



Natalie Christine Freiburger

June 6, 1996 - January 5, 2008

Natalie Christine Freiburger 11, of Charlotte, MI, died Saturday, January 5, 2008 after a two and half month courageous and faithful battle against cancer. Natalie was born June 6, 1996 in Grand Rapids, MN, the daughter of Chris and Kimberly (Smith) Freiburger. Natalie enjoyed playing soccer, basketball, writing storybooks, playing with friends, camping, fishing and hunting with daddy. She is survived by her parents, Chris and Kim; sister Samantha; brother Noah; Grandparents Larry and Diane Smith and Edward Freiburger; Great Grandparent Laura Smith and 9 cousins, 3 aunts, 1 uncle and many friends. She was preceded in death by her Grandmother Elaine Freiburger and 7 Great Grandparents. Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 10, 2008 at St. Mary Catholic Church with Fr. Denis Spitzley officiating. Interment will be in Maple Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday at 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. with Rosary at 6:30 p.m. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's Catholic School or DeVos Children's Hospital Foundation. Email condolences to the family of Natalie Christine Freiburger [View memorial tribute.](#)

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“ After being out of state, I wasn't aware of Natalie's story, until a friend, Sarah Hamric, ran the 5K in her memory this past week. I was touched and devastated to read Natalie's loss. My hugs to you. Due to her age, the diagnosis was particularly troubling, and made me wonder to reach out to you. Is your family a MI farm family from the 1970's? Natalie would be "my children's age" and that's why I wanted to ask. Our family is part of the PBB contamination from the 1970's. Emory University is finding affects of PBB in "future generations", particularly children of mothers who may have been born in the late 70's or were children themselves at the time of the farm contamination. Natalie's memory and impact lives on and she touches so many lives. Please let me know, since I'm part of the PBB Citizen's Advisory Board. I can be reached at dairydoc@mei.net or 269.532.2666 (cell). Sincerely Lisa W Halbert DVM PhD

Dr Lisa Halbert - September 13, 2012 at 11:29 AM