



## Caysen Lee Howard

April 22, 2021 - February 22, 2022

Caysen Lee Howard, infant son of Nicholas Howard and Ashley Shepard passed away unexpectedly on February 22, 2022. Caysen was born in Lansing, Michigan on April 22, 2021 and brought so much joy and love into the lives of his family and was often referred to as the “happiest baby”. Caysen loved food, and even at 10 months old, ate chicken nuggets, cheese and tacos. He looked forward to bath time because he loved to splash in the water, even if it was in his favorite dog’s water dish. Caysen recently learned Pat-A-Cake Pat-A-Cake and would want to do it often, even at 3:00 a.m. if he woke up. He always looked forward to seeing and playing with the family pet dogs, Stella and Odin. Odin was even helping and assisting Caysen learning to walk. Caysen had several nick names including china, butters, queso, queso burrito and queso dip.

He is survived by his mom and dad, Ashley Shepard and Nick Howard; siblings, Lincoln, Freya and Klaus; grandparents, Linda Barner, Greg (Candy) Shepard and Kimberly (Dan) Hamel; aunts and uncles, Dena (Mike) Miller, Jennifer (Mike Grau) Harrison, Cindy (Cody Rogers) Harless, Christina (Justin) Jardine and Breanna (Anthony Medley) Ignatuk along with numerous cousins.

A funeral service will be held Saturday, February 26, 2022, 1:00 p.m. at the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Visitation will be on Saturday from 11:00 a.m. until the time of the service at 1:00 p.m. A luncheon will follow the service at Grand Ledge Baptist Church. Memorial contributions

may be given to be used according to the wishes of the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **26**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
406 N. Bridge Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837  
(517) 627-2531  
jasonbarclay@holihanatkin.com  
<https://www.holihanatkin.com>

## Service

FEB **26**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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## Luncheon

FEB **26**. 2:30 PM (ET)

Grand Ledge Baptist Church  
1120 W. Willow Hwy.  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dr Ferik and Grand Ledge Women's Health purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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**Dr Ferik and Grand Ledge Women's Health** - February 24, 2022 at 04:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 24, 2022 at 02:26 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



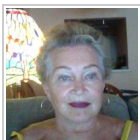
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February 24, 2022 at 12:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 24, 2022 at 12:03 PM

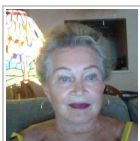


“ *Joanna Harrington lit a candle in memory of Caysen Lee Howard*



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**Joanna Harrington** - February 24, 2022 at 08:35 AM



“ *I do not know this family however, I know they have had a terrible loss and my heart grieves with them. Maybe it will give some peace at this time of sorrow to know that others care. The Lord will greet him with open arms. He is an angel now.*

*With sincere heartfelt sympathy, Joanna Harrington-Ward*

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**Joanna Harrington** - February 24, 2022 at 08:34 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 24, 2022 at 05:57 AM

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“ *Nik and Ashley*

*On behalf of Lansing One of Many Veterans our hearts go out to you and the family at this time. We pray that you will be comforted by the love of family and friends and by the grace of God. This is very hard to deal with but we are here for you.*

*Dozer.*

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**Earl Smith** - February 23, 2022 at 10:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 23, 2022 at 06:59 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 23, 2022 at 03:18 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Caysen Lee Howard.*



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February 23, 2022 at 03:05 PM



“ *Debbie Cashin lit a candle in memory of  
Caysen Lee Howard* ”



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**Debbie Cashin** - February 23, 2022 at 03:05 PM