



Dawn Vicich

September 15, 1964 - November 14, 2024

Dawn Vicich, 60, was born in Fresno, California on September 15, 1964, and passed away with Franklin at her side on November 14, 2024, at Mercy St. Francis Hospital in Mountain View, Missouri.

Dawn and Franklin first met as teenagers in school. Life took them in a different directions in their youth, but they were reunited years later. On October 27, 2001, they were married in Las Vegas and began a new journey in life. This was the beginning of 23 wonderful years of marriage. They were a team and enjoyed life together immensely. As a child she enjoyed horses and motorcycles. Dawn loved music and dancing. Franklin's work took them across the United States and Dawn was at his side the whole time. She thoroughly enjoyed traveling with him and taking care of him while he worked as a Boilermaker on different locations. He was truly the love of her life and Dawn was his world. Dawn had a special bond with her grandchildren, and she enjoyed her time with them. Words can't express how much she was loved by her family. Dawn was a strong lady who never gave up and always took care of everyone else before herself. She was their angel here on Earth.

She is survived by her loving husband Franklin, four children, Robert Vicich, Johnathon Vicich, Eden Thomas, Gabrielle Smith, four grandchildren: Donovan Thomas, Morena Broyles, Johnathon Vicich, Josslyn Vicich, and one grandchild on the way. Dawn is also survived by her mother, Sandra Wheeler,

her sisters; Sabrina Mondy, Desiree Wheeler and a brother, Robert Wheeler. She is survived by many other family and friends. Dawn was preceded in death by one daughter, Sandy "Spitfire" Nagel and one grandson, Dakota Vicich.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date to be determined.

Tribute Wall

GT

“ I haven't forgot about you mommy and I never will, it's so hard for me to post on here, I'm still crying almost every night. I hate the fact I can't send pictures to you and I hate the fact you can't be here with us. Gosh I miss you so much mommy, please just give me a sign. I need you so much right now. I love you so much mommy. 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - March 30 at 10:03 PM

GT

“ We miss you mommy, wish heaven had visiting hours, gosh I wish I could tell you how much I love you, I wish I could kiss you and hug you, forever my angel. I'm sorry I haven't posted on here for a while, it literally just breaks me to know you're gone. I love you mommy 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - January 13 at 08:13 PM

GT

“ Happy birthday mommy, I can't believe we don't get to spend it together, I miss you so much mommy, I can't believe you're never coming back, I need you mommy, I miss you so much, happy birthday mommy!!! Please guide me mommy, I need you, I love you so much mommy!!! Happy birthday!



Gabrielle Thomas - September 15, 2025 at 10:23 PM

GT

“ We miss you mommy 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - August 19, 2025 at 09:29 PM

GT

“ Wish I could call you on my way home from work and tell you about my day, it's just not fair. Life is horrible without you, I'm only surviving because of my baby, I miss you so much mommy 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - August 12, 2025 at 10:02 PM

GT

“ I love you mommy and miss you more than you'll ever know ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - August 02, 2025 at 09:51 PM

GT

“ We love you mommy and miss you so much ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - June 17, 2025 at 09:49 PM

GT

“ Happy Mother's Day mommy, I miss you so much and wish you were here! Today was not the same without you here, I love you so much and would do anything to be with you one last Mother's Day mommy, I wish I could just hug and kiss you one last time mommy, my heart breaks, I love you mommy ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - May 11, 2025 at 10:09 PM

GT

“ We love you mommy and miss you so much, life isn't life anymore, why did god take you away, we needed you down here, I need you mommy, I just miss you so much mommy 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - April 29, 2025 at 10:24 PM

GT

“ Happy Easter mommy!!!! We love you and miss you more than you'll ever know ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - April 20, 2025 at 08:08 PM

GT

“ To my mom — thank you.

Thank you for the late nights, the early mornings, the quiet sacrifices I never saw until now.

Thank you for loving me on the days I wasn't easy to love.

For showing up, again and again, even when you were tired, even when you were overwhelmed.

*Thank you for the strength you passed down.
For the lessons that didn't always come easy, but came from a place of love.*

For being my safe place, my steady hand, and the voice in my head that still reminds me I can do hard things.

*I know I didn't always say it.
I probably still don't say it enough.
But everything I am today—you had a part in building.*

*Thank you, Mom.
For everything. I love you so much and I wish you were here on earth with me, I'll forever miss you 💔*



Gabrielle Thomas - March 27, 2025 at 10:23 PM

GT

“ We really miss you mommy, wish heaven wasn't so far away 💔



Gabrielle Thomas - March 23, 2025 at 08:15 PM

GT

“ We love you mommy!! ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - March 15, 2025 at 08:14 PM

GT

“ Knox loves and misses his nana ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - March 01, 2025 at 09:01 PM

GT

“ He looks just like his nana, I see you in him EVERY DAY!!!!!! ☐ I love you mommy!!!!



Gabrielle Thomas - February 23, 2025 at 10:54 PM

GT

“ Sleeping, dreaming of his nana ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - February 17, 2025 at 10:04 PM

GT

“ Two months old today, not a day goes by that we don't miss you, we feel you everyday with us but our hearts still hurt that you aren't here on earth, I love you mommy and miss you so much ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - February 10, 2025 at 11:29 PM

GT

“ We love you mommy and nana ☐☐ wish you were here with us!!!!



Gabrielle Thomas - February 05, 2025 at 06:22 PM

GT

“ We love you always mama ☐ we miss you so much



Gabrielle Thomas - January 29, 2025 at 08:52 PM

GT

“ We love you nana ☐ wish you were here with us



Gabrielle Thomas - January 18, 2025 at 11:00 PM

GT

“ We love you mommy, wish you were here with us ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - January 16, 2025 at 06:39 PM

GT

“ I love you so much mommy, goodnight ☐☐



Gabrielle Thomas - January 10, 2025 at 10:13 PM

GT

“ We love you and miss you so much mommy!!! ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - December 31, 2024 at 07:31 PM

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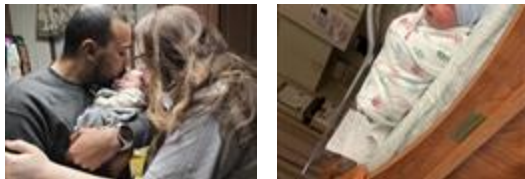
“ We love you mommy ☐☐



Gabrielle Thomas - December 23, 2024 at 10:28 PM

GT

“ He’s here mommy and he’s literally the best thing that has ever happened to me, I had a c section just like you did with all your girls!! I thought of you the entire time and I could hear you saying it’s okay baby you’ll be okay, I miss you more than anything and I wish we had more time and I wish you were able to play card with Knox just like you wanted too. I know you held him in your arms in heaven before he got here and that makes me more than happy!!! Merry early Christmas mommy, I love you so much!!! I hope you’re resting in heaven peacefully!!!



Gabrielle Thomas - December 19, 2024 at 09:58 PM

GT

“ Honey, I thought you should know
That I'm in a hurry
I've got to move up north
But it's just temporary
When I look at you I see your beauty
Now my baby boy he's gonna lose me
But Heaven's not too far away
I know someday you'll visit
And I didn't think it'd go this way
Can I please have one more minute?
No honey, I don't want to go
Please know that I have to
Look how the cancer has grown
I think it's time I go home
Yes, I can still hear your voice
Sounds just like it did
And I can still feel your hand
When it touches my skin
But Heaven's not too far away
I know someday you'll visit
And I didn't think it'd go this way
Can I please have one more minute?
I gave you life
Now you gotta watch it leave my eyes
But Heaven's not too far away
I know someday you'll visit 💔

Gabrielle Thomas - December 01, 2024 at 10:01 PM

GT

“ Miss you mommy, I love you so much, goodnight ☐

Gabrielle Thomas - December 01, 2024 at 09:58 PM

GT

“ Wish you were here on thanksgiving enjoying all the food mommy, I love you!!!! I know you and all of the other angels are feasting in heaven!! I miss you and I love you so much ☐

Gabrielle Thomas - November 28, 2024 at 05:39 PM

GT

“ I love you mommy, goodnight ☐

Gabrielle Thomas - November 25, 2024 at 09:33 PM

ET

“ I miss you so much mom❤️

Eden Thomas - November 22, 2024 at 10:43 PM

GT

“ I love you and miss you mommy ☐ goodnight



Gabrielle Thomas - November 22, 2024 at 09:37 PM

GT

“ I went to text you goodnight but realized you weren't on the other end of the phone anymore, I'm broken mommy, I love you so much
💔 I'm literally lost without you idk how to go on in life without you
mama

Gabrielle Thomas - November 20, 2024 at 09:58 PM

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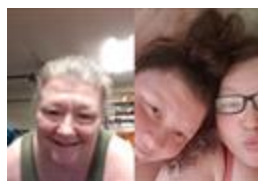
“ I love you and miss you so much mommy, I'm so lost without you. Wish heaven had visiting hours but lord knows I'd never want to leave!!!!



Gabrielle Thomas - November 19, 2024 at 06:35 PM

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Eden Thomas - November 18, 2024 at 05:26 PM

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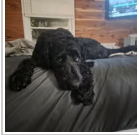
She loved us more than anything!!!! ☐

Gabrielle Thomas - November 18, 2024 at 05:28 PM

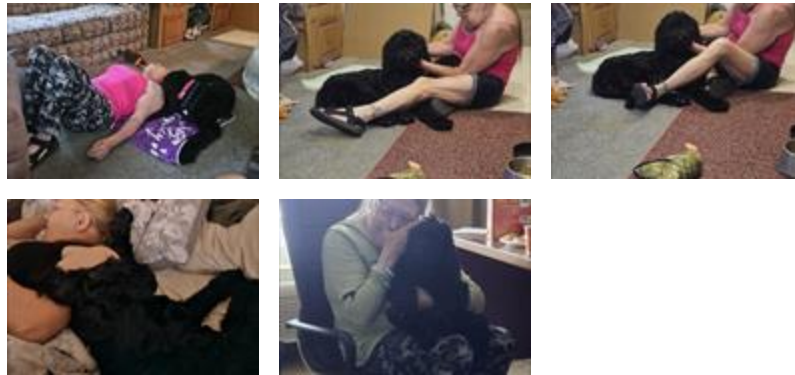
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Yes she did sis!!!!!

Eden Thomas - November 18, 2024 at 05:29 PM



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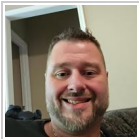


Frank Vicich - November 18, 2024 at 12:11 PM

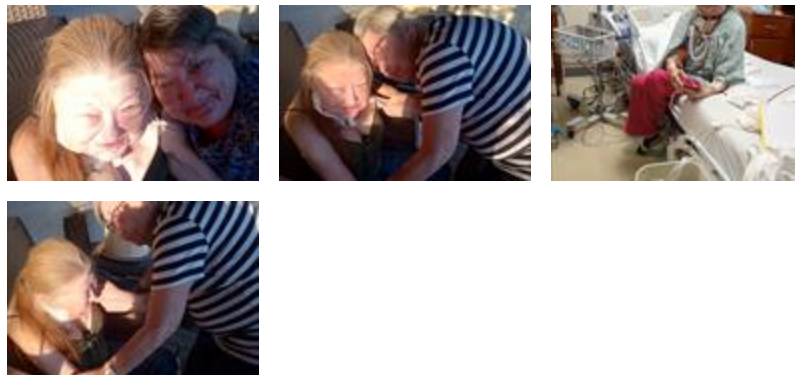
SW

Dawn love her dogs and new baby hope was as big or bigger than her

Sandra Wheeler - November 18, 2024 at 10:22 PM



“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Johnathon Vicich - November 17, 2024 at 07:59 PM

SW

I love you my sweet girl Desi and I will miss all the good times we had together

Sandra Wheeler - November 18, 2024 at 10:19 PM

MV

“ 8 files added to the tribute wall



Megan Vicich - November 17, 2024 at 03:53 PM

ET

“ 7 files added to the tribute wall



Eden Thomas - November 17, 2024 at 03:08 PM

GT

“ *The best mommy anyone could ever ask for, I miss you more than you'll ever know, I find peace in knowing you're in heaven now pain free* ☐



Gabrielle Thomas - November 17, 2024 at 03:07 PM

GT

“ *I love you so much mommy!!!!!! I miss you more than you'll ever know!!! Forever my angel!!!*



Gabrielle Thomas - November 17, 2024 at 03:00 PM