



## Michelle "Mic" L. Baxter

April 27, 1964 - September 17, 2022

Michelle "Mic" L. Baxter, age 58, died on Saturday, September 17, 2022, at her home in Fond du Lac.

Michelle was born on April 27, 1964, in Fond du Lac, WI to James and Virginia Halbach, the youngest of 3 girls. Mic then went on to marry Brian Baxter and have two children, Dylan (Kristin) Baxter and Taylor (Cody) Woodruff, whom she was so proud of. She was a dedicated stay-at-home mother and eventually fulfilled her dream of becoming a real estate agent, which she absolutely loved.

Mic enjoyed the simple things, like taking a cruise in the car with a bag of Tootsie pops and good music. She loved lying in bed with the windows open on a cool summer night, watching her curtains blow in the breeze. Mic was fond of moose tracks ice cream, chicken on the grill, and potatoes in EVERY form. She liked looking for birds, especially red cardinals, hunting for finds at thrift stores, and the movie Steel Magnolias. Her loud, contagious laugh and fierce love for those around her will be forever missed.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Virginia Halbach, and sister, Susan Halbach.

She is survived by her children, Dylan (Kristin) Baxter, Taylor (Cody) Woodruff, father, James Halbach, sister, Wendy (Brian) Hakala, niece, Annie Halbach-Cabrera, nephews, Alex Halbach and Mitch Halbach-Cabrera, and many other family and friends who loved her.

A private celebration of life will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, contributions to her children for funeral costs would be appreciated.

“I’d rather have thirty minutes of wonderful than a lifetime of nothing special.”  
-Shelby, ‘Steel Magnolias’

# Tribute Wall

ER

“ I’m saddened by the passing of Michelle. We were in the same grade at East school and classmates until 10th grade when their family moved . She was a sweetheart in high school not only in looks but in her heart and personality. Rest In Peace Michelle.

Eric - October 16, 2022 at 12:02 AM

TS

“ The last time I saw Mic was around 1992. I was fortunate to have known Mic since junior high school in Monroe WI. Mic enjoyed life, had many hopes and dreams, and laughed and smiled which put you at ease. We shared the love of music and I was fortunate to have shared her company at a Peter Frampton concert and Bruce Springsteen concert. As kids grow up, we grew apart but I always hoped her life would be happy and she would find the happiness that we all are seeking. I know Mic from a snippet of her life, but I know her life must have been very complex. My life is different because of Mic, and I will never forget her. I am truly sorry she is no longer of this earth but is still a part of our lives.

Tod Santiago - October 12, 2022 at 11:06 PM



“ My memories of Mic stretch back to when I was 10 years old--and the strongest recollections from that time were her fabulous laugh and smile. She had a clever mind and a wit that went on for days. I had many years of family get togethers and holidays to enjoy Mic and to relish life with her. Her passing is heart breaking and will leave a whole in many of our lives. You were a blessing to many Mic--you will live on in our hearts and minds.

David Baxter

David Baxter - October 11, 2022 at 12:55 PM

MS

“ *Mic' has been and will always be one of my favorite people.  
My heart goes out to her loved ones.  
Mindy Smith*

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**Melinda Smith** - October 01, 2022 at 01:16 PM

EJ

“ *I didn't know Michelle, but judging by her obituary, we would have  
gotten along great! I know you'll be missed, but appreciated, more!  
May God Bless You!*

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**Eric Juul** - September 28, 2022 at 09:01 PM

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“ *my heart breaks for the loss of this vibrant sad woman who will be  
missed by all!! my love, and sympathy- Aunt Deborah*

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**Deborah L. Baxter** - September 28, 2022 at 03:36 PM