



Barbara J Bailey

August 4, 1952 - June 6, 2016

Barbara J. Bailey, age 63, of McClure died Monday, June 6, 2016 at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis.

She was born August 4, 1952 in Cairo, Illinois to Alguquine and Ruby (Bridges) May.

Barbara was a tireless hard worker. She enjoyed gardening and loved children. She was always willing to help anyone that was in need. She was a true blessing to her family and friends.

She is survived by 2 daughters, Ruby Nunnally of Cape Girardeau and Brandi Stokes of Paducah, Kentucky; her grandchildren, Amanda Dorris, Brianna Barnett, Preston Nunnally, Miracle and Xavier Stokes; 1 sister, Willa Simmons of McClure, Illinois; 2 brothers, Robert (Cindy) May and Thomas (Penny) May both of Thebes, Illinois; her best friends, Tammy (David) Dabbs of Jackson, Missouri and Jo Ann (Randy) Dain of Olive Branch, Illinois; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, 3 sisters Dixie Reed, Linda Bevens and Diane Hammond and 5 brothers, Ronnie, Cecil James, Leonard, Jackie and Patrick May.

Visitation will be held from 11:00 AM until the time of service Wednesday, June 8, 2016 at Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral services for Barbara Bailey will be held Wednesday at 3:00 PM at the funeral home with Rev. Randy Morgan officiating. Interment will follow at Rose Hill Cemetery in Thebes.

Memorial contributions can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and will be accepted at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Cape Girardeau
829 N. West End Blvd
(4 blocks north of Southeast Hospital)
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 335-3223
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Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara J Bailey*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *my mother was an will always be a amazing person!!!! i miss her so so so much!!!! the family keep me from seeing you in the hospital an waited 6 days after you passed to tell me on facebook that u passed but you will always be alive to me u are with me every step i take i love you*

brandi stokes-barnett - November 05, 2019 at 05:57 AM



“ *Ruby Nunnally lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey*



Ruby nunnally - June 12, 2016 at 08:45 PM



Love you mom going to miss you fly like a Angel that you are until I see you again

Ruby nunnally - June 12, 2016 at 08:48 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara J Bailey.*



June 07, 2016 at 10:27 PM



“ *Georgia Anderson lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey*



Georgia Anderson - June 07, 2016 at 12:15 PM



“ *Marsha Redfearn lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey*



Marsha Redfearn - June 07, 2016 at 11:43 AM



“ *Barb was a caring beautiful person. My heart goes out to her family. Rest in peace my friend.*

Marsha Redfearn - June 07, 2016 at 11:42 AM

JG

“ *Such a beautiful soul...I've got some great childhood memories thanks to her. Rest easy Barb*



jenny lynn glueck - June 07, 2016 at 07:47 AM

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Helen Lichtenberg - June 07, 2016 at 06:08 AM

GB

“ *Gina Bledsoe lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey*



Gina Bledsoe - June 07, 2016 at 06:04 AM

LK

“ *LINDA KURTZ lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey*



LINDA KURTZ - June 07, 2016 at 03:18 AM

SH

“ No one will ever diminish the 30 years of friendship we shared. Barb more than anyone knew that no matter how much or how little contact we had, one thing was for sure...we loved each other like family. To my girls, she was Aunt Barb and to her girls, I'm Aunt Sharon. Always in thoughts and prayers, forever in my heart. I'll focus on the the good times and all the great memories we created as strong independent women striving to make a great life for our girls. I'll miss you my beautiful friend. Loving you always!



Sharon Hileman - June 06, 2016 at 10:59 PM



Love you sharon

Brandi Stokes-barnett - July 16, 2021 at 08:03 AM

Amanda Dorris

“ My grandma was my everything she was rhe one person that never gave up on me she always made me laugh and i miss her so much it hurts i remember this time that me her tammy and tammys daughter where at Wal-Mart we was told not to go woundering off and we did and when they found us they embarrassed us by acting like they were lovers it was not funny at the time but lookin back on it now it is i love u nana

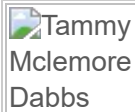
Amanda Dorris - June 06, 2016 at 10:05 PM

Tammy Mclemore Dabbs

“ Tammy Mclemore Dabbs lit a candle in memory of Barbara J Bailey



Tammy Mclemore Dabbs - June 06, 2016 at 08:48 PM



“ Remembering her wonderful and gentle soul will forever remain in our hearts. May she rest in peace!

Tammy Mclemore Dabbs - June 06, 2016 at 08:47 PM



“ BEAUTIFUL LADY INSIDE AND OUT - I AM CHANGED BY HER COURAGE TO FIGHT ON AND WHAT A WARRIOR! SHE IS MY HERO WITH A BEAUTIFUL SMILE. THANK YOU AUNT BARB, - LOVE SHERRY, TYLER AND GRACE. WE LOVE YOU AND WILL SEE YOU AGAIN!!!

Sherry Owen - June 06, 2016 at 07:58 PM



You got that right god i miss her so much

Amanda Dorris - June 06, 2016 at 11:11 PM



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Brandi Stokes-barnett - July 16, 2021 at 08:04 AM