

# ★ PASSAVANT RETIREMENT COMMUNITY ★

## ***Kristy Hindman, L.P.N.***

Kristy Hindman's deceased mom, Sandy, was a paramedic, and her father, Robert, a great provider. "We had what I would call a wholesome childhood," she says.

"And since mom died, well, let's just say my dad is always there when I need him."

That's much the way the Hindman's colleagues at Passavant Retirement Community in Zelienople describe her today.

A single mother of two daughters, Abby, 16 and Allison, 12, Hindman drives 55 miles one-way from her Venango County home to work. Her reputation is that she arrives early, works hard and, like her father, "is always there when she's needed."

After attending school in Oil City and working as an agency staff nurse, she was hired by Passavant Retirement Community in Zelienople about five years ago.

"As an agency nurse, I have seen a lot of facilities, and Passavant absolutely offers the best care I've ever seen. My supervisors and co-workers are great. It makes the drive worth it," she said.

"It is a tough job, and you see people who are at their lowest point – sick or dying, and it is gratifying to offer them something. I love older people, and I like to make them laugh," Hindman said.

