



Barbara Ann McDonald

May 20, 1934 - November 3, 2016

Barbara Ann McDonald, 82, died November 3, 2016 at Sunset Village Nursing Home in St. Robert, Missouri.

Born May 20, 1934, in The Bronx, New York, Barbara grew up in New York City and graduated from St. Nicholas of Talentine High School in 1952. She married William H. McDonald in New York City on September 18, 1954 and lived in New York City, New York, Selden, New York, Sierra Vista, Arizona and Crocker, Missouri.

While living in New York, Barbara worked for a chiropractor's office in Centereach, New York until her retirement in 1996 at which time she moved to Crocker, Missouri to live with her daughter Amy. After coming to this area, Barbara worked for a short time at the Rock of Ages School.

Barbara was an avid reader, enjoyed doing crafts of any kind, crossword puzzles and cooking. She made her home very homey and comfortable. She was very involved in her church and spent much time in prayer.

Barbara is survived by sons: William H. McDonald, Jr. (Susan) of Vietnam, and Gerard J. McDonald (Nimfa) of the state of Arizona; two daughters: Amy T. Hassett (Dan) of Crocker, Missouri and Jeannie E. Andrew (Billy) of Ridge, New York; one sister: Elaine P. Perro of St. Robert, Missouri; 11 grandchildren;

16 great grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

Barbara was preceded in death by her mother, Agnes Guilfoyle, her stepfather, Eugene Guilfoyle and her husband.

Services were held at 7:00 p.m. Monday, November 7, 2016 in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert with Pastor Richard Harris officiating. The songs "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone" by Chris Tomlin, "In My Life" by the Beatles, "Wish You Here" by Mark Harris, and "Give Me Jesus" by Jeremy Camp.

Burial was held in Calverton National Cemetery of Calverton, New York. Arrangements were under the direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Barbara McDonald and may be left at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert
202 Historic 66 W.
Waynesville, MO 65583
(573) 774-6111
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Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara Ann McDonald*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - November 07, 2016 at 04:41 PM

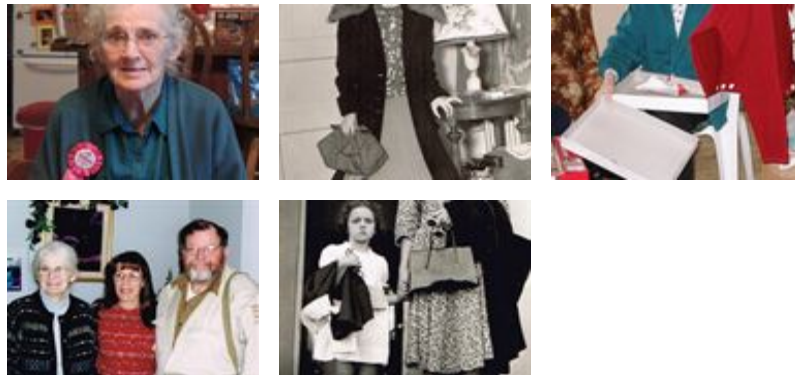


“ *Barbara Ann McDonald*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *44 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - November 07, 2016 at 03:44 PM

SM

“ *Not only my mother-in-law.....but my friend and tea partner. I miss you so.*

Sue McDonald - November 07, 2016 at 06:12 AM

HO

“ *Ms. Barb was like a secondary Grandmother to me. My own grandparents lived very far away and I rarely saw them, but every Wednesday and Sunday, Ms. Barb was there. From giving hugs to just chatting with me, she made my day every time I saw her. Even when I left home, she stayed in touch, sending me postcards and letters while I was in boot camp. Anytime I went home for a visit, she was there, waiting with a huge smile and big hug. I miss her but I know she is in a place where her body is no longer in pain and her mind is clear. Love you Ms. Barb!*

Heather O'Brien - November 06, 2016 at 04:01 AM

OT

“ *Oresta Talbot lit a candle in memory of Barbara Ann McDonald*



Oresta Talbot - November 04, 2016 at 07:59 PM

RM

“ So many memories of this beautiful lady, but I think one of my favorites happened as a word from God. As I was getting ready for church one morning, God whispered that he wanted me to tell Miss Barb that her wrinkles were filled with the Glory of God. I told God, "I can't do that. You aren't supposed to notice stuff like that." He repeated that I should tell her. So, timidly, I went up to Miss Barb after church and said, "As I was getting ready for church, God told me to let you know your wrinkles are filled with His glory." She began laughing. She said as she got dressed that morning, she looked in the mirror and asked, "God, why do I have all these wrinkles?"

Now, she is resting in His glory. I love you, Miss Barb, and will miss you always.

Ramona Mayo - November 04, 2016 at 06:58 AM

BR

“ My dear friend is now at peace, walking the streets of gold. May heaven hold all the things she believed it did and may she be waiting for me when I come so we can again share her precious thoughts. I will always cherish our time together and our wonderful conversations over lunch. Until we meet again. Love, Beverly

Beverly Rasmussen - November 04, 2016 at 05:35 AM

CH

“ I gave my heart to the Lord in Sept. 1997. The following April, my husband left for a year in Korea. In August, I was working in a Christian academy and Ms Barb was there at my side. Here I was trying to become the Christian wife my husband needed, only he was thousands of miles away. Email was new and scarce then. Messages of the happenings in Korea often left me confused, angry or frustrated. Ms Barb would listen intently, as she did so well, to my story and then offer a perspective I never would have thought of in a million years. We spent every morning praying before school and searching the Bible for our verse of the week. We wanted to learn more about how to serve God better. She spent that whole school year mentoring me to be the wife my husband needed and to be the woman God wanted. When people ask me who is the most influential person in my Christian walk, that answer is easy. There are only 2, and Ms Barb is number 1. I can't wait to see her again and tell her how grateful I am that she poured herself and the love of Jesus into my life.

Christie Henning - November 04, 2016 at 02:38 AM

JC

“ Barbara was a beautiful lady who was sweet, loved Jesus, prayed for others and always greeted me with a warm smile and a hug. WE had our love for Jesus in common and we will see her in heaven when we are called home to be with Jesus.

Julie St Cyr - November 03, 2016 at 10:46 PM

BB

“ *I'm going to really miss you grandma*



beth burt - November 03, 2016 at 07:44 PM

BM

I remember her well from ROA - & it was so easy to remember her name!! She always had a good word to share! She was a blessing to many!! So glad I got to meet her!

Barb Maufas - November 06, 2016 at 05:24 PM