

News & Press

Goin' Back to Indiana: Can You Feel It - 2012

The 'Goin' Back to Indiana: Can You Feel It' events in Gary, IN on August 29 – September 1, 2012 received a lot of publicity. Highlighting the four days were appearances by Michael Jackson's mother, Katherine Jackson, and his children, Prince, Paris and Blanket, plus performances by TIBC's The Gratitude Project. During this time, the focus was not only on honoring Michael Jackson but also on helping to revitalize the City of Gary.

The Gratitude Project performers were TIBC recording artists [Jordan Sumner](#), [Breana Taylor](#), [Jessica Coker](#), and [The Hartfield Brothers](#) who sang songs from their new CD/DVD "[Gratitude: Dedicated to Katherine Jackson](#)," released on August 29, Michael Jackson's birthday.

Press Release for Goin' Back to Indiana: Can You Feel It – August 7, 2012 [PDF](#)

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http://chicagoist.com/2012/08/30/michael_jacksons_family_celebrates.php

TMZ - Michael Jackson's Birthday MJ's Kids Celebrate at Singer's Childhood Home
<http://www.tMZ.com/2012/08/29/michael-jackson-birthday-kids-gary-indiana-photos/>

Extra - Michael Jackson's Kids Celebrate Dad's Birthday in Gary, Indiana
<http://www.extratv.com/2012/08/30/michael-jackson-birthday-photos-video-of-prince-paris-blanket/>

Chicago Tribune - Michael Jackson fans flock to Gary: 'This is where it all began'
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<http://music.yahoo.com/blogs/hip-hop-media-training/michael-jackson-kids-celebrate-dad-54th-birthday-gary-221706566.html>

Just Jared - Michael Jackson's Kids Visit His Hometown on 54th Birthday

<http://www.justjared.com/2012/08/30/michael-jacksons-kids-visit-his-hometown-on-54th-birthday/>

Examiner - Michael Jackson's children to attend Gary Railcats game in honor of late father

<http://www.examiner.com/article/michael-jackson-s-children-to-attend-gary-railcats-game-honor-of-late-father>

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http://www.monstersandcritics.com/people/news/article_1702860.php/Michael-Jackson-s-kids-celebrate-his-birthday

NBC Chicago - Michael Jackson's Kids, Mother Honor King of Pop in Gary

<http://www.nbcchicago.com/the-scene/events/Michael-Jacksons-Kids-Mother-Honor-King-of-Pop-in-Gary-167842155.html>

Digital Spy UK - Michael Jackson kids visit father's childhood home for his birthday

<http://www.digitalspy.com/celebrity/news/a402579/michael-jackson-kids-visit-fathers-childhood-home-for-his-birthday.html>

The Milpitas Post – Milpitas singer honors the 'King of Pop': One of many recording artists who participate in 'Goin' Back to Indiana', September 21, 2012 newspaper article

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