



## Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt

May 29, 1958 - February 9, 2015

God saw that you were getting tired, and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered, "Come to me." With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

Sister Sandra Fay Babbitt was born May 29, 1958 to Rosie Mae and Willie George Dunning in Mobile, AL. She departed this life on Monday, February 9, 2015 at her home in Kalamazoo, MI. She moved to Kalamazoo, Michigan with her family at an early age, and she was educated in the Kalamazoo Public School system. She accepted Christ at an early age with the Faith Temple Church of God in Kalamazoo, MI under the leadership of Tommie D. Lockett. She was united in marriage to Bennie Babbitt, Sr. and to this union 3 children were born.

She had a giving spirit about her and always thought of others. Sandra enjoyed cooking and was a very good cook, and made her own recipe "creations" that would taste so good! She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Rosie Mae, Willie George Dunning and Elmarie Jackson.

Sandra was a serious person but she had a good sense of humor as well.

She leaves to cherish her memories: 3 children: 2 loving daughters, Jacqueline Babbitt and Shanika Babbitt and 1 son, Bennie Babbitt all of Kalamazoo; 3 sisters Willie Mae Dunning and Pearline Dunning both of Kalamazoo; and Barb Dunning of Atmore, AL; 1 brother, Eddie Dunning of Kalamazoo; 8 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild, Sa'nye; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Ever-Rest Cemetery (North)

1717 Drake Road  
Kalamazoo, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel  
521 Douglas Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI

## Visitation

FEB 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Faith Temple Church of God  
402 S. Westnedge Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI

## A Service in Loving Memory

FEB 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

Faith Temple Church of God  
402 S. Westnedge Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI



# Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt



Harper Funeral Home - February 17, 2015 at 07:36 PM

SB

We all truly miss you so much mama 🙏🙏🙏

Shanika Babbitt - September 14, 2015 at 05:08 AM

SB

“ Truly missed 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏



Shanika Babbitt - February 28, 2024 at 09:11 PM

SB

“ LOVE & MISS YOU SO MUCH  
MAMA...THINK OF YOU ALWAYS 🙏🙏🙏  
🙏🙏🙏 CONTINUE TO REST IN  
PEACE...LOVE POOH 💜



Shanika Babbitt - February 28, 2024 at 09:08 PM



“ *Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ *Curtiya Moore-Dade lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**Curtiya Moore-Dade** - February 19, 2015 at 07:41 AM



“ *Curtiya Moore-Dade lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**Curtiya Moore-Dade** - February 19, 2015 at 07:36 AM



“ *Vicky Burns lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**vicky burns** - February 18, 2015 at 06:26 PM

AM

“ *My Sister Felicia and I will Always have Fond Memories of Time spent with Faye in Dixons Mills, AL. We played and ran from "house to house" of Our Elders visiting and eating anything for "ketchup sandwiches" to "syrup sandwiches."* ”

*Love You Always,  
Cousin Angelia Martin*

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**Angelia Martin** - February 17, 2015 at 01:52 PM

AM

“ *Angelia Martin sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt* ”



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**Angelia Martin** - February 17, 2015 at 01:44 PM

CF

“ *Charlene& Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt* ”



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**Charlene& family** - February 17, 2015 at 11:49 AM

AS

“ *Athalia Simpson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**Athalia Simpson** - February 17, 2015 at 07:16 AM

AS

“ *Alma Snell lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



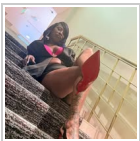
**Alma Snell** - February 16, 2015 at 09:47 PM

PF

“ *PATTERSON FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**PATTERSON FAMILY** - February 16, 2015 at 07:00 AM



“ *Use to come over to visit the girls as kids and they would get in trouble and Fay would tell me it was time for me to go home. Those were the days, when parents was strict and she was a strict mother like mines.*

**Rita Sterling** - February 14, 2015 at 05:29 PM

CM

“ *Chanell Mcpherson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



Chanell Mcpherson - February 14, 2015 at 01:40 PM

EF

“ *Earline Fields And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



Earline Fields and Family - February 14, 2015 at 01:06 PM



“ *Christy Mcconnell sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



Christy Mcconnell - February 14, 2015 at 12:50 PM

DL

“ *Dollie, Curtis, Lisa lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



Dollie, Curtis, Lisa - February 13, 2015 at 05:26 PM

MP

“ *Melissa Parrish lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



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**Melissa Parrish** - February 13, 2015 at 04:40 PM

LB

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**LORETTA BATES** - February 13, 2015 at 11:34 AM

LB

*Faye was a very sweet spirit...You will always remembered...you touched many of us in such a-way....Take your rest cause God takes the Best!!! A flower in His garden. Love Loretta Campbell*

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**LORETTA BATES** - February 13, 2015 at 12:42 PM

DP

*The sweet spirit on Patterson has left the building but not the heart we will miss you on the porch*

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**Dianna Priestley** - February 13, 2015 at 01:51 PM

BH

*to the family look to the Lord and draw strength from him that is where your help comes from, i remember Miss Sandra Faye that is who she was back in the day with her big fro and cute face she was a good person she is in good hands with the Master. truly Miss Brenda Hill*

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**Brenda Hill** - February 17, 2015 at 09:57 AM

SB

*Not a day passes that I don't think of you mom,my heart is so heavy thinking of you...but I know God knew what was best for you,so he called you home...we love&miss you dearly....love pooh 🥰🥰🥰🥰🥰*

**Shanika Babbitt** - September 14, 2015 at 04:54 AM

LB

“ *LORETTA BATES lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**LORETTA BATES** - February 13, 2015 at 11:28 AM

DB

“ *Donald & Ruby (Walker) Barbee sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**Donald & Ruby (Walker) Barbee** - February 13, 2015 at 08:49 AM

HW

“ *Helen Word lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



**Helen Word** - February 13, 2015 at 07:15 AM

JB

“ *Jacqueline Babbitt lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



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**jacqueline babbitt** - February 12, 2015 at 06:24 PM

JB

“ *Mom words can't explain how much I love and miss u, but I know you're in a better place and at peace... Continue to rest and I promise I will take care of sa'nye your (boonta) like u would want me to. Love u dearly, your daughter, mona* ❤️💕💕💕💕💕💕💕💕💕



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**jacqueline babbitt** - February 12, 2015 at 06:17 PM

HR

“ *Cousin Fay, as we called her, was a true "go-getter"! I remember when Cousin RosieMae Dunning moved the family here to Kalamazoo when Fay was a child. We spent many hours in church, visiting each other and playing together. As a child, I used to be the top candy salesperson for our church's annual fundraiser back in the 1960's--that was until Fay and family moved to town. She took my crown!*

*Fay grew into a generous and loving woman and was well-known in the neighborhood: she was like the "mayor" of that corner! She was affectionately called "Mama" by many!*

*Family, please know that we love you and that each of you are in our prayers.*

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**Howard & Robyn Robinson** - February 12, 2015 at 02:35 PM

PG

“ *Pauline Gardner lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



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**Pauline Gardner** - February 12, 2015 at 02:14 PM

BP

“ *Barbara Phillips lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



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**Barbara Phillips** - February 12, 2015 at 10:25 AM

DF

“ *Dawn Fisher lit a candle in memory of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt*



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**Dawn Fisher** - February 12, 2015 at 10:12 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ms. Sandra Fay Babbitt.*



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February 12, 2015 at 10:10 AM