



## Barbara Ide

May 29, 1940 - November 29, 2007

### Barbara Ide

67, of Capac, died Thursday November 29, 2007 at home surrounded by her family after a long struggle with Multiple Sclerosis.

She was born May 29, 1940 in Grosse Pointe, MI to the late Walter R. and Margaret Ginn Steele of Capac.

She married the late Norman Ide on August 13, 1960 in Detroit.

Barbara was a librarian at Capac and Dryden for more than 20 years and had a life long love for reading. She also co-owned the Capac Clothes Closet with her sister Evelyn for many years. Everyone who met Barbara was inspired by her positive attitude and beautiful smile.

Barbara is survived by her four children, Victor Ide of San Francisco, Ann-Marie Hennessy of Birmingham, MI, Jeffrey (Diane) of Riley Township, and Stacey (Michael) Lauwers of Capac; eight grandchildren, Andrew and Brett Ide, Patrick and Morgan Hennessy and Amy, Cameron, Jill and Erin Lauwers; two sisters, Virginia (Leo) Furton of Chesterfield, Evelyn (Jack) Drake and brother Bill (Cathy) Steele of Capac and brother-in-law Victor (Joyce) Ide of East Pointe and many nieces, nephews and friends.

Her family has chosen to honor the memory of Barbara and invite you to visit and share Saturday 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., Sunday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Monday at 10:00 a.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Capac. Rite of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m. Monday at St. Nicholas Catholic Church, Capac. Fr. Gerry

Frawley, visiting pastor, will officiate.

A rosary devotion will be 7:00 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Burial will be in Capac Cemetery, Capac.

Memorials are suggested to "Wishes of the Family".

For information and Guest Book

[kaatzfunerals.com](http://kaatzfunerals.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Nicholas Catholic Church  
4331 Capac Road  
Capac, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ Have many fond memories of a loving Barbara whom I worked with at St. Clair County Library.##imported-begin##Martha Walker##imported-end##

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December 02, 2007 at 10:59 PM



“ Our sincere condolences are with you all.##imported-begin##Bill and Kathy Lamphere Bradenton Fl.##imported-end##

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December 02, 2007 at 02:26 PM



“ Brief moments spent with Barb at the Dryden library still warm my heart when thinking of her.

*My sympathies are with her family.*

*Mrs. Daniel (Marty) Hill formerly of Dryden & Capac and now of Weslaco, Texas##imported-begin##Marty Hill##imported-end##*

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December 02, 2007 at 10:17 AM



“ Dear Ann Marie and Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I remember staying at your house when we were in middle school and I thought the world of your mother. May God Bless and keep you all. Tammy Allen##imported-begin##Tammy (Barth) Allen##imported-end##

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December 02, 2007 at 09:30 AM



“ To the Ide Family, My deepest sympathy. I am privileged to have been friends with your family. I will always remember your Mother as a kind and caring person with her great smile she shared with everyone and the love she had for her family. With each of us in business on Main Street for 20 years and more, we had alot of fun and a great friendship. My sincere condolences, Patsy Sundermann##imported-begin##Patsy Sundermann##imported-end##

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December 02, 2007 at 02:38 AM



“ To Ann Marie and family. I have you all in my thoughts and prayers these next few days, as you lay to rest your mom, grandmother and friend. Celebrate her life, knowing she was special, and pass that spirit along for others to follow. Call me if you need anything Ann Marie, love, Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Brolley##imported-end##

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December 01, 2007 at 05:18 PM



“ Dear Ann Marie and family,

*Vickie just shared the news of the loss of your mother. I read her obituary...what a precious soul. I wanted you to know that I am praying for you during this difficult time. We have their legacy to follow, special memories and special times. My mother passed away when she was 67. A friend shared with me when my mom died a note that said to give that love of our mothers to our children. I know that you will. Blessings to you and your family. Rely on the peace of knowing that we will be reunited with them again...what a glorious day that will be. Love in Christ,  
Brenda Sommer###imported-begin###Brenda Sommer###imported-end##*

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December 01, 2007 at 01:30 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to you all.

*All our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of need. Bless you all.###imported-begin###LeRoy and Carol Atkeson Bradenton Fl.###imported-end##*

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December 01, 2007 at 01:11 PM



“ From the moment we met Barbara, she welcomed us with her beautiful smile. Even though she only spent a short time in florida she was a great incouragement for my own Moms illness. And her sons especially warm heart and caring that he showed towards her. My Mom and I will always cherish that time until one day when they will both meet again. Our blessings go to the family and their son and daughter that really showed what family was all about. love, Ron and Catherine Lux###imported-begin###Ronald and Catherine Lux###imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 10:48 PM



“ Cousins,  
*I was so very saddened to hear about Aunt Barb...but what a blessing for her! She touched all of our lives with that smile of hers and will always be in our hearts. I hold each of you in my thoughts and in my prayers. May it be a blessing to know that she can dance again---in heaven! Love, Deb##imported-begin##Deb (Burns) Grinde##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 04:58 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy on the passing of Aunt Barb. She was an extraordinary woman with a beautiful spirit. Our thoughts are with you all at this time.*

*Love,  
Laura, Mark and Melanie##imported-begin##Laura Chwan (Waslar)##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 03:58 PM



“ *Dear Ide Family-*

*My deepest sympathy goes out to you for the loss of your mother. May you find comfort in each other.*

*In thoughts and prayer-Casey Brandtjen##imported-begin##Casey Brandtjen##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 03:39 PM



“ Vic - I am so sorry to hear about the passing of your wonderful mother. I so much enjoyed visiting with her when she stayed with you in Florida. I know how much you and your family loved her and will miss her.##imported-begin##Craig Clark##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 03:30 PM



“ To Vic and your family, May God continue to bless you all each and every day, and give you strength to get through this difficult time. I hope that being with family and friends will help to ease the sorrow and pain. May you always be reminded of her smile in pictures and in memories. I know how much she was loved! Thinking of you over the next couple of days. With love,  
Natalia, Jaden and Noah Jones  
Atlanta, GA

Vic, lots of hugs...##imported-begin##Natalia Jones##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 03:07 PM



“ Vic,

My thoughts and Prayers are with you. I am sorry to hear the news. I know this must be difficult, please let me know if there is anything I can do or my team to help you personally or professionally. Take the time you need with your family to grieve your lost of your precious mother. Take care~Love Caroline Wander##imported-begin##Caroline Wander##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 02:52 PM



“ Vic,

*Please know that you and your entire family are in my prayers during this difficult time. Because I am so intimately familiar with the disease, I can empathize on many different levels. Just know that your mom is no longer a prisoner to her own body...and that in and of itself is a celebration! Give me a call should you need to talk. 770-595-5576*

*My favorite scripture verse is 1 Corinthians 10:13- perhaps it too will help you find some comfort during this time!*

*With love,*

*Leigh Anne##imported-begin##Leigh Anne Wauford##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 01:28 PM



“ *To Vic and his family- Just a quick note to let you know our thoughts are with you during this difficult time. I know Vic thought the world of his mom- and know the wonderful memories of her will be with him forever...##imported-begin##Patti Merrigan##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 12:13 PM



“ Dear Vic & Family,

*I am so sorry to hear about your loss. She must have been a wonderful mom as she raised a wonderful son.*

*I wish you God's peace and comfort during your time of grief and sorrow.*

*In friendship,*

*Kelly##imported-begin##Kelly Hubbard##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 11:51 AM



“ My most sincere condolences at this time for your family. Matthew 5:5 states "Blessed are those who mourn, for God will comfort them". I will pray that the Lord will comfort you all and give you peace during this difficult time. If there is anything I can do, please don't hesitate to let me know.##imported-begin##Traci Banister##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 11:37 AM



“ We have very fond memories of Barb and Vic during her visits to Fort Lauderdale. She had a huge heart with lots of room for everyone and she was lucky to have her family to support her. Sorry we cannot be there in person but please know that we are there in spirit. With much sympathy,  
Terry and Greg##imported-begin##Terry Bellamy & Greg Curtis##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 11:32 AM



“ I'm sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Tanya Paterson##imported-end##

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November 30, 2007 at 11:03 AM



“ To the Ide Family,

*My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this very difficult time. I didn't know Barbara, but her son, my colleague, Vic spoke about her in such a warm, loving way that I began to feel she was my mom too. How wonderful to have been blessed by such a terrific mom.*

*All my love and prayers,*

*Jacque##imported-begin##Jacque Farlow##imported-end##*

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November 30, 2007 at 10:54 AM



“ Oh Anne, I thank God for your mother and her amazing influence on you and your family. I can only imagine the celebration she was welcomed with and the joy that gives you knowing she is forever healed. The way you describe her is the way I see you and for her example to you I thank God.

*I will be praying for you and the whole family. You call me anytime, I'm here.*

*I love you friend, Vic##imported-begin##vickie grindstaff##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2007 at 11:09 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Ann Marie, Patrick and Morgan at the loss of your beautiful mother and grandmother. I can see her beauty through each of you and know that God will provide the comfort you need at this time knowing she is in His care and at peace forever.##imported-begin##Rosalie Medjesky##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2007 at 10:49 PM



“ *I love you grandma##imported-begin##Patrick Hennessy##imported-end##*

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November 29, 2007 at 03:26 PM