



## Thomas A. Barton

July 25, 1977 - May 3, 2019

Thomas A. Barton, age 41, of Holly and Davison, died Fri. May 3, 2019. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Tues. May 7, 2019 at the Dryer Funeral Home, Holly. Burial will be in Lakeside Cemetery, Holly. Visitation will be from 2-5 and 7-9 PM Mon. and from 11AM until the time of the service on Tues. Tom was born in Flint on July 25, 1977 to Robert and Vicki (Heron) Barton. He was a former employee of Buffalo Wild Wings of Fenton, Olive Garden of Flint, and Black Rock of Davison. Tom had kind, loving soul and was very outgoing, funny, and an animal lover. He is survived by his father Robert Barton of Holly; sister Holly Barton of Davison; special cousins Karen (Greg) Fair and Emily Browning, and many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his mother Vicki Barton. Memorial donations may be made to GoFundMe Tom's Memorial/Loss Fundraiser, ASPCA, or the Livingston County Humane Society. [www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com](http://www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Lakeside Cemetery

Holly, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 6. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Dryer Funeral Home  
101 First St  
Holly, MI 48442  
(248) 634-8291

## Visitation

MAY 6. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Holly, MI 48442  
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## Visitation

MAY 7. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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MAY 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dryer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas A. Barton*



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**Dryer Funeral Home, Inc.** - May 06, 2019 at 11:53 AM

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“ *Prayers to family and friends sending my condolence so sorry* 🙏🙏💕  
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**sally stotler** - May 28, 2019 at 05:23 PM

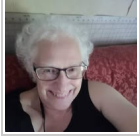


“ *Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Barton.*



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May 07, 2019 at 10:15 AM



“ *For Tommy\* and those who loved him*

*Three days ago it mattered.  
We wondered how many  
crows gather on the church's crenellation; how seldom  
words contain the vowel formation oeu;  
how gradually to stir uncooked risotto into the boiling water.  
Who cares now?  
By what audacity does decanted wine breathe,  
or, linen covered pillows rest fluffily and unaffected?  
We hear distance winds loudly agitate the water's surface,  
witness gray squirrels restlessly  
dash through our gardens. Each of our feet plods  
over and over after the other  
in the emptiness  
of dusk. But there seems no reason for it.  
It simply continues to happen.*

*\*Thomas Barton 1977-2019*

*-Vera Scott*

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Vera Scott - May 07, 2019 at 06:51 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for  
the family of Thomas A. Barton.*



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May 07, 2019 at 06:35 AM

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“ *Buffalo Wild Wings/Diversified Restaurant Holdings purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Thomas A. Barton.*



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**Buffalo Wild Wings/Diversified Restaurant Holdings** - May 06, 2019 at 02:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Barton.*

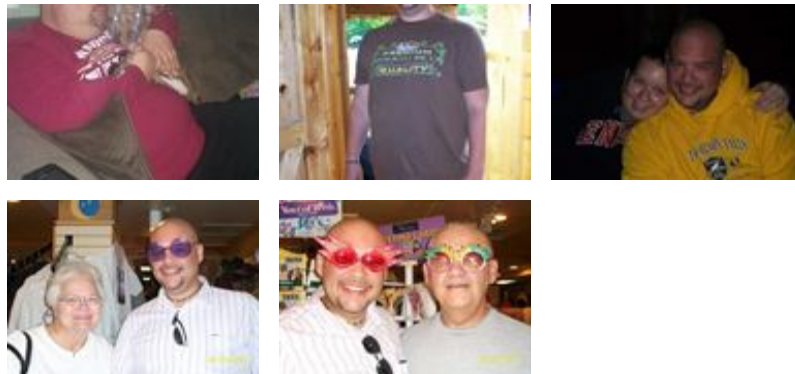


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May 06, 2019 at 12:47 PM



“ *25 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Dryer Funeral Home, Inc.** - May 06, 2019 at 10:48 AM

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“ *Sure going to miss seeing Tom and his smiling face coming into Marathon every day. RIH until I see you again my friend.*

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**Connie Crowe** - May 06, 2019 at 06:08 AM

LE

“ My name is Lisa Edwards I used to go to Olive Garden with my boyfriend Thomas King and we used to have Thomas as our server. He was our favorite one. He was so kind and caring, and Loving. He always gave us a hug when we saw him and when we found out he was no longer working there my heart was broken in two I cried. He will forever be in our hearts. God bless you Thomas thank you for being such a Kind person. Love your friends Lisa Edwards and Thomas King.



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**Lisa Edwards** - May 05, 2019 at 03:21 PM

JP

“ Dear Bob & Holly,  
Heaven has another angel. I'm sure Vickey was there waiting for Tom. I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Janet Prescott



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**Janet Prescott** - May 05, 2019 at 10:16 AM

RB

“ So sorry to hear of Toms passing sending prayers too your family may he rest in peace



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**Rusty Bailey** - May 05, 2019 at 06:32 AM



“ Tom was such a sweetheart to everyone, I'm so sorry to hear of his passing. We used to work together at the crisis home back in like 2004 or so. Tom always made everyone laugh even on their worst day. My heart is so sad and still feels unreal. My deepest condolences to all his family and his many many friends. He is loved and will be missed forever!



Tina Povelaitis - May 04, 2019 at 03:44 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Barton.



May 04, 2019 at 03:42 PM



“ Growing up with you was amazing. Your mother was a mom to us all. The oldest memory of you was dancing. You performed for a small group of us a contemporary number and it made me cry. As we grew older you inspired me in so many ways Tommy B I miss you I love you. You were so wonderful to my family. The greatest guncle ever. My heart aches because I miss you so. Hugs my friend 🤗💋

Angel Saulter - May 04, 2019 at 03:10 PM



“ Tom always made you feel good and you always had a laugh or two when talking together. He was so caring. A very special man. I will greatly miss him.

Dawn Adams - May 04, 2019 at 02:46 PM