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**From:** Haley, Nikki  
**Sent:** Saturday, August 1, 2015 7:29 PM  
**To:** Haltiwanger, Katherine  
**Subject:** Re: Marlboro County Sheriff's Office Deputy

Let me know when we will be lowering the flags. We will need his bio and a picture. So sad he had only been on the streets 8 days. Thanks.

Sent from my iPad

On Aug 1, 2015, at 5:58 PM, Haltiwanger, Katherine <[KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov](mailto:KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Smith, Leroy" <[LeroySmith@SCDPS.GOV](mailto:LeroySmith@SCDPS.GOV)>  
**Date:** August 1, 2015 at 2:15:43 PM PDT  
**To:** "Haltiwanger, Katherine" <[KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov](mailto:KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: Marlboro County Sheriff's Office Deputy

This will be a line of duty death. Although the deputy has not been to the CJA to complete his 12-week academy training, he would have had twelve months to complete said CJA training.

Leroy

Director Smith - SCDPS

On Aug 1, 2015, at 4:55 PM, Haltiwanger, Katherine <[KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov](mailto:KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov)<<mailto:KatherineHaltiwanger@gov.sc.gov>>> wrote:

Director,

Based on the information below, sounds like it could be considered a line of duty death. Can you confirm that it will be treated as such or do I need to reach out to the Sheriff's Association?

Sorry to hear of this; I will make sure to tell the Governor.

Katherine

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On Aug 1, 2015, at 2:17 PM, Burns, James <[JamesBurns@gov.sc.gov](mailto:JamesBurns@gov.sc.gov)<<mailto:JamesBurns@gov.sc.gov>>> wrote:

Know you are in California, but wanted to pass this along. Contact info for family at the end.

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From: "Smith, Leroy" <[LeroySmith@SCDPS.GOV](mailto:LeroySmith@SCDPS.GOV)<<mailto:LeroySmith@SCDPS.GOV>>>  
Date: August 1, 2015 at 4:14:04 PM EDT  
To: "[jamesburns@gov.sc.gov](mailto:jamesburns@gov.sc.gov)<<mailto:jamesburns@gov.sc.gov>>"  
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Subject: Marlboro County Sheriff's Office Deputy

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On July 20, 2015, at 1540 hours, L/Cpl. P. R. Gardner (SCHP) responded to a single vehicle collision on US 15 in Marlboro County involving a Marlboro County Deputy. Deputy Gary W. Deaver was driving a 2009 Dodge SUV south on US 15 during a heavy rain while on duty. Deputy Deaver lost control of the vehicle and hydroplaned off the left side of the roadway into a ditch and then overturned several times. Deputy Deaver sustained minor injuries and was treated and released from Mcleod ER. The passenger of the vehicle, Deputy Delton Daniels, was admitted to Mcleod hospital for his injuries. He was not wearing his seatbelt at the time of the collision and was partially ejected from the vehicle. Marlboro County Coroner, Tim Brown, was notified on 08-01-2015 at 0125 hours by the McLeod Hospital staff that Deputy Daniels died as a result of his injuries sustained during the collision. Deputy Daniels had been hospitalized at Mcleod Hospital since the collision.

Deputy Daniels (deceased) was recently hired by the Marlboro County Sheriff's Office and was in field training. His first day of service was July 12, 2015, according to his father, Mr. Mark Daniels.

Mr. Mark Daniels (Father)

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Deputy Delton Daniels (Deceased)

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