



## Teresa D. Barnes

October 17, 1950 - January 9, 2014

Teresa D. Barnes passed away on January 9, 2014, at the age of 63, in Detroit. Teresa was born on October 17, 1950 in Detroit.

Loving mother of Charles (Jennifer) Barnes and Diana(John) Champagne. Proud grandmother of Sean, Addyson, Millie and Evelyn. Dear sister of Don (Lois) Wilson, Jean (Ed) Wuerges, Vickie (Curtis) Hertel and Vicki Kotsis predeceased by her brothers Bob Wilson and Gary Loftis.

Memorial donations may be made to:

Reverence Home Health & Hospice

37650 Garfield Rd

Clinton Township, MI 48036

888-2-HOMECARE (888-246-6322)

Visitation on Sunday 2-9:00 pm. at the Wasik Funeral Home, 49150 Schoenherr Rd. (N. of 22 mile Rd.) Shelby Twp. Funeral Service on Monday at 11:00 a.m.at the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

**Cremation**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

JAN 12. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township  
49150 Schoenherr Rd.  
Shelby Township, MI 48315  
(586) 532-8600  
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

### Funeral Service

JAN 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

ME

“ Teresa was one of a kind. So selfless and thoughtful, sweet and funny. She loved Diana and Chuck and always put them first. one of my favorite memories was seeing my mom and Teresa party together at Elk Fest. my mom and her were going to open up a food truck and serve sloppy joes ...but Teresa and mom were calling them smoky Joes. and we were all laughing out butts off. She made so many laugh and i am bLessed to have known her. I pray for peace for Di and Chuck but rest assured she is your guardian angel now and will be waiting to meet you when you go home. May your memories of her turn to treasures. May God comfort you and wrap his arms around you and give you His peace.

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**Melanie** - January 12, 2014 at 08:49 PM

JM

“ From the first time I met Teresa, when we both were at Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church to working together at East Detroit Schools. Teresa has always been the strongest and bravest gal I have ever known. We always had each others back and her friendship will be cherished for life. All the memories I have bring a smile to my face and my heart is broken at the loss of such a great woman. My love goes to both Chuck and Diana, and I'm so sorry I can't be with you at this time. May God Bless!

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**JoAnne Mills** - January 12, 2014 at 06:41 PM

SD

“ Teresa was....all the above!! Love this girl!!

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**Sandy DeSmet** - January 12, 2014 at 09:46 AM

DF

“ I ran into Teresa almost 3 years ago at the oncologist's when I took my dad there for his chemo session. It had been a long time since I'd seen her. We sat together and talked for quite awhile, as if we'd just seen each other recently, and I loved it when she pulled out the photos. She was such a proud Mom and Grandma. I was so impressed by her positive attitude and her spirit. I have thought about her and prayed for her since that last visit with her. God be with you all and keep you in his unfathomable mercy. Diane Fanelli (Melanie's Aunt)

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**Diane Fanelli** - January 11, 2014 at 04:32 PM

AT

You were one of a kind Teresa, you were a fighter and an inspiration to all us. You will be missed by your friends and family who will cherish the moments we shared with you..

Allan Torp

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**allan torp** - January 12, 2014 at 10:43 AM

MW

“ I know your up there laughing, dancing, smiling & telling some jokes (funny or not, the way only you could tell them made everyone laugh regardless). You lived & loved everyday like we all should. You smiled through whatever life threw at you without a complaint or a "why me?" I don't care what the dictionary says! My definition of strength is you! You are truly loved & will be forever missed. The memories you've made for everyone who has been blessed to know you will last a lifetime! And im proud to call you my Aunt! Love you Aunt T. til we meet again

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**Monica Wuerges** - January 11, 2014 at 01:55 PM

CO

“ *My condolences and heart filled sorrow for your loss. May your faith keep you strong with warm memories of happier days. Hugs*  
*Carol Owens*



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**carol owens** - January 11, 2014 at 07:45 AM

LY

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. May you find comfort in cherished memories of Teresa and God's word. Revelation 21:4.*

*Lynn*

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**Lynn** - January 11, 2014 at 06:30 AM

BJ

“ *Diana and Chuck , your mom was a absolute awesome person . From the first time I met her she was so friendly and you could tell she had a heart of gold . Thanks to your mom a eat sweet potatoes ( even though no ones tastes quite as good as hers ) but my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family . God Bless*

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**Bruce Jones** - January 11, 2014 at 02:23 AM

DI

*Thanks Bruce!! By the way I make those sweet potatoes!! Lol thank you so very much!!*

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**diana** - January 11, 2014 at 09:54 PM

DO

“ *Diana and Chuck,  
You two were everything to your mom and we had some crazy, great, and lots of fun times. I think we rocked the old neighborhood in Detroit with all of our friends and the crazy parties there. Our trip to Nashville was quit the trip but your mom was determined to see where her idol lived and to walk on his property and take tons of pictures. I am not sure what happened but your mother and you two have been in my prayers since the first day i met you three and you will stay there forever. The next couple days are going to be very hard but you guys have so many people who love all of you guys so lean on them and know you are loved so very much. Continue with all the great pictures of your family on FB so you will always bring smiles to everyone around you. Love you lots, Doreen*

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**Doreen** - January 10, 2014 at 11:48 PM

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*Thank you Doreeb!*

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**diana** - January 11, 2014 at 09:55 PM

KA

“ *thersa you are a great lady you were a fighter now you don't have to suffer anymore*

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**karen** - January 10, 2014 at 10:42 PM

AG

“ *Mama Barnes...I miss you already. You are one of the strongest women I have ever met...the next strongest is your daughter, my best friend. Thank you for the wonderful memories...you were one of a kind and no matter your pain, you always wanted to talk about me and how I was doing. I will always tell my stories of you to the grandkids as well...your karaoke skills, dancing to Elvis, your surprise party that brought me to tears...the list goes on. But most of all, I will cherish/remember the relationship you had with Diana and can only hope and pray that my bond with Camryn is half as strong as yours. To me, you were my mama, my friend, my mentor... Love you tons...Amy and Camryn xoxo*

Amy Gee - January 10, 2014 at 08:54 PM

DI

*Amy my mom loved you as her own and you know that! Together we will keep her memory alive! Like it or not I am my mama!! Love u!!*

diana - January 11, 2014 at 09:56 PM



“ *Aunt Teresa always had a smile on her face & she always made everyone laugh or smile. That's what I loved about her..*



Linda Wuerges - January 10, 2014 at 06:57 PM

EV

“ *You will be missed so much Teresa. Memories of your laugh and seeing your smile will be with me forever. Thank you or being you!*



Elaine Vaughn - January 10, 2014 at 05:45 PM

JP

“ Diana, I only met your mother one time but I was thrilled when her name was Teresa like my mother's. She had a contagious smile and a face of kindness! Take comfort and strength from the many people offering you support. You have been an A+ daughter! In the days ahead know that you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers! Judy P.

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**Judy Pichowski** - January 10, 2014 at 03:38 PM

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Judy thank you so very much! Your words of kindness are greatly appreciated!! Xo

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**diana** - January 10, 2014 at 07:59 PM

JC

“ Chuck, Diana and family, I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. She was so very special to me, a true friend in every way. I will miss her so much. Please take care of those beautiful children that were so special to Teresa. She just showed me a hundred pictures again of all of them a few weeks ago. They truly are a blessing. my love to all, Judy and Bill Crothers

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**Judy Crothers** - January 10, 2014 at 01:44 PM

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Thank you Judy!! Xo

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**diana** - January 10, 2014 at 08:00 PM



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**Mike Loftis** - January 10, 2014 at 01:23 PM



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**Mike Loftis** - January 10, 2014 at 01:23 PM



“ *Teresa, you were a phenomonal woman. Always so full of love and life. I'm blessed to be able to say I will forever have so many wonderful memories of you. I love you T!!! Even though I can still hear your laugh in my head. I will miss actually being able to sit around with you and laugh together. XOXOX*

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**Stephanie Loos** - January 10, 2014 at 12:42 PM



“ *i will miss Teresa, she was so sweet and was always smiling. she will definitely be missed by alot of her friends and family. my prayers go out to her family. God will help you all through this. i will miss her. love, Susie Lindahl*

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**Susan Lindahl** - January 10, 2014 at 12:03 PM



“ *Teresa will be truely missed. She always had smile for everyone no matter how she felt.*

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**Judi Ferrari** - January 10, 2014 at 10:08 AM



“ *We extend our deepest sympathies to Teresa's family. We will miss her dearly. She always brought a smile to our faces with her big hugs and her hearty laughter.*

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**David and Michele Dornan** - January 09, 2014 at 10:51 PM