



## Rebecca A Saliek

April 3, 1980 - February 12, 2014

Rebecca A. Saliek, age 33 of Merrillville, passed away February 12, 2014. She volunteered with the elderly and loved and enjoyed being with her children very much. Rebecca was preceded in death by her grandmother- Regina Watroba and Uncle- Robert Adamczyh. She is survived by her loving children- Alyssa, Rocco, Isaiah, Aliyah; granddaughter- Sophia; her mother and father-JoAnn and George Saliek; two sisters- Cindy (Michael) Kosmicke; Jenny Lester; many loving nieces and nephews. Friends may visit with Rebecca's family Sunday, February 16, 2013 from 2:00-8:00 pm at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. She will lie in state on Monday, February 17th from 9:30-10:00 a.m. at St. Joan of Arc Church, 200 E. 78th Ave, Merrillville, IN with Funeral Mass beginning at 10:00 a.m. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **16**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point  
10101 Broadway  
Crown Point, IN 46307  
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## Visitation

FEB **17**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Church  
200 E. 78th Ave  
Merrillville, IN

## Funeral Service

FEB **17**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Church  
200 E. 78th Ave  
Merrillville, IN

# Tribute Wall



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Rebecca A Saliek.*



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February 15, 2014 at 08:13 PM



“ *The Shaffer's Jay, Barbara, Emily & Sam purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Rebecca A Saliek.*



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**The Shaffer's Jay, Barbara, Emily & Sam** - February 15, 2014  
at 04:45 PM



“ *Deepest sympathies to Becky's family and friends. She was truly a ray of sunshine that brightened our days. Rest in Peace our sweet friend.  
Loving you always as your memory will live on in our hearts.  
Donald and Marie Douglass*

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**Donald Douglass** - February 14, 2014 at 09:15 PM

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“ To Becky's Family: I am sorry to hear about her Becky's passing especially at such a young age. Hopefully your fond memories of her along with the support of fellow loved ones can provide a small dose of comfort. May the God of Comfort give you the strength as you grieve this tremendous loss (2 Corinthians 1:3). It is times like this that make us look forward to the time when death will be no more and we will see our loved ones again who have fallen asleep in death (Revelation 21:4; Acts 24:15).

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**James** - February 14, 2014 at 08:11 PM

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“ Words cannot express the sadness I felt when I heard of her passing. My heart goes out to her family; I can't imagine how difficult this is for you, but I hope that she is at peace and that you all will find peace, in time as well. She was like a sister to me when we were children; almost every memory of my childhood has her in it. I was just looking through photos the other day; there are many of the two of us playing dress up, posing in our matching outfits or in our Halloween costumes, celebrating birthdays, or hanging out at Ron's pool where she taught me how to swim under water. Even though it has been many years, the hurt of losing someone who I was so close to in my younger years still stings as though we were children yesterday. My memories of Becky are of her beautiful smile and huge heart (and maybe a few of our childish fights over our Barbie dolls). Much love to her family and friends as you all grieve through this loss.



Love,  
Elizabeth Batenich (Thien)

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**Elizabeth Batenich (Thien)** - February 14, 2014 at 06:23 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences go out to Becky ' s family! She was an amazing person full of light and love! She always had a smile on her face. She is gone to soon and she will be remembered and missed by everyone that her light touched.*

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**Jennifer Shawver-Williams** - February 14, 2014 at 10:27 AM