



Makayla Anne Smith

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Makayla Anne Smith, age 20, of St. Clair, passed away May 12, 2020. She was born November 7, 1999 in East China Twp.

Makayla is survived by her loving mom, Lisa Anne Smith; father, Chris Smith; younger brother, Chad Smith; adoring grandma, Marianne Hoffmann, a large family of loving aunts, uncles, cousins and several dear friends in Michigan and Florida along with her fur baby, Bailey.

Makayla was a true example of a strong woman as she battled Cystic Fibrosis, a genetic lung disease which caused her to go to heaven much too soon. Makayla now joins her best friend Kailee Peterson and is able to laugh with her again.

The family thanks Dr. Samya Nasr at Pediatric Pulmonary at U of M for taking excellent care of Makayla for the last 14 years.

Funeral mass will be Friday May 15th at 1:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, St. Clair. Visiting hours are Thursday 2:00 to 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 at Young Funeral Home, China Twp. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, St. Clair.

In lieu of flowers please consider making a donation to Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or Piper's Angels Foundation to continue to honor our beautiful Makayla.

Arrangements by Young Funeral Home, China Twp. To leave a message of comfort visit www.youngcolonial.com



Events

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Visitation

Thursday, May 14, 2020

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI



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Thursday, May 14, 2020

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

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4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI

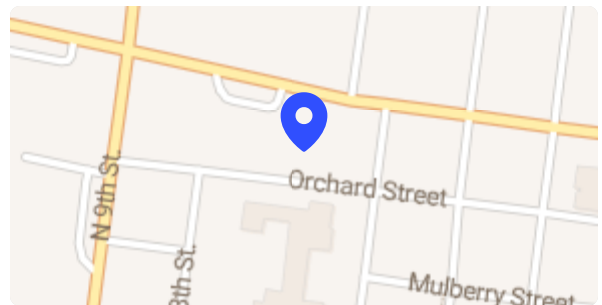


Funeral Mass

Friday, May 15, 2020

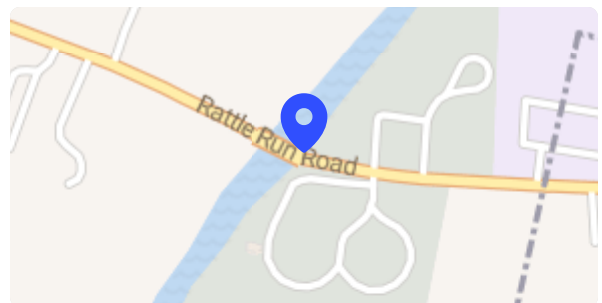
1:00 PM ET

St. Mary's Catholic Church
415 N Sixth, St.Clair MI



Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery
2700 Rattle Run Rd., St. Clair MI 48079





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CL

Cindy Lacasse posted:

I feel very honored and blessed that Michaela was a friend to our daughter. It was an honor to know her. She truly was an angel from heaven and now she's back home God bless your whole family. Our deepest sympathy Gary and Cindy and LaCasse

May 14 at 10:35 AM

LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:11 AM

Cindy, thank you for your kind words about my beautiful Makayla. She enjoyed your homemade meals and time spent at your house with Nina, Natalie and all of you. Love, Lisa ❤️



DG

Dick And Nancy Groff posted:

Our hearts are broken for all of you, Makayla was such a bright light for all. So sweet to talk to her, and as an older person, she took such an interest in us, and we loved it. She was a very special angel. She will be very missed in this world, but loved also in the next. From Dick and Nancy Groff

May 14 at 9:13 AM

LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:08 AM

Mr. and Mrs. Groff, Makayla cared for you both so much and she enjoyed visiting with you both. Makayla also would always mention how much she loved your laugh Mrs. Groff. Thank you for your kindness to my beautiful Makayla. Love, Lisa ❤️🌹😊

AK

Alicia Kollmorgen lit a candle in honor of Makayla.

So sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

May 14 at 7:41 AM



LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:06 AM

Alicia, thank you for reaching out to me and for your caring thoughts and prayers. Love, Lisa



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SC

Sharon S Choate lit a candle in honor of Makayla.

Lisa and Marianne- There are no words--just prayers!

May 14 at 7:06 AM



LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:05 AM

Sharon, thank you so much for your prayers at this difficult time. Love, Lisa

MC

Maureen St. Clair posted:

I am so sorry for yr loss Lisa and Marianne. I just can't believe it. My heart hurts for you both. May God Bless all of you at this terrible time.. love Maureen St Clair.

May 14 at 6:25 AM

LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:04 AM

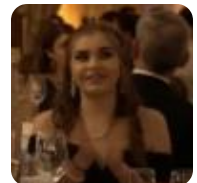
Maureen, my Makayla enjoyed laughing with you at Nina's wedding. Thank you for your continued love, support and prayers. Love, Lisa 💜🌹😊

BF

Bill Fabian shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

My heart aches. God called an angel back to heaven to be with him. Her voice and laughter will fill my heart and mind the rest of my life. What a sweetheart. I miss you. I love you. Love, Uncle Bill

May 14 at 1:01 AM



LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 10:02 AM

Bill, Makayla was honored to have you as her uncle and she loved you so much. She enjoyed going to your house and seeing everyone at family gatherings. I want to thank you so much for being there for Makayla and I over the years and now for supporting me during the hardest time of my life. I love you so much, Lisa



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Paul Heid posted:

I am so sorry about the loss of your daughter. I'm praying for you and your family..

May 13 at 4:28 PM

LS Lisa Smith May 18 at 9:58 AM
Thank you kindly



Tara Blank posted:

I am so sorry for the loss of your beautiful daughter. Praying for your family ❤️

May 13 at 3:39 PM

LS Lisa Smith May 18 at 9:57 AM
Tara, thank you so much for your thoughtfulness and prayers at this time. Love, Lisa 💜🌹😊



Katie Rifenbark lit a candle in honor of Makayla.

Lisa, words can not describe what you must be feeling at this time. I have only met your daughter once but that day at the festival she had a smile from ear to ear and we could tell that she was your pride and joy! She will be missed dearly by all. Her job on earth is through and she definitely made her mark! Call me if you need anything! ❤️❤️❤️❤️🙏



May 13 at 2:46 PM

LS Lisa Smith May 18 at 9:56 AM
Katie and Mike, Thank you for your kindness and for sharing your memories of my beautiful Makayla. She definitely was my pride and joy and will be always. Love, Lisa 💜🌹😊

KR Katie Rifenbark May 13 at 5:57 PM
Katie and Mike



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WK

Walter Keck lit a candle in honor of Makayla.



May 13 at 2:37 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 9:54 AM

Thank you for your kind gesture

BB

Bonnie Barker posted:

Lisa, my heart aches for you. Your daughter was such a wonderful girl. Please know Grace and I are thinking of you and lifting you all up in prayer. Hugs.

May 13 at 1:10 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 18 at 9:53 AM

Bonnie, thank you for reaching out to me. I greatly appreciate your kind words and especially all the prayers from you and Grace at this time, they definitely help to comfort me.

ID

Ilene Dubay posted:

I remember such a sweet and caring little girl that came to Visions and visited with the residents there, one of them my Mom! So sad to hear of her passing. So sorry Lisa, Marianne and all of Makayla's family! God's peace to you all. 🙏🙏

May 13 at 12:58 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:53 AM

Ilene, Thank you for sharing your memories of my beautiful Makayla. Makayla loved being around all the ladies and helping to put a smile on their face. The prayers are greatly appreciated at this hard time. Love, Lisa 💜🌹



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CE

Cindy Emery posted:

Dear Lisa and Marianne. I am so sorry for your loss. I remember how sweet Makayla was to all the ladies at Visions, including my Mom Mary L. Makayla had the sweetest personality and smile. My sympathy and prayers for you to be comforted by friends, family and your faith in God and his promise of eternal life.

May 13 at 12:56 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:50 AM

Cindy, Thank you for your thoughtfulness at this difficult time. I remember bringing Makayla over to Visions so your Mom and your family could see her all dressed up for her Homecoming. Now Makayla is reunited with your Mom. Love, Lisa 💜🌹

SH

Sherri Hoffmann posted:

Lisa. My heart breaks for you. I cannot imagine the pain. Seems like just yesterday we were dancing at Nina's wedding and Makayla was happy and smiling. She was a special young lady and will be forever missed. Our family will never be the same.

May 13 at 12:53 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:47 AM

Sherti, Thank you, this is a pain like no other. The wonderful memories from Nina and John's wedding will be cherished forever. Your love, care and support mean everything to me at this difficult time. Love, Lisa 💜🌹

KS

Karen Schneider posted:

Lisa, my heart is breaking for you. I know how very much you loved your beautiful daughter. Words just don't seem sufficient at this time. Just know how much we love you and we are here for you 🙏🙏
🙏❤️❤️🙏🙏

May 13 at 12:39 PM

LS

Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:43 AM

Thank you for being here for me, your love, support and prayers are so kindly appreciated right now. ❤️💜🌹



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Mike And Karyn Alley posted:

So sorry. Makayla was a GREAT kid. Thoughts and prayers to all.

May 13 at 11:43 AM



Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:41 AM

Mr. and Mrs. Alley, Thank you for your kind thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. I still remember how Makayla loved seeing you pull up in your convertible to her graduation party.

Love, Lisa



Mike And Karyn Alley May 13 at 11:43 AM

Mike and Karyn Alley



Sarah Mattson sent a virtual gift in honor of Makayla.

when i first met makayla i knew we could be close friends , her mom introduced me to her and im lost of words knowing youre not here anymore i was looking forward to hanging out with u some more but i guess i cant im sorry you had to go through all this at a young age sweet girl , you were like a sister to me and its really sad youre actually gone, for my birthday you gave me a jewlery box and fairy lights and a beautiful card im so glad we were able to hangout because i knew the first time i actually did meet and start talking to u we would be so close . thank you for showing me the way life should be rest in piece beautiful angel



May 13 at 11:30 AM



Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:39 AM

Sarah, Thank you for sharing how my beautiful daughter Makayla touched you. She was very kind and loving. Makayla was happy to make you happy. I love you and we will have a pizza and ice cream party when we can in honor of my Makayla. Love, Lisa 💜🌹



Jennifer Mattson lit a candle in honor of Makayla.

May 13 at 11:29 AM



Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:35 AM

Thank you Jennifer and Paul 💜🌹



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Jennifer Mattson sent a virtual gift in honor of Makayla.

Lisa, I cannot even imagine the pain you are going thru at this time. Your Makayla was a beautiful young lady taken way to soon. I wish I had gotten the opportunity to meet her . If I could take your pain away I would. May she always be your Angel looking down upon you. Hugs and Prayers. Jennifer and Paul

May 13 at 11:28 AM



Lisa Smith May 17 at 6:34 AM

Jennifer, Thank you for your kind words and I wish you could of known my beautiful Makayla as well. I'm so proud to be her Mom. Thank you so much for your love, support and prayers at this difficult time. Love, Lisa



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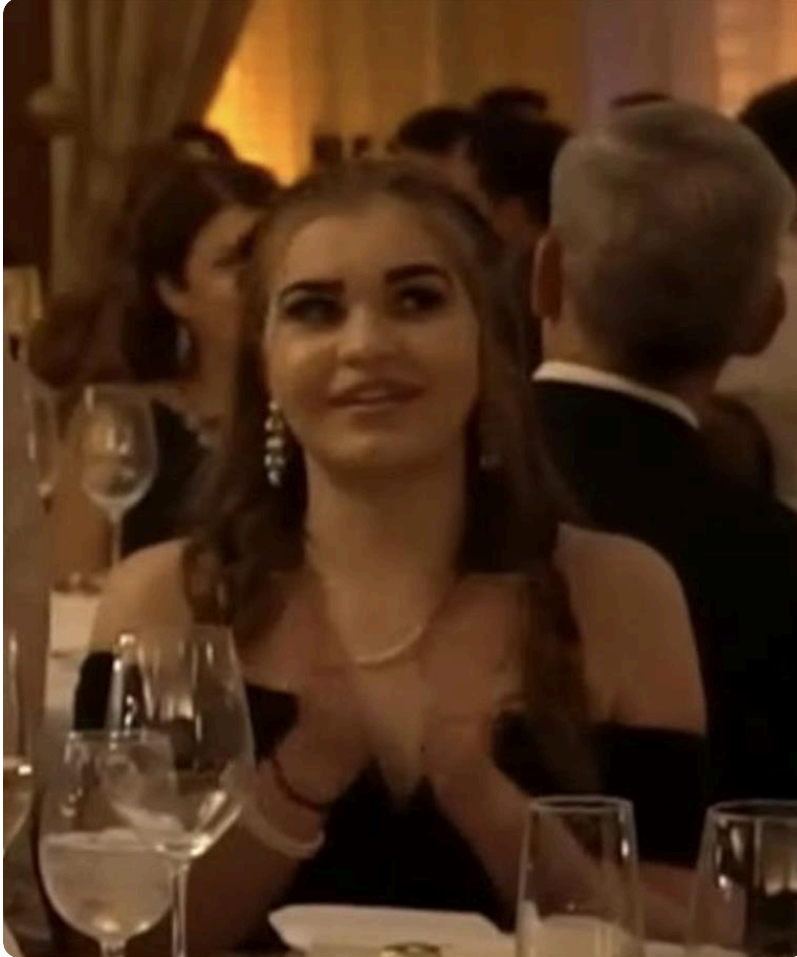
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May 14 at 1:01 AM





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