



Joy Barber

August 2, 1937 - December 4, 2023

Joy M. Banas Barber, 86, of Grove City, passed away Monday, December 4, 2023, at her residence in Grove City. She was born August 2, 1937, in Columbus, daughter of the late Stefan and Myrtle Banas. She retired from Battelle and was a member of Buckeye Christian Church.

Joy was preceded in death by her husband Donald "Don" Barber and her close family friend of many years, Jeannette Sennett.

Joy is survived by her brother, John Banas of Grove City; her children Michael Barber of Londonderry and Crystal "Crys" Walker of Logan; her grandchildren Shawn (Ciera) Barber of McArthur; Erika (Connor) Enmen of Logan; her great-grandchildren Chase, Gunner and Amiyah Barber; Ellie and Jordyn Enmen.

Friends may visit Thursday December 7, 2023 from 10:00am until 12:00pm where a service will take place at Rutherford Funeral Home, 515 N. High Street, Worthington, Ohio. Internment will follow the service at Glen Rest Memorial Estate in Reynoldsburg, Ohio.

The family requests in lieu of flowers that donations be made in memory of Joy M. Banas Barber to the Arbor Day Foundation at this link, <https://shop.arborday.org/commemorative-trees-in-memory> or to the Buckeye Christian Church of Grove City

Cemetery Details

Glen Rest Memorial Estate

8029 E. Main St.
Reynoldsburg, OH 43068
(614) 866-3082

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Corbin Funeral Home
515 High Street
Worthington, OH 43085

Service

DEC 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

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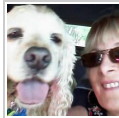
Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Joy Barber*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - December 06, 2023 at 03:26 PM



Joy put the "joy" into the work at Battelle. She was always a shining light to whomever she crossed paths with. I left in 1996 as well and remember her well - she was one of a kind for kindness. Blessings to her heavenly entrance and to her family.

Paula Fritter Gayness

Paula Christine - February 12, 2024 at 07:01 PM

PS

“ *What a wonderful photo of Joy and also a beautiful video tribute to both Joy and Don! I enjoyed many years working with her and Myrtle at Battelle back in the day. Joy had such a pretty smile, along with her magnetic personality. We had many good times, both professionally and personally, and I'm glad she was a part of my life. Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss. ---Pat Smith (Battelle employment October 1968 through September 2010)*



Pat Smith - December 09, 2023 at 07:01 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joy Barber.*



December 05, 2023 at 05:21 PM