



Sandi C Howard

December 15, 1964 - December 20, 2017

Sandi C. Howard, 53, of Bluffton passed away on Wednesday evening, December 20, 2017, at her residence in Bluffton.

Sandi was born on December 15, 1964 in California to William E. & Shirley A. (Foose) McClure. She graduated from high school and earned an A.S in Human Services from Cypress College. On July 4, 1991 in Las Vegas, Sandi & Joel C Howard were married. They moved in Wells County in 2000. Sandi was a member of the First United Methodist Church and had a talent for making handmade cards and was an avid writer.

She is survived by her husband Joel of Bluffton along with two children Seth E. Howard and Dea L. Howard, both of Arkansas. She is also survived by her mother, Shirley A. McClure of Los Angeles, her step-mother Meredyth McClure of Cypress, CA and three brothers; Jeff (Tina) McClure, Jason McClure and Brian (Jenny) McClure all of CA, and a sister Donya D. Webb of Idaho.

She is preceded in death by her father William in 1991.

A Service to Celebrate Sandi's life will be held at 2 P.M. on Saturday (January 13, 2018) at the First United Methodist Church. Pastor Steve Bard will officiate. There will be a time to visit with the family at the conclusion of the service. Memorials may be made in Sandi's memory to the American Diabetes Association. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

JAN 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church
325 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sandi C Howard*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - January 13, 2018 at 10:13 AM

RL

😭😭 *So beautiful....she is flying free with the angels & you will see her again one day!!! Praying for you....for peace that passes all understanding....love you!! ❤️❤️ Robin & Kevin Lipp*

Robn Lipp - January 15, 2018 at 06:23 AM



“ *Sandi C Howard*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM

JG

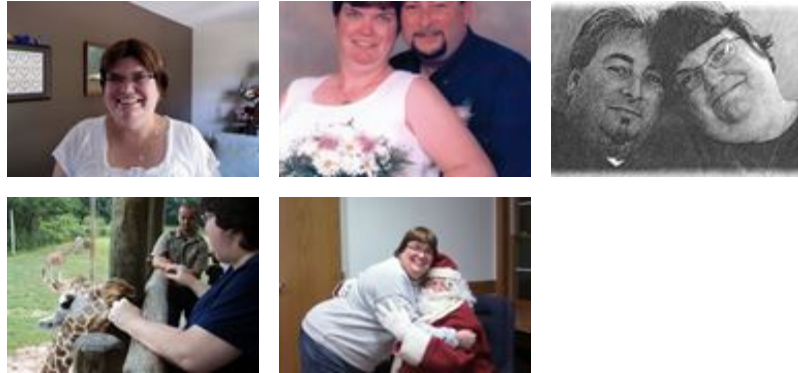
“ *Jones Cousins-Tracy, Kevin, Jamie, Garth purchased the Classic Sympathy Basket Arrangement for the family of Sandi C Howard.*



Jones Cousins-Tracy, Kevin, Jamie, Garth - January 12, 2018 at 12:58 PM



“ 40 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - January 12, 2018 at 08:46 AM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Sandi C Howard.*



January 09, 2018 at 07:25 PM



“ *The Watts, The Arsenault and Carey(s) families. purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Sandi C Howard.*



The Watts, The Arsenault and Carey(s) families. - January 07, 2018 at 07:21 PM

KW

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



Karen Watts - January 07, 2018 at 07:10 PM

RS

“ Sandi was a very good friend she was there for me when I moved next door to her and Joel in markle . I could go over there for anything and she was so nice .she helped me with my wedding and made it a special day .she will be missed so much she was my best friend and sister in Christ .we had some good times and laugh about things .we might of God mad at each other sometimes but we always turned around and gave each other a hug .we went to church together and it was awesome.miss you sis God has a special person to help others and angle.

Rochelle Schneider - January 04, 2018 at 11:44 AM

TC

“ Joel, I am so sorry for your loss. Sandi was an amazing woman. Prayers and sympathy from the Coblentz family.



Tina Coblentz - December 30, 2017 at 08:24 PM

VP

“*"My Sandi" is what I called her. Sandi and I spoke on the telephone almost everyday. I last spoke with Sandi the morning of her demise. I am sorry that, that was the last time I would listen to her laugh, however I was able to at least tell her good-bye; I will always have that. Sandi, I miss you and will always remember your advise, your laugh and cry, your longing for a healthy life. Sandi, You are a very special Best friend, that I will continue to cherish.*



Vickie Plasterer - December 27, 2017 at 05:36 PM

CP

“*Sandi was warm and loving to Orval and I when we first joined Markle UM Church where she and her husband were members. She was always kind to us and was interested in what was happening in our lives and was eager too share positive comments that were caring and helpful. Sandi will be missed. Our condolences to Sandi's husband and family. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. God be with you during this difficult time.*

Cheryl and Orval Plumlee - December 26, 2017 at 11:09 PM

BC

“*Sandi was such a sweet loving Lady we will miss her very much helping her at the Hospital! God gained another Angel in Heaven! Our Prayers are with u Joel and the Howard Family Please except our Condolences! May God Comfort all of your Hearts at this time! Love Barry and JoEllen Crosbie! ❤️*



Barry Crosbie - December 26, 2017 at 05:53 PM



Pamela
Schwartz

“ We are so sorry about Sandi!! Didn't realize how much she was!! Our thought and prayers go with you!! We remember how she loved chef statues and other chef items!! We'll miss her!!
Alan, Pam, Matt Schwartz

Pamela Schwartz - December 24, 2017 at 05:31 PM

CF

“ She was a loving soul who always had a smile.
Joel we are so sorry for your loss.



Capatina family - December 22, 2017 at 09:36 PM

JM

“ Josie McClure lit a candle in memory of Sandi
C Howard



josie mcclure - December 22, 2017 at 01:45 AM

BH

Joel and family
We are sorry to hear of Sandi's passing. We were always glad to see her smiling face when you attended Markle United Methodist Church. She was always willing to jump in and help in anyway she could! Our deepest sympathy,
Barbara and Joe Hanauer

Barbara Hanauer - January 10, 2018 at 05:11 PM

JR

Joel and children, I am very sorry for the loss of Sandi. She always had a smile and was so friendly even though she probably felt terrible. She has suffered illness for quite awhile an is now resting in God's hands.
Jo Ann Record

Jo Ann Record - January 11, 2018 at 06:12 PM