



Vendor Spotlight
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Howard County Farmers' Market

Cindy Jackson



Hello to everyone. My name is Cindy Jackson. I am a stay-at-home wife and I love it that way. I was born August 31, 1968 and grew up in Vidov, Texas. I moved here a year ago to marry Tracy Jackson, my best friend, who was already living here and working on a ranch for Mr. James Dyer. I have fallen in love with this little town.

I'm a member of the Crosspoint Cowboy Church. Tracy, who loves working on the Ranch was born on February 14, 1968 and he grew up in Idabel, Oklahoma. We have three children - two girls and a boy - and six grandchildren.

Farming was passed down to me through my grandparents who live in Florence, Mississippi. They raised cattle and always had a garden. I was always very interested in the farm aspect of life, and in fact, was a member of the Future Farmers of America all through high school!

I have been baking for about 12 years, mostly for family and friends. One day I saw the "Farmers' Market Today" sign on Collins Road off Hwy 27 By-Pass. So, I enquired about the Market and now I sell lots of different homemade baked goods there, among others Strawberry Banana Bread, Cinnamon Friendship Bread and my best seller -Banana Nut Bread. My favorite is Cowboy Cookies. Baking is one of my passions. Besides baking and gardening, my other interests are sewing and crafting. I also have a booth at Amity Trade Days.

I love coming to the market and hope to see it continue to grow. It is a blessing in our community for people to be able to get fresh, home-grown produce without driving 30, 40 or even 50 miles outside of Nashville. And let me tell you, having a garden can also be very therapeutic.

If you haven't been to the market, please do come on down. Everyone at the market is very friendly and will make you feel welcome. Besides all the market has to offer, there's a Nashville Demonstration Organic Garden where lots of garden workshops are held and a "Kid's Klub" for kids 3-10 held during the summer months - May to August. I feel very blessed to be a part of it. If you would like some fresh baked bread for any special occasion, just let me know. You can email me at Cindyjackson2016@yahoo.com, or call (870) 557-8433. I'd love to hear from you!