



## Carla Jean Sirk

September 14, 1961 - July 22, 2010

Benton Harbor – Carla Jean Sirk, 48, of Benton Harbor, passed away early Thursday, July 22, 2010, at her home.

Funeral services celebrating her life will be held at 10:00 A.M., Monday, July 26 at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service, 1053 E. Napier Ave, in Benton Harbor with Chaplin Scott Labbe officiating. Burial will follow at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in Sodus. Visitation will be held from 3:00 to 6:00, Sunday afternoon, at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Lakeland Hospice. Messages of condolence may be sent to [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net).

Carla was born September 14, 1961, in Berrien Springs to Paul and Bonnie Holly. She worked at the Plaza Shell station in Benton Harbor for many years. Previously she worked as a Health Aide at Berrien General Hospital in Berrien Center. Carla married Rich Sirk on May 4, 1999. Carla will be remembered as a “simple person who enjoyed the simple things in life.” She enjoyed collecting light houses and listening to country music. Carla enjoyed being with and helping people from all walks of life. Most of all, Carla cherished time spent with her family including her husband, children, and grandchildren.

Carla is survived by her husband, Richard Sirk; daughter Jacqueline (Lonnie Cobb) Caprez; step-daughter, Serena (Jason) Jenkins; grandchildren, Shelby and Scott Jr. Caprez; brothers, Paul (Diane), Rick (Pauline), Tim (Carolyn)

and James (Jocelyn) Holly; her sisters Julie (Ronald) Bates, Cindy (Leon) Lucker, and Rhonda (Frank Lucker) Glisson; and many nieces and nephews.

Carla was preceded in death by her parents.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

5508 S. Pipestone Road  
Sodus, MI 49126

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 25. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service  
1053 East Napier Avenue  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022  
(269) 926-7222  
staff@florin.net

## Service

JUL 26. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *My prayers are with Carla family. Carla you will always be remembered. Very special person.*

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**Linda McCarley** - July 27, 2010 at 09:43 PM



“ *Candle lit by*



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**Linda McCarley** - July 27, 2010 at 09:42 PM



“ *To the Holly Family I am so sorry for your loss. Carla was a close friend of mine and I loved her alot. She always made you laugh. We do have alot of good memories me and my two sisters Linda and Brenda. Carla was always there for anyone that needed her. Just wanted to say thank you Carla for being a close friend of mine. Love you always Sandy McCarley*

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**Sandra McCarley** - July 26, 2010 at 07:57 AM



“ *Candle lit by*



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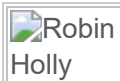
**Sandra McCarley** - July 26, 2010 at 07:57 AM



“ To The Holly Family, I'm so sorry for your loss. I have so many fond memories of growing up with Carla, and all of you. I wish I could be there with you, but I'm thinking of you all and keeping you in my prayers. Lean on God and let Him be your strength. Carla was so much fun and will never be forgotten.  
Love and prayers,  
Pam

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**Pamela Hopper** - July 23, 2010 at 10:14 PM



“ To Rick, Jackie and all the Holly family. You are in my thought and prayers. We wish we could be there for you.. Love you all.  
Uncle Mil, Robin, Oscar and Lathan.

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**Robin Holly** - July 23, 2010 at 03:50 PM