



Barbara Jean Struyk

October 28, 1941 - March 2, 2023

Barbara Jean Struyk (nee Yasosky), 81, of Wood-Ridge, passed on Thursday, March 2, 2023. Barbara was born in Passaic and raised in Wallington and East Rutherford, eventually moving to Wood-Ridge. She lived in Washington State for 19 months working for the State of Washington Welfare Auditing Medical Department while her husband, Donald, served with the United States Army. She then returned to Wood-Ridge to raise her two sons, Dennis and Douglas. Barbara worked as an Account Analyst for Capstone Research in Fairfield for 34 years, retiring in 2012. Her passions in life included taking care of her family and knitting and crocheting. Barbara was the beloved wife, of 59 years, to Donald M. Struyk, devoted mother of Dennis M. Struyk and his wife, Lori, and Douglas M. Struyk and his wife, Robyn, caring grandmother of Katelynn, dear sister of Maryann Morisi and her husband, Hector Sr., and Thomas "Butch" Yasosky. Barbara was the dear cousin of Julia Jane Cobianchi and best friend of Betty Gibons. She will be missed by many other family members and countless friends from the deli.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Barbara's name to a charity of your choice would be kindly appreciated by her family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Kamienski Funeral Home of Wallington
106 Locust Avenue
Wallington, NJ 07057

Visitation

MAR 9. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Kamienski Funeral Home of Wallington
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Wallington, NJ 07057

Chapel Service at Funeral Home

MAR 9. 8:45 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Wallington, NJ 07057

Visitation

MAR 10. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Private Cremation

MAR 10. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

East Ridgelawn Cemetery
255 Main Avenue
Clifton, NJ 07014

Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Jean Struyk*

September 27, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ *I just recently learned of Barbara's passing. My sincere condolences to Dennis, Doug and Don. I go back years knowing Barbara. She was always warm and genuine. Our both boys attended school together. I often chatted with her at Larry's. We would sit and talk about our kids and our granddaughters. I will miss bumping into her at CVS and Kearny Bank. Rest in Peace my friend! 🙏🙏*

Ginger Mavric - May 02, 2023 at 11:55 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to you Donald, Dennis, Douglas and Family. I worked with Barbara for many years, and we became good friends. She was such a lovely person with such a big heart filled with kindness. May she be resting with the Lord in Heaven.*

In Sympathy,

Janice Ann Gurzo

Janice Ann Gurzo - March 22, 2023 at 11:49 PM



“ *We have so many memories of our big family. Family reunions every year in pennsylvania brought everyone together for a weekend of fun and great food. Barbara will be missed greatly. Rest in peace Cuz.*

Eleanor and Steve Goliczewski - March 05, 2023 at 05:37 PM

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“ Doug, Don and Family,

I will never forget Barbara's easy-going way, her big, beautiful smile and warm, brown eyes... Her no nonsense, straightforward, can-do attitude kept us grounded. Her face lit up whenever she talked about her grand-daughter Katie and her sons, Doug and Dennis. She kept us entertained with stories about Atlantic City, shared her recipes for banana and zucchini bread, and spoke very genuinely about her love for her husband Don. She was so very proud of how they both grew up during harder times and together, made such wonderful life for themselves and their family.

She inspired me and provided the best advice and encouragement that helped me through so many of life's challenges. I am heartbroken to lose her from the landscape... sad for her and for all of you. She was a most wonderful lady and a precious human being. I will miss her dearly. You're all in my prayers... Much love to all of you.

Jo Parnofiello from Lucky Larry's xoxo

joanne Parnofiell - March 05, 2023 at 03:33 PM