rodriguez** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to the family of Ms. Rhodes. I graduated from Edison High School in 1994 and was fortunate enough to have taken her class as a freshman for biology, and again as a junior for anatomy. She made learning fun, and always enco*

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**Chris Perez** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ i graduated in 99.and some of my most wonderful times i spent at edison was in ms rhodes class. as i saw the news about what had happen it was very hard for me to believe it. ms rhodes has alot to do with my life and how i make my decisions in life and t

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**richard indio aguilar** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ My Deepest sympathies go out to Aleta's famiy. I was in the Cherokee Band at Sam Houston High School with Aleta. She was a very sweet person  
May God Bless each of you.  
Lynda Bradford May

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**Lynda May** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ It's so sad what happen to Ms. Rhodes she will always be remembered as a great educator. Her humor will also be missed.

Joe class of 2000

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**Joe Michael Gauna** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ I was also in the Cherokee Band at Sam Houston High School with Aleta. I haven't seen her in many years but I still remember her well. Deepest Sympathy to Aleta's family and God bless you all at this time of extreme sadness.

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**Beverly Bradford Deaton** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ To the family of Ms. Rhodes, my condolences. Ms. Rhodes was an inspiration to us all not only as an educator but as friend to animals as well. Bubba has his friend up there with him now. Thanks Ms.Rhodes will see you when we get there.

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**William Joseph Luna** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ Ms. Rhodes a loved teacher and freind to the all her students you will be missed, Class of 2000!!

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**Alfredo I. Gonzalez** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Sorry to hear about the tragic death of a great and special teacher. I was a former student of Ms. Rhodes, it was always fun and exciting in her class. She always had a way of helping students learn and appreciate and have the understanding of the importa

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**Patricia Alvarez** - October 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM