



## Barbara A. Taggart

March 13, 2009

Barbara A. Taggart, 62, of Plain City, passed away on Friday, March 13, 2009 after a long battle with cancer at home surrounded by her family. Graduated in 1964 from Lima Senior High School. Received an Associate's Degree in Business Management from Franklin University in Columbus. Worked for Lazarus before relocating to Columbus in 1979. Retired from Abbott Laboratories in 2003 after 23 years of service. Worked for the Ohio Department of Public Safety as an administrative assistant in the legal department and then the Director's Office. She had a love for nature, OSU football and the Cleveland Browns. Preceded in death by parents, Howard J. and Wilma I. Smith. Survived by husband, Roger; children Amanda K. (James) Thiedt and Stephanie A. (Mike) Krutzler both of Florida; Brian M. (Traci) Wertz of Lewis Center, OH and Keith A. (Susan) Taggart of Canton, OH; grandchildren Zachary Perrine, Tyler, Aaron and Matthew Thiedt, Kira and Kinsey Krutzler, Brian and Maggie Wertz and Alicia Hornsby; three great-grandchildren; brothers Larry K. (Rozella) Smith of Lima, OH and Donald E. (Eula) Smith of NC and many other relatives and friends. Family and friends may visit from 1-5 p.m. Sunday, March 15, 2009 at the RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 W. Olentangy St. (Powell Rd./St. Rt. 750/1/4 mile east of Sawmill Pkwy) Powell, OH 43065. (614) 792-1471 where a funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Monday, March 16, 2009. Burial will follow at Kingwood Memorial Park, Lewis Center, OH. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Columbus Zoo, 4850 West Powell Road, P.O.

Box 400, Powell, Ohio 43065 and Grady Memorial Hospital Hospice, 561 W Central Ave., Delaware, OH 43015. Condolences to [www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara A. Taggart*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Roger, I am deeply saddened by your loss and you are in my prayers. As ever, your friend, John*

**Dr. John Gary** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Taggart Family, My heart goes out to you during your time of loss. By drawing close to God in prayer the Bible promises that “he himself will sustain you” during this difficult time.—Psalm 55:22. The Bible promises us a hope for a resurrection at Acts 24:15 and it also states at Revelation 21:3-4 that soon “death will be no more”. It is my hope that you will find comfort from these few words during this difficult period. If you would like additional information on the subject please go to [www.watchtower.org/e/200712/article\\_01.htm](http://www.watchtower.org/e/200712/article_01.htm).*

**Brian** - March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Roger, I am so sorry to hear about Barb. She was a very special lady and I know how much you and your family will miss her. You're in my thoughts and prayers.*

**Beth Bonnet** - March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ My deepest sympathy to Roger and the children. Barb was a great lady. Our families had been friends for many years. My parents introduced Jim and Wilma to each other and the rest is history. What a wonderful family. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Kathy

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**Kathy Foust** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Barbie, Connie and I have been so close for so many, many years. I am so thankful that we have had our once a year get togethers all these years so we would always stay in touch. I wouldn't trade those gettogethers for anything in this world. Barbie was such a tremendous friend and I loved her so much and will miss her just as much. My prayers are with all of her family and Connie and I will try our best to be there for all of you. I know Barb would have done that for us. I wish I could be there right now but Barb would understand. Love to All Connie Jo (one of the three amigos)

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**Connie Jo Spyker** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Hi Everybody (again) I forgot to put in the other message that I would really like to keep in touch with the rest of the family in the future. You can contact me at [meanmeanwoman@AOL.com](mailto:meanmeanwoman@AOL.com) anytime. Or if you are a letter writer, my address is Linda Bowsher, 4875 Sherrick Rd. Elida, Ohio 45807. 419-339-1828. Again, my sympathies on Barbara's passing. Love to all, Linda

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**Linda Bowsher** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Roger, we are sorry to hear about you loss.

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**Judy & Mike Beery** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Hi Everybody, I was so very sorry to hear of Barbara's passing. I had not heard from her for a while and I was hoping that things were going well for her. I sent an e-mail go Connie(Crider)Hubble about her passing and Connie asked me to send her sympathy on Barb's passing along with my own. Our families spent a lot of time together as children and we both have very fond memories from that time. We both still think of you often. You have our deepest sympathies.  
Love, Linda(Crider)Bowsher

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**Linda (Crider) Bowsher and Jack** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Barb will certainly be missed by her friends and former co-workers. She was so courageous and positive in her battle! She left a wonderful legacy. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.  
Lisa Taylor

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**lisa taylor** - March 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WF

“ Barb was a very special lady. My heart goes out to the family. Thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Wendy Forbes** - March 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ Our 50 year friendship is a treasure to me. The three of us (Connie Jo) myself and Barbie, have been friends before we ever had a driver's license, a husband, or children. We have watched our youth dreams come true. We have shared our shattered dreams and learned simply to love each other through it all. The time we have spent together is priceless. We all know how very much Barbie loves Florida, the beach, and most of all her family. Just last year we all decided that grandmother of American must take over this world to bring real peace. We will miss her deeply. Please-love each other the most and know that every time the remaining two Amigos get together our "Barbie" stories will be shared. Connie & Roger Guyron

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**Connie (Rower) Guyton** - March 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM