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Barbara A. Thomas (Stinson) born March 19, 1958 passed away unexpectedly on October 17, 2017. She had a genuine heart, a love for life, and a wonderfully contagious laugh. She was loved by all who met her and she will be missed dearly. Barb graduated from Orchard View in 1976, and has lived in the Muskegon area her whole life. She is survived by her wife of 31 years, Julienne Little; her children, Michael Ann Thomas, Alexander Thomas, Madison Thomas-Little, and Grace Thomas-Little; five grandchildren, Jase Thomas, Kade Thomas, Amalia Barge, Taya Thomas, and Ella Thomas; as well as her sisters, Terri Crabtree (Rhonda Cleveland) and Patricia Stinson (Paula Lepping); and several nieces and nephews. There will be a Celebration of Barb's Life on Saturday, October 21, 2017 at the Trillium Banquet Hall (17246 Van Wagoner Rd., Spring Lake, MI 49456) from 12noon to 3 PM along with a Celebratory Ceremony of her life at 12:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to Every Woman's Place or the Noah Project. Please feel free to visit the family's online guestbook at www.sytsemafh.com.



Events

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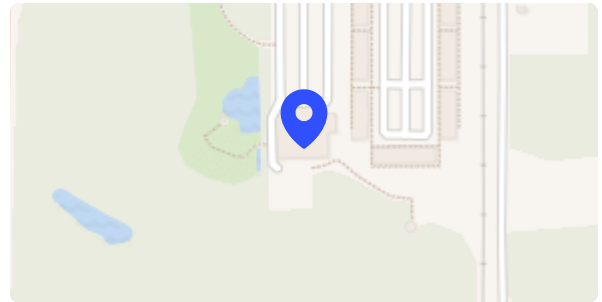
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Celebration of Life Gathering

 **Saturday**, October 21, 2017


 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET

 **Trillium Banquet and Conference Center**
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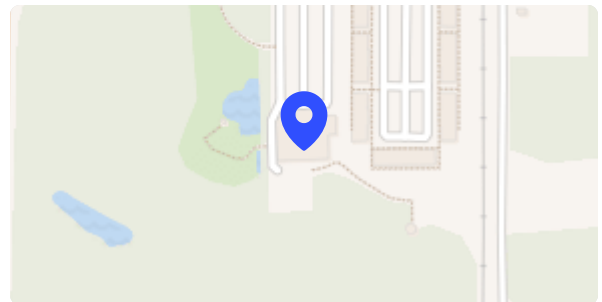


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SV

Stephen Vandewalker posted:

Julienne, what a heart breaking loss for you and your family. Theresa's and my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time.

October 23 at 6:45 AM

JL

Jackie Lindrup posted:

A lovely lady with a great senses of humor! We worked together in the dental field years ago. Peace to you and lots of love. Jackie (Balcom) Lindrup RDH, MEd.

October 22 at 1:08 PM

HE

Helen posted:

Barb, you will always be remembered as a kind and giving person. Love, Helen Peterson and Sparky Taylor

October 20 at 1:22 PM



Lorine Guzman posted:

what a beautiful woman you are. Having shared my life with you has meant alot to me. You have shared lots of love and kindness that will always be in my memories. May the lord lift the hurt from the hearts of everyone you have touched.Your family and school friend lorine (crabtree) guzman.

October 20 at 7:12 AM

CS

Craig Siskonen posted:

Julienne, I am so sad to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.Craig Siskonen

October 20 at 6:30 AM

JN

John & Kathryn Nash posted:

Condolences sent to the family of Barbara. She was a fun loving person & we remember her fondly from her days at Orchard View. Hold tightly to precious memories.

October 19 at 6:19 PM



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Don Hutchens posted:

Julienne,I pray that you find comfort in the outpouring of love you receive during this difficult time.I never met Barb but heard you speak of her often and was always impressed with your care, kindness, and love for her. Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you or your family.Don Hutchens

October 19 at 12:29 PM



Jennifer Vanvoorst posted:

Dr. Little and family,I am so sorry for your loss. Barbara was a beautiful and joyful person whose attitude spread through everyone she met. May the happy memories be foremost in your minds and hearts.May compassion and peace surround you during your time of grief!Jennifer

October 19 at 8:05 AM



Jo Bucy lit a candle in honor of Barbara.

Dr. Little,I'm so sorry for your loss. I am praying for all hearts invovled. May God comfort you all through this. May the Holy Spirit give you such peace that surpasses all understanding. Barb was a beautifu Lady and will be missed. We love you and are praying for you.



October 19 at 4:36 AM



Linda Christensen October 19 at 4:58 AM

Spending prayers to you Jules & the rest of the family. ..so sad



Aunt Mary lit a candle in honor of Barbara.

Julienne my heart breaks for you and your family. May God give you comfort and strength in knowing Barb is with her Mom again.



October 18 at 8:34 PM



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MR

Miya Rollenhagen posted:

I had the pleasure of having Madison and Grace as students in dance and gymnastics at my facility. It was so fun to see Barb and Dr. Little beaming with pride! My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Sincerely, Miya Rollenhagen & your friends at Cassell Gymnastics & Dance

October 18 at 6:41 PM

BF

Bobbi Jo French lit a candle in honor of Barbara.

Dr. Little, Madison, Grace and the rest of Barbs precious family, I am so very saddened and heart broken for your loss. Just know my heart goes out to each and everyone of you. I pray that the Good Lord give you all strength in this time of need.



October 18 at 6:02 PM

LP

Lisa (Tovey) Peterson posted:

Dr. Little I am so sorry to hear of her passing. Many prayers to you and family .

October 18 at 4:29 PM



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TV

Tamela Haas Vryhof lit a candle in honor of Barbara.

To a wonderful woman full of life that ended to soon. Had a great time at our class reunion last year sitting with her and meeting her wife. My prayers go out to the entire family for your loss. RIP Barb



October 18 at 4:09 PM

TT

Tammy Tortorelli October 19 at 5:16 PM

Julienne and family, so sorry to hear of your loss. The things I remember most is that Barb showed such great love to Jeff and Tammy (as you all did/do). I also remember the years that she put together the shows that were special to our community, those were great times and good memories. Tammy Tortorelli

SB

Sally And Rodger Barveld October 19 at 4:16 AM

Julienne our heart aches for you and your family. Many prayers are being said for you and your family. May God ease your heartache and comfort your family. We are here for you if you need anything please know that we are here for any of you. Love Sally and Rodger Barveld

BO

Barb Ogborn October 19 at 3:45 AM

As a childhood friend of the Stinson girls my heart is hurting for you all during this very difficult time. Terri and Pat, I cannot imagine the pain you are going through. I know you will miss your wonderful sister terribly. In time, you will be able to look back on all the wonderful memories you have of your beautiful families. Julienne, I am so sorry for your loss. Thank you for being the best half Barb could have asked for. Your examples of Kindness, Love and Family have touched more people than you could ever imagine. Two beautiful souls continue to be one; just one is now A Guardian Angel watching over you until you meet again. To her children and grandchildren, know that your Mom and Grandmother's love will live in your hearts forever. Barb was such a beautiful soul; full of Life, Love and Laughter. She was blessed beyond words. May She Forever Rest In Peace. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. May Our Dear Lord comfort each one of you and provide you with the strength you need to get through this difficult time...



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Barbara by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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