

A SHACK SNACK

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On the way to Mad Dogs & Englishmen, there is one stop worth making in life. Shari and I ventured off to Kalamazoo on Saturday afternoon so we could stop at one of our favorite places on the planet. I am of course referring to the BBQ Shack (off US-127, Page Avenue exit), 3491 Page Avenue, in Jackson. We went on Saturday because the Shack is closed on Sunday and Monday and we were not about to miss out on *gooooood* barbecue, no way!

Now we did have to sit on I-94 for two hours before existing onto US-127 due to a rollover / burning tanker truck (expressway closed in both directions) but that did not denture us. We just sat in traffic, mouths watering, fantasizing

about the best pulled pork, brisket or chicken (they smoke it out back) sandwiches, baked beans and other delicious side dishes. They also have ribs. This is a **MUST** stop



if you are ever in the

area and so we needed to share this wonderful place with ya all. Menards is just across the road, just sayin'.

Be advised, it is a shack, no fancy anything, but the best barbecue served on Styrofoam plates and soda out of a can!

You dine outdoors on the attached deck or, if you're brave, take out in your car. The BBQ Shack is open all year round, in fact, last December we dined along side the portable heater on the deck and it was still sooo yummy! You can even take a picture of yourself along side the ceramic pig located on the top of the deck stairs.

This shack is a traveler's **must know** destination. Ya all will thank us!

