



## Candice Davis

September 5, 1957 - March 3, 2012

Candice R. Davis, 54, of Benton Harbor died Saturday, March 3, 2012 at her home.

Services celebrating her life will be held at 11 AM on Wednesday, March 7, at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service in Benton Harbor. Burial will follow in Crystal Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends and relatives from 5 PM to 8 PM on Tuesday at the Fairplain Chapel. Memorials in her memory may be given to the family. Please share memories, messages or photos at [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net).

Candice was born September 5, 1957 in Redwood City, CA to Ronald and Peggy Smith. She had been employed at Harding's in Coloma. She enjoyed crocheting and everyone who met her always liked her. Candice's life evolved around her children and her grandchildren and she was a loving mother and grandmother.

She is survived by her children, Sara (David Jackson) Zavoral, Dawn (Randy Allen) Zavoral, and Rebecca (Joshua Admave) Zavoral. all of Benton Harbor; her brothers, Richard (Brenda) Smith of CO, Brett (Crystal) Smith of Benton Harbor and Bruce (April) Smith of Rolling Prairie, IN; her sister, Rhonda Smith of Loveland, CO; her grandchildren, Kendrick, Grace, Carly, KaLynn, Kenya, and R. J. and her best friend, Joseph Gonzalez. She was preceded in death

by her parents and her step-father, Kenneth Stutzman.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
1053 East Napier Avenue  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
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## Service

MAR 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KZ

“ HEY MOMMO MISS YOU LIKE CRAZY BUT YOUR HELPING US LIKE CRAZY GETTING THREW IT.WE ALL MISS YOU VERY MUCH AND ITS REALLY GOOD TO KNOW WE HAVE A VERY PRETTY,LOVING,AND CARING ANGEL WATCHING US EVER SECOND.LOVE YOU MOMMO!

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**Kenya Zavoral** - December 14, 2013 at 09:31 AM

RZ

“ LOVE AND MISS YOU LIKE CRAZY MOMMA! IT HELPS KNOWING WE HAVE A BEAUTIFUL ANGEL WATCHING OVER US FROM UP ABOVE!

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**Rebecca Zavoral** - December 14, 2013 at 09:18 AM

KZ

“ HEY MOMMO I LOVE YOU AND IT WAS HARD MAKING IT PAST THESE HOLIDAYS WITHOUT YOU.BUT YOU GUIDE US THROW THEM AND I MISS EVER THING ABOUT YOU LIKE ALMOST PRETTY MUCH LIVING WITH YOU.WE WERE REALLY CLOSE AND I LOVE YOU WITH ALL MY HEART. WE ALL MISS YOU BUT WERE GETTING THROW IT BECAUSE WE KNOW YOU AREN'T SICK ANYMORE AND WITH MORE PEOPLE YOU LOVE.WE WILL SEE YOU SOME DAY AND BE JUST AS HAPPY,FREE AND NOT SICK ANYMORE JUST LIKE YOU ARE RIGHT KNOW.IT'S BEEN HARD THESE COUPLE PAST DAYS BUT WERE GETTING THROW THEM. LOVE YOU MOMMO

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**KENYA ZAVORAL** - November 28, 2013 at 09:45 PM

RZ

“ Momma I know you are with us in our time of need, you are our angel & now more than ever I need you and the perfect Lord above to be with your baby Sara ! She has had a prayer answered , and with all of our prayers , and ALL the help from up above her most secret dream can and will come true ! I have all the faith in the world in my people up above that EVERYTHING is gonna be alright and more perfect than ever ! Please make sure she is surrounded by angels keeping her safe and well until she makes it through her time of need ! I LOVE AND MISS YOU WITH ALL MY HEART MY ANGEL !

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Rebecca Zavoral - November 07, 2012 at 02:41 PM

RZ

“ Momma you won ur case babydoll , sorry it's too late for u to enjoy it ! I hope you know how much I miss u & wish u were here... I know you were with me yesterday & I thank you for that ,i needed you! I should have known you've never let me down before, I LOVE YOU MOMMA HUGS & KISSES MY ANGEL

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rebecca zavoral - October 11, 2012 at 06:28 AM



BE

“ *HAPPY BIRTHDAY MOMMA, THANK YOU FOR SENDING AN ANGEL TO WATCH OVER OUR BABIES AT SCHOOL THEY HAD A GOOD FIRST DAY! I MISS U SO MUCH BUT I THANK GOD WE HAVE U TO WATCH OVER THE KIDS WHEN WE CANT PLEASE MAKE SURE WE HAVE AN ANGEL WATCHING OVER GRACIE UNTIL SHE GETS BACK TO HER OLD HAPPY SELF WITHOUT WORRIES I LOVE U SOOOO MUCH MY ANGEL HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!*

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**Becki** - September 05, 2012 at 06:40 AM

RA

“ *Hi mom, I know you are having a good time up there reunited with your parents. I just wanted you to know that your girls are very strong women and I will make sure to be there whenever they need me. We are very excited to say that you brought your mother a nice headstone and you have a beautiful one too. Your grandkids are doing fine and we all miss you. Well, I'll let you go back to having fun in heaven and we all will see you again someday. I really miss you and I will always love you!!!! Goodbye Mom for now.*

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**Randy Allen** - August 05, 2012 at 10:13 AM

DZ

“ *hey Momma I love you and miss you more and more every day..life will never be the same without you...but us girls all stuck together and picked you out the perfect stone and you got your Momma one too...I know you would be very proud of us..love you with all my heart*

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**Dawn Zavoral** - August 05, 2012 at 10:00 AM

RG

“ MOMMA you would be sooo proud of the headstone you got our precious GRAN it has been almost 11 years and I know thats what you wanted if it was the last thing you did, and as sad as it sounds it is the last thing you did my love! You made your MOMMA and our GRAN proud as she can be! and as for you my dear you have a beautiful one comming too! It might not be ready for your birthday but by fall your girls will bring your MOMMA and my MOMMA some beautiful flowers to both of your new beautiful stones !!!

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REBECCA ZAVORAL & GIRLS - August 04, 2012 at 05:27 PM

RZ

“ Mom as much as my heart aches right now knowing I can't just pick up the phone to tell you I love you I am sure you know I do.I have to be happy for you knowing your now in the arms of an angel, I just hope when it's my time you can be my angel and I can be in the arms of you!!!! miss you so much and just hope you know you were my BESTFRIEND and a PERFECT MOMMA !!!

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Rebecca Zavoral - July 04, 2012 at 03:24 PM

RZ

“ Mom I miss u so much u believe how much I wish u were here just to hold your hand and tell u how much I need u in my life just to hold me when I cry and give me your advise with our girls, I really hope u knew how much u held us together and u were our everything u created the women and mothers we are now I hope your proud the good lord could not have created a more perfect person I love yoi! !

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rebecca zavoral - July 03, 2012 at 02:38 PM

RZ

“ Mom I miss u so much u believe how much I wish u were here just to hold your hand and tell u how much I need u in my life just to hold me when I cry and give me your advise with our girls, I really hope u knew how much u held us together and u were our everything u created the women and mothers we are now I hope your proud the good lord could not have created a more perfect person I love yoi! !  
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**rebecca zavoral** - July 03, 2012 at 02:38 PM

DZ

“ hi mommy i love you so much and miss you more every day.....happy late mothers day it wasnt the same without you...but i guess my life will never be the same again..I LOVE YOU MY MOTHER,MY BEST FRIEND, AND MY ROLE MODEL have Jesus give you a big hug and kiss for me <3<3

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**Dawn Zavoral** - May 15, 2012 at 01:00 PM

RZ

“ Mom we all missed you on mothers day ,wish you could have been here in person ,but I know you were here in spirit! It's not the same without you ,we made sure your grave looks beautiful though! So I know i'm late but HAPPY MOTHERS DAY to the most perfect mother god ever created! I LOVE AND MISS YOU WITH ALL MY HEART !!!

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**Rebecca Zavoral** - May 15, 2012 at 11:42 AM

CZ

“ HI GRANDMA ITS ALMOST MY BIRTHDAY,I WISH YOU COULD BE HERE BECAUSE MY GREATEST TIMES WERE WITH YOU ! I LAUGHED AND SMILED WITH YOU, BUT SADLEY FOR ME GOD TOOK YOU FROM ME AND BLESSED YOU WITH HIM! BUT I CANT BE MAD HE MUST HAVE NEEDED YOU MORE THAN I DID! I LOVE AND MISS YOU EVEN MORE , I WILL NEVER EVER FORGET YOU MY LOVE!



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**CARLY ZAVORAL** - May 07, 2012 at 08:43 PM

KZ

“ HI MOMOO I WAS JUST THINKING ABOUT YOU AND I WANTED TO TELL YOU THAT I LOVE YOU SO MUCH! I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU AND WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU!NO ONE CAN REPLACE YOU I JUST WONT YOU TO NO THAT I WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU THIS IS YOUR BABY KENYA



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**KENYA ZAVORAL** - May 07, 2012 at 08:34 PM

RZ

“ Mom I don't know that I will be able to post anything on mothers day, so I just want to say **HAPPY MOTHERS DAY ! I thank GOD for blessing me with you ! HE could not have created a more perfect mother for me than you, thank you! I thank GOD that I was able to share the time he gave us with eachother and I hope I can make you proud of me! But I was raised by the greatest mother that GOD created so I hope I can be the daughter you wanted me to be! I LOVE YOU WITH ALL MY HEART, HAPPY MOTHERS DAY MOMMY!**



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**Rebecca Zavoral** - May 07, 2012 at 07:42 PM

DZ

“ **HI MOMMA ...I LOVE YOU SO MUCH AND MISS YOU MORE AND MORE EACH DAY...I KEEP THINKING YOU ARE GOING TO CALL ME OR WALK THRU THE DOOR.. THEN IT HITS ME... YOUR NOT.. I LOVE YOU SO MUCH AND MISS YOU**



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**Dawn Zavoral** - April 25, 2012 at 01:34 PM

RZ

“ **Rebecca Zavoral lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis**



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**Rebecca Zavoral** - April 25, 2012 at 12:42 PM

RZ

“ I don't know how often anyone looks at this, but I know every morning since it's been up, even if I don't leave a message I pull this page up to look at her beautiful face , give her a kiss, and tell her good morning. And if anyone sees this and can contribute the smallest amount to help fill this heart to keep this tribute wall up forever if possible it would be greatly appreciated! I know it has been helping me with my healing process, but if not for me her grandkids would be able to get on to tell her about things they would love to be able to talk to her about and can't! They are younger now but what about graduation day, first date, wedding! I don't want to ever see this go away now that she's gone this is as close as we can get to talking to her face to face, so if anyone can help please do we have 13 days! I LOVE YOU MOMMA AND I MISS YOU SOOO MUCH!



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Rebecca Zavoral - April 25, 2012 at 12:15 PM

RZ

“ I just have to say I LOVE AND MISS YOU MOMOO, GRANDMA, GRAMMIE from your grandbabies KENDRICK, GRACE, CARLY, KaLYNN, KENYA & R.J



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Rebecca Zavoral - April 18, 2012 at 02:25 PM

RZ

“ Hi MOMMA I was just thinkin about you my angel . . . I wish you were here hangin out on the stoop with me waiting for the kids to get home !We all miss you so much it still seems so unreal that you won't be comming over anymore for coffee or sleepovers or just to hang out I still don't believe it! Maybe that's whats helping me keep it together I don't know! What I do know is I LOVE YOU more than any words could ever say ! And you have been and always will be my BESTFRIEND you are my ANGEL I LOVE YOU!!!



Rebecca Zavoral - April 18, 2012 at 02:20 PM

JP

“ Candi- You were a beautiful mother, grandma, daughter, sisiter , brother, and friend.. There is not much bad many people can say about you in life.. I loved you to death. You always were so caring and giving to everyone you came across. Most of all you were one of the best moms i have met in life. No matter what them girls went through or put you through you were always there, and thats how moms are suppose to be.. You were there best friends. Reach down and touch them and help them have peace to heal. You will never be forgotten and always loved by many. Rest and be at peace which you are very deserving of honey. I keep the girls in my prayers for ya every night.... Love you Jonette

Jonette Purtha - April 13, 2012 at 12:16 PM

JP

“ Jonette Purtha lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis



Jonette Purtha - April 13, 2012 at 12:09 PM

DZ

“ Mom, its me again I just want to talk to you....but most of all I want to hear your voice..I miss you so much you were my best friend and always will be..my heart will never be whole again you took a little piece with you when you left..but I love you very much.you are my sunshine and i miss you more than words could ever say



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**Dawn Zavoral** - April 13, 2012 at 08:56 AM

RZ

“ Mom I must be feeling selfish right now I almost dont know what to say because I talk to you all the time and I know you hear me but I dont think its fair because I cant hear you talk back to me...I know what I think you would be sayin but I feel cheated because I cant hear you and I think you were taken from me WAY too soon! And I know everything happens for a reason but im angry that you were taken from me because I need you! and I know thats stupid because you feel no pain and your happy and with the ones that had you feeling this way when they were taken from you, so I have to be happy for you!but im still so angry because I dont wet know how to go on without my MOMMA! I LOVE YOU !!! AND MISS YOU EVEN MORE !!!



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**Rebecca Zavoral** - April 11, 2012 at 07:09 AM



“ MOM I WISH YOU WERE HERE SO I COULD JUST HUG AND KISS YOU AND SQUEEZE YOU TIGHT. I MISS YOU , IWISH YOU COULD JUST HOLD ME WHILE I CRY MYSELF TO SLEEP AT NIGHT. BUT I KNOW THATS NOT FAIR BECAUSE YOUR HEALTHY AND HAPPY NOW! You were my girls bestfriend and they miss you!When you left you took the greatest piece of my heart with you because it was you!BUT I PROMISE YOU I WILL BE STRONG FOR THE KIDS AS THEY WERE FOR ME.AND IF I CAN BE HALF THE MOM YOU WERE,I CAN MAKE THE KIDS HAPPY AND PROUD!SO THANK YOU MOMMA FOR JUST BEING YOU, THE BEST! I LOVE YOU



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**REBECCA ZAVORAL** - March 28, 2012 at 07:38 AM

DZ

“ Mom,I know you want us all to be happy for you...and i am but I feel you left us too soon...what I would only give for one more hug or one more kiss and to tell you how much I love you one more time but...I know one more would never be enough..I love you and miss you, my beautiful wonderful Mom...



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**Dawn Zavoral** - March 24, 2012 at 09:28 AM

JS

“ Jaylen Sulton lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis



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**Jaylen Sulton** - March 22, 2012 at 03:44 PM

RZ

“ MOM I JUST HOPE U KNOW HOW BEAUTIFUL U ARE TO EVERYONE U EVER MET I MISS YOUR VOICE & SMILING FACE YOUR ON MY MIND & IN MY HEART ALWAYS I LOVE YOU !!

REBECCA ZAVORAL - March 21, 2012 at 07:25 AM

JM

“ Johnnie Morris lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis



johnnie morris - March 20, 2012 at 10:40 AM

DZ

“ MOM I WAS JUST THINKING ABOUT YOU THIS MORNING...AND THINKING HOW MUCH I MISSED YOU..LOVE YOU WITH ALL MY HEART MOMMY AND YOU ARE IN MY HEART FOREVER.....



Dawn Zavoral - March 20, 2012 at 08:56 AM

CS

“ Charline Sikes lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis



charline sikes - March 17, 2012 at 06:01 PM

KF

“ *Kristin Fuller lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis*



Kristin Fuller - March 17, 2012 at 03:48 PM

KF

“ *i remember when i lost my mom, Candice gave me a kiss on my cheek. & said honey it will b fine. that meant alot to me. she is one of the nicest and most beautiful women I've met in my life.. u r greatly missed.*

Kristin Fuller - March 17, 2012 at 03:47 PM

SZ

“ *Mom I love you with all my heart and it is broke without you.but I will be strong for you*



Sara Zavoral - March 17, 2012 at 01:35 PM

DZ

“ *Mom I love and miss you very much.. You were my best friend and always will be..When you left you took a piece of my heart with you...I know you are happy and healthy now but you will always be missed and never ever forgotten..Love you always<3<3*



Dawn Zavoral - March 16, 2012 at 04:10 PM

RA

“ Dear Mom we miss you very much and we love you!!!! You will always be in our memories!!!



Randy Allen - March 16, 2012 at 03:50 PM

RZ

“ Candices grandchildren need your help to fill her heart so this tribute wall can be shared forever !



rebecca zavoral - March 15, 2012 at 10:24 PM

RZ

“ Mom you will Always be our angel in our hearts forever! never forgot & always in our hearts &in our heahearheart



rebecca zavoral - March 15, 2012 at 03:43 PM

JR

“ JIM ROMEO lit a candle in memory of Candice Davis



JIM ROMEO - March 05, 2012 at 03:24 PM