



Barbara L. Smith

April 13, 1943 - August 23, 2015

Barbara L. Smith, 72, of Dublin, OH passed away August 23, 2015. Barbara was a dedicated school teacher for over 30 years for the Pomona Unified School District in California. Barbara had a passion for education especially teaching young children to read. She dedicated many volunteer hours towards local education programs as well as her church and meals on wheels. As a young woman she enjoyed singing in church, gardening, sewing and cooking. In retirement, Barbara moved to Ohio to be near family. She attended New Hope Church in Powell and enjoyed spending time with her children and eight grandchildren. Barbara was a beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend and she will be deeply missed.

Barbara is survived by her daughter, Laura (Andrew) Arocha; sons, Wayne (Nadia) Smith and Warren (Tressa) Smith; eight grandchildren; brother, Joseph (Marge) Lamar; sisters, Patricia Wehr and Deanna Dunaway. Barbara is preceded in death by her parents, Dean and Mary Lamar of Brookville, IN. A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, September 5, 2015 at 9:00 AM at NEW HOPE CHURCH 4739 W. Powell Road Powell, Ohio 43065. A Graveside service will follow at 3:00 PM at Maple Grove Cemetery in Brookville, Indiana. To send an online condolence, please visit www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP 5. 9:00 AM (ET)

New Hope Church
4739 West Powell Road
Powell, OH 43065
<http://newhopeworship.org/>

Graveside Service

SEP 5. 3:00 PM (ET)

Maple Grove Cemetery (Brookville, IN)
Brookville, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara L. Smith*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - September 08, 2015 at 01:58 PM



“ *Barbara L. Smith*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara L. Smith.*



September 04, 2015 at 08:50 PM



“ *Andrew Arocha lit a candle in memory of Barbara L. Smith*



Andrew Arocha - September 04, 2015 at 11:00 AM

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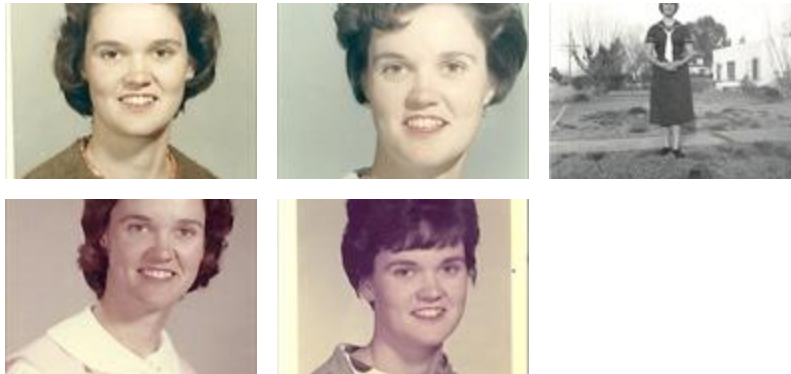
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Laura Arocha - September 03, 2015 at 09:59 PM

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Wayne Smith - September 03, 2015 at 08:47 PM

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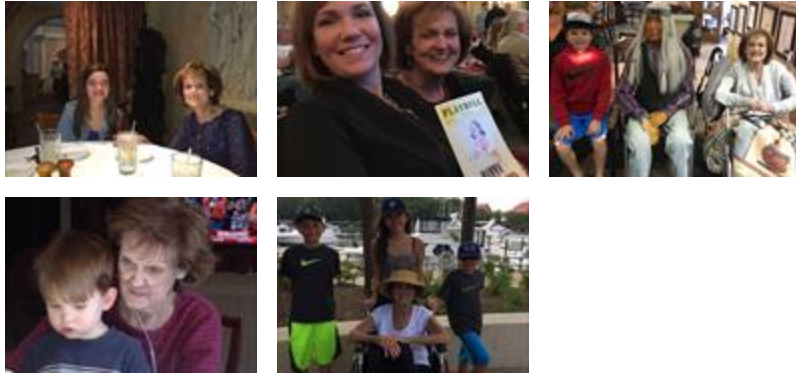
“ *Laura Arocha lit a candle in memory of Barbara L. Smith*



Laura Arocha - September 03, 2015 at 08:46 PM

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Laura Arocha - September 03, 2015 at 08:43 PM



“ *Written in the Stars* was purchased for the family of Barbara L. Smith.



September 03, 2015 at 08:19 PM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Barbara L. Smith.



September 03, 2015 at 05:30 PM