



## ROWENA HEATHER KRAKAUER

September 3, 1955 - February 17, 2021

PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE!

FAMILY SERVICE AT 8:00 A.M. THURSDAY 2/25/2021 at  
DAVIDSON/HERMELIN CHAPEL at CLOVER HILL PARK CEMETERY.

A LINK WILL BE PROVIDED ON THE CLOVER HILL PARK CEMETERY  
WEBSITE JUST PRIOR TO THE FUNERAL. AT THAT TIME GO TO: [www.cloverhillpark.org](http://www.cloverhillpark.org)  
AND CLICK ON ROWENA HEATHER KRAKAUER LISTING.  
Or connect to <https://vimeo.com/516670701>

TO WATCH A RECORDING OF THE FUNERAL SERVICE AND BURIAL,  
PLEASE GO TO PHOTOS AND VIDEO SECTION OF THIS WEBPAGE AND  
CLICK ON THE VIDEOS.

Age 65, of Austin, Texas, formerly of Detroit, died February 17, 2021.

Beloved mother of Gabriel Tabashnik.

Cherished sister of Dr. Yehoshua (Dr. Sarah) Krakauer, Sabrina Lynn (Dr.  
William)Streusand, Melissa Beth (Herb Ganz) Krakauer-Ganz.

Also survived by other loving family members and friends.

INTERMENT:

Clover Hill Park Cemetery

OFFICIATOR:

Rabbi Y.M. Levin

SHIVA:

Information is being gathered at this time

CONTRIBUTIONS:

If you would like to further honor the memory of

ROWENA HEATHER KRAKAUER

you may do so by making a contribution to:

CAPITAL AREA FOOD BANK OF TEXAS

or

YESHIVA BETH YEHUDA

# Cemetery Details

## Clover Hill Park Cemetery

2425 East 14 Mile Road  
Birmingham, MI 48009

# Previous Events

## FUNERAL

FEB **25**. 8:00 AM (ET)

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Birmingham, MI 48009

# Tribute Wall



“ I only just learned of Rowena's passing. I remember her from high school as kind, friendly, intelligent and a bit different. We dated just a few times then headed off in different directions. I am sorry to hear that she is gone. I have no doubt that she made a positive impact on the world, and I am sad that we have lost her.  
Ken Wiljanen

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**Kenneth Wiljanen** - May 07, 2024 at 03:46 PM

MS

“ Rowena, Sabrina and Melissa attended my Bar Mitzvah in February, 1967. I don't remember Jesse being there, but he was part of the many family dinners we shared together. My parents were great friends with Bernie and Edie. I remember Passover seders and other dinners spent together.  
These are still some of the warmest memories I have. I remember the smiles on all the faces and the humour. Bernie knew how to lead a service.  
It is a shock to see this. I know Rowena was loved.

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**Michael Strathman** - January 21, 2022 at 05:08 PM

SC

“ We came to the clinical psychology program at MSU in 1980, fourteen of us. Rowena was such a gentle and friendly person who befriended me (someone who came from a foreign country). She welcomed me. She had such a beautiful soul. May God bless her soul and may her loved ones take comfort in knowing that she's greatly loved and missed by her classmates.

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**Shing-Shiong Chang** - April 06, 2021 at 05:40 PM

SL

“ Rowena was one of my other fourteen very bright young fellow doctoral students, and she was always and without exception a delight to see: Full of energy and enthusiasm, humor, and as warm of heart as she was beautiful of face. Once she moved to Hawaii, our exchanges were few and decreasing, however, she will always hold a special place in my memories. I'm so sad to learn of this great loss to her family and friends. I remember her with great fondness.

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**Stan Lieberman** - April 04, 2021 at 01:45 PM

DW

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to all of Rowena's family and friends for her passing.

*Rowena was a neighbor and friend which I had the blessing of knowing. Remarkably smart and kind, she was a beautiful gentle soul and I will miss her. So hoped she would have an opportunity to see the Texas Bluebonnets later in the spring. Now, each time the flowers bloom, for each year that remains in this life, I will think of Rowena and her loving kindness.*

*My heart is with you all.*



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**Debra Wilson** - February 27, 2021 at 02:19 PM

HC

“ B”sd

*Taanis Esther-Erev Purim 5781*

*25 Feb 2021*

*Rowena Heather Krakauer Z”AL*

*רעב בוד תב היח אזייר*

*Soon to be Dedicated Memorial Windows for the Multipurpose  
Study Hall Library and Women’s Section*

*Aish HaTorah Center 25725 Coolidge Hwy.*

*Oak Park, Michigan, 48237*

*The twin windows were opened and completed during Feb 22-24 by a dedicated worker. The light they bring should elevate the soul of Rowena, dearest sister to Jesse, Sabrina and Melissa and loving mother to Gabriel, a friend to many and professional psychologist for children. May her memory be a blessing.*

*Dedications can be made at [aishdetroit.com](http://aishdetroit.com), or Zelle to [balfourshul@gmail.com](mailto:balfourshul@gmail.com) – Rowena Windows Fund to cover construction and support the outreach programs of Aish Hatorah and the Balfour Shul.*

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**Hebrew Memorial Chapel** - February 25, 2021 at 10:35 AM

HM

“ 3 files added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Hebrew Memorial** - February 25, 2021 at 10:27 AM

SW

“ *We are pulling for you and the family and sending our love and sympathies. Peace be with you. Love, Susan and Robert*

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**Susan Robert Wozniak** - February 25, 2021 at 09:08 AM

SS

“ We remember the joy and pride that Rowena radiated at Gabe’s Bar Mitzvah in Tucson. May those happy moments be remembered for the kind and gentle soul that Rowena is.  
Love, Ron and Susan Starkman

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**Susan and Ron Starkman** - February 25, 2021 at 08:54 AM

MR

“ Sending extra love to you all during this time. May peace fill your hearts and the love you all shared last forever.

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**Miriam Raviv** - February 25, 2021 at 08:45 AM

DT

“ I am so deeply saddened. There are no words to express our sense of loss. She was such a beautiful person and cousin.  
Howie and Karen

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**Dr Howard Tenenbaum** - February 24, 2021 at 12:20 PM

GG

“ She always had a special place in my heart we went to high school together she would come over and play her guitar my heart is heavy today  
Gary Grossman

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**Gary Grossman** - February 19, 2021 at 12:23 PM