



Tonya A. Howarth

May 4, 1974 - January 24, 2011

Hartford – Tonya A. Howarth, 36, of Hartford passed away last week in Hartford.

Funeral services celebrating her life will be held at 1:00 PM, Wednesday, Feb. 2, 2011, at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service, 1053 E. Napier Ave., in Benton Harbor, with Pastor Jim Dunn officiating. Burial will follow at Coloma Cemetery. Visitation will be held Wednesday, from 12:00 until the time of the service at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Tonya Horwarth Benefit Fund c/o Chemical Bank. Messages of condolence may be sent to www.florin.net.

Tonya was born May 4, 1974, in St. Joseph. She attended Watervliet schools and was a 1994 graduate of Coloma High School. Tonya enjoyed the simple things in life, including NASCAR, going to the Hartford Speedway, collecting wind chimes, country music, road trips and watching horror movies. She will be remembered for her “kind heart and her willingness to always help others”. Most of all Tonya loved her family and particularly enjoyed time spent with her daughters.

Tonya is survived by her daughters, Amber Bradshaw of Hagar Shores and Mariah Howarth of Arkansas; parents, Netta and Mike Alsup of Benton Harbor and her father, George Nelson of Texas; sister, Trisha (Steve) Kraiger of

Watervliet; step-brother, Michael Alsup of Kalamazoo; grandparents, Loy and Geletta Martin of Benton Harbor; step-nieces, Skylar and Evalyn Alsup; numerous nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles; and by her dog, Sasafire.

Tonya was preceded in death by her step-brother, Joseph Alsup and her step-sister, Tonia Krause.

Cemetery Details

Coloma Cemetery

5900 Coloma Road
Coloma, MI 49038

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service
1053 East Napier Avenue
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Service

FEB 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Florin Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Florin Funeral Services - January 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Rest In Heaven



Leslie Redaway - August 05, 2024 at 09:35 PM



“ Tonya, I think of you a lot today! I pray for your family and most of all your children. You were always a positive shining beam in this crazy thing we called life. Life wasn't always easy for you or anyone else but you made the best of who you had and what you had in it!!! I know you are shining brighter than the sun in the heavens! Until we meet again..... love always, your friend, Kristi Mitchell



kristi mitchell - September 09, 2019 at 08:37 PM

LP

“ *Linda Pena lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Linda Pena - February 07, 2011 at 07:36 PM

KA

“ *You were smileing and so happy
to hear your laugh was a joy.
You were taken before your time
But because you are loved
by family and friends
those that truly care.
You are with God now
And your life will go on
as angels do*

KathleenStrongKiessling - February 04, 2011 at 06:34 PM

BL

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



bruce little - February 04, 2011 at 12:53 PM

BL

“ *tonya will be in our prayers she always had a grin or smile the little & smith family* ”



bruce little - February 04, 2011 at 12:51 PM

AM

“ *Amanda McGough lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth* ”



Amanda McGough - February 03, 2011 at 03:05 AM

JA

“ *Jim Sharon Aldrich lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth* ”



Jim Sharon Aldrich - February 03, 2011 at 02:06 AM



“ *Suzette Higgs lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth* ”



Suzette Higgs - February 02, 2011 at 06:28 PM

MR

“ *Malisa Rye lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Malisa Rye - February 02, 2011 at 05:43 PM

SP

“ *Tonya will always be a special. She always had time to say hello. It didn't matter if you were young, old rich or poor. After meeting her family I soon learned why. I have always believed that it is not how much you have in life but how many hearts you touch in the end. Tonya has left her thumb print on many hearts. She will always be remembered.*

Shawn Palma - February 02, 2011 at 05:35 PM

LR

“ *Lurette Jim Riley lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Lurette Jim Riley - February 02, 2011 at 04:21 PM

MA

“ *Mary sent a virtual gift in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Mary - February 02, 2011 at 02:25 PM

TB

“ Teri Bay-Russell lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Teri Bay-Russell - February 02, 2011 at 02:06 PM

DA

“ Our deepest sympathy go out to all family members. May God guide you thru this time of need.



Doug Deb Ashley - February 02, 2011 at 12:48 PM

LK

“ Linda Kaiser lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Linda Kaiser - February 02, 2011 at 12:47 PM

DH

“ Although we did not know Tonya personally, our hearts go out to her children and family. Praying that God will comfort you. The Howard family of Lawrence,MI.



David Corine Howard - February 02, 2011 at 11:03 AM

NP

“ *Nikki Pradon lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



nikki pradon - February 02, 2011 at 10:38 AM

Tina Foster

“ *Tonya was a very sweet girl. Her & I went to school together. My heart goes out to her children and her family and friends. I will keep them all in my prayers.*



Tina Foster - February 02, 2011 at 10:26 AM

Amy Lovell

“ *Amy Lovell lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Amy Lovell - February 02, 2011 at 09:51 AM

N(

“ *Nichole (Harmon) lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Nichole (Harmon) - February 02, 2011 at 09:36 AM

Mindy
Pudell
Putney

“ *Mindy Pudell Putney lit a candle in memory of
Tonya A. Howarth*



Mindy Pudell Putney - February 02, 2011 at 09:36 AM

Jeana
Harmon
Hamilton

“ *Jeana Harmon Hamilton lit a candle in
memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Jeana Harmon Hamilton - February 02, 2011 at 09:33 AM

JK

“ *Jenni Kiefer lit a candle in memory of Tonya
A. Howarth*



Jenni Kiefer - February 02, 2011 at 09:05 AM

BC

“ *Brenda Crowder lit a candle in memory of
Tonya A. Howarth*



Brenda Crowder - February 02, 2011 at 08:56 AM

DM

“ *Deb Morrison lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*




Deb Morrison - February 02, 2011 at 08:38 AM

DD

“ *Donna Duffield lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Donna Duffield - February 02, 2011 at 08:36 AM

 Carrie Sweet-Ryan

“ *Carrie Sweet-Ryan lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Carrie Sweet-Ryan - February 02, 2011 at 08:33 AM

RH

“ *Rebecca Hollen lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Rebecca Hollen - February 02, 2011 at 08:25 AM

MK

“ *she was a nice women to her kids family and friends and she will be truly mised*

mike jaime and kids - February 02, 2011 at 08:24 AM

MK

“ *Mike Jaime And Kids lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



mike jaime and kids - February 02, 2011 at 08:22 AM

SH

“ *The Love your family and Friends have for you will keep your memory alive. My heart goes out to your Family,May God give you all the strength to make it through.*

Sheila Hall-Howarth - February 02, 2011 at 08:19 AM

SH

“ *Sheila Hall-Howarth lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Sheila Hall-Howarth - February 02, 2011 at 08:16 AM

JS

“ *Jen Scott lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Jen Scott - February 02, 2011 at 08:14 AM



“ *Cheryl Braathen lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Cheryl Braathen - February 02, 2011 at 07:43 AM

ME

“ *Michelle Edmonds lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Michelle Edmonds - February 02, 2011 at 07:17 AM



“ *Sandra McCarley lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Sandra McCarley - February 02, 2011 at 07:13 AM



“ Stacy Winkel Smith lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Stacy Winkel Smith - February 02, 2011 at 06:59 AM



“ Chrissy MacMillan Culberson lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Chrissy MacMillan Culberson - February 02, 2011 at 06:57 AM



“ Shannon Closson lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Shannon Closson - February 02, 2011 at 06:45 AM



“ Kate Worley Heffington lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Kate Worley Heffington - February 02, 2011 at 06:29 AM

Traci
Murray

“ *Traci Murray lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Traci Murray - February 02, 2011 at 06:07 AM

Jennifer
Watts
Krumroy

“ *Jennifer Watts Krumroy lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Jennifer Watts Krumroy - February 02, 2011 at 02:13 AM

CB

“ *Chrissy Bowren lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



chrissy bowren - February 02, 2011 at 01:30 AM

T(

“ *Terena (Sturgeon)Beebe lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth*



Terena (Sturgeon)Beebe - February 02, 2011 at 12:24 AM

Ashley
Felter

“ Ashley Felter lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Ashley Felter - February 01, 2011 at 09:10 PM

TM

“ TAMMY MILLER-WARREN lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



TAMMY MILLER-WARREN - February 01, 2011 at 08:21 PM

MH

“ To the family we are so sorry fo ryou loss our thoughts and prayers are with all of you just hang onto to these memories and Tonya will always be with you praying for comfort and strenth for the whole family
From scott and margaret Harden

Mr&Mrs Harden - February 01, 2011 at 07:40 PM

MH

“ Mr&Mrs Harden lit a candle in memory of Tonya A. Howarth



Mr&Mrs Harden - February 01, 2011 at 07:31 PM



“ 42 files added to the album Memories Album



Florin Funeral Services - February 01, 2011 at 06:58 PM

SS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.
Shellie & Family

shellie schurr - February 01, 2011 at 03:09 PM

LO

“ i am very sorry to hear of the passing of Tonya, she was a good person, kind heart and a loving mother and person. my thoughts and prayers go out to her family and all that loved her. again i am so very sorry about the sad news of her unexpected passing, it was way to early for such a nice person like tonya to go. she will be dearly loved and missed by all that new her and had many encounters with her.



Loretta"French"Whiting - January 31, 2011 at 02:44 PM