



Ms Barbara Jean Brockett

February 10, 1948 - May 23, 2022

Barbara J. Brockett, 74, passed away peacefully, on May 23, 2022. A native of Seatack, Virginia, she was born on February 10, 1948. She was known for her love of helping others as well as cheering for her son, Gary at all athletic events. She would pray often and began to sing praises to God. This time was sacred not only because of worshipping the Lord, but because this was how she thanked God for everything He had done for her, regardless of how much pain she may have been in. She was very thankful for whatever you did for her.

Much of her time was dedicated to helping others until she met the match of her heart, James (Zip) in 1964. They joined in holy matrimony on September 24, 1966, and were married for 54 years. She experienced God's grace and mercy and loved others with the same spirit. She was always gracious when called on to lend a helping hand.

Barbara loved her family! She is most remembered by her son and grandchildren for her spontaneous spirit and ability to joke and play. She had a passion for fishing, feeding the homeless, reading her Bible, and eating good food.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James E. Brockett; her father, William A. Knox; her mother, Mary L. Knox.

She was a grandmother and a mentor to many.

She was a faithful member of Holy Rock Fellowship Center.

Barbara leaves to cherish her fondest memory: her son, Gary Brockett

(Celeste); three grandchildren, Gabriel A. Brockett, Delani Merrin A. Graham, and Kingston James Brockett; Neice Angela Knox; her devoted caregivers Belinda Allen, and Aisha Barnes; and a host of cousins, other relatives, and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Union Baptist Church
4608 South Blvd
Virginia Beach , VA 23462

Funeral Service

JUN 2. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

JUN 2. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Woodlawn Memorial Gardens
6309 E. Virginia Beach Blvd
Virginia Beach, VA

Tribute Wall

JC

“ Our thoughts and our prayers are with your family at this time. Barbara and Zip were wonderful neighbors. We're going to miss them both.
Rick and Jemelle Craig

Jemelle Craig - June 02, 2022 at 10:58 AM

CH

“ Barbara was a faithful servant for God, ushering and loving everybody. To be absent from this body is to be present with the Lord. Take your rest in the Lord.



Claudine Benjamin Hills - June 01, 2022 at 07:41 PM

PO

“ Rest in peace my dear cousin. We love and miss you but God loves you more and has called you home to rest in eternal peace. We have many loving memories of you to cling to in our hour of bereavement. God is good.
Your Cousin, Paulette Owens-Roots

Paulette Owens-Roots - June 01, 2022 at 02:00 PM

JW

“ Mrs. Brockett was my children's bus driver when they were in elementary school and we felt very lucky to have her. She always had a nice word to say, and a smile on her face. You could tell she loved the children and they loved her back. We would often exchange greetings when she arrived at our bus stop. I feel so fortunate to have known her. She was a lovely person. Jen Williams

Jen Williams - June 01, 2022 at 01:50 PM

DH

“ God truly got angel. My prayers to my cousin Gary and his wife and kids. Aunt Barbara, job well done. You are with Uncle Zip forever.



Deborah Hall - June 01, 2022 at 01:42 PM

ES

“ Please know I share with you the grief of your loss. Barbara was a bundle of joy and she will be missed by all who knew her. Our condolences and prayers are with the family.

Ethel Spain - May 31, 2022 at 12:39 PM

TS

“ God Bless 🙏
Keeping Your Family in Thoughts Prayers 🙏
Always Remember To Always Hold on To
God's Unchanging Hands 🙏🙏🙏 Sending
Family Love From West Haven , Connecticut (
Home town of Virginia Beach , VA)
Amen
Mrs. Tina T. Mitchell - Sanders💕



Tina Mitchell Sanders - May 31, 2022 at 12:22 PM

CB

“ Ms. Barbara Jean was a neighbor when I was a preteen. She was very nice and often gave us snacks. She loved Gary and would keep us all in line when needed. So sorry to hear of her passing. RIP dear Lady. My sincerest condolences to Gary and the family.

Charles DeSean Beavers - May 30, 2022 at 08:47 PM

ES

“ *Ella Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms Barbara Jean Brockett*



Ella Smith - May 30, 2022 at 01:32 PM

ES

“ *Ella Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms Barbara Jean Brockett*



Ella Smith - May 30, 2022 at 01:30 PM