



Barbara Brandenburg

September 18, 1934 - September 5, 2016

Barbara Coats Brandenburg, 81, died September 5, 2016 at Oakleaf Village. A native of Marston, Missouri, daughter of the late William Herbert and Verlie LaFon Coats, she was a graduate of Memphis State University, a homemaker and a member of First Presbyterian Church, Greer.

Surviving are her husband, Joe Thomas Brandenburg of Greer; three sons, Mark Brandenburg (Leigh) of Johns Island, Paul Brandenburg (Stephanie) of Greer and Van Brandenburg (Kelley) of Dunwoody, Georgia; one brother, Whit Coats of Temple, Texas; and seven grandchildren, John, Will, Grace, Kate, Elizabeth, Caroline and Matthew.

Mrs. Brandenburg was predeceased by one brother, Ray Coats.

A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m. Saturday, September 10, 2016 at First Presbyterian Church, Greer, conducted by Dr. Brandi Casto-Waters and Rev. Wayne Cole.

Visitation will follow after the service at Kirk Hall.

The family is at the home of her son, Paul Brandenburg, 503 Sugar Valley Court, Greer, SC 29650.

Memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 100 School St., Greer, SC 29651 or the charity of one's choice.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **10**. 2:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church of Greer
100 School Street
Greer, SC 29651

Tribute Wall

AL

“ *Mark and the entire Brandenburg family, Phil and I were very sorry to hear about your Mom's passing. Our sincere condolences to you and your family on your loss. We will continue praying for your peace and comfort during this sad time.*
Allison and Phil Love

Allison Dean Love - September 12, 2016 at 06:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Barbara Brandenburg.*



September 09, 2016 at 06:01 PM

DS

“ *Dr. Ron Wilson and Staff purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Barbara Brandenburg.*



Dr. Ron Wilson and Staff - September 09, 2016 at 10:58 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Barbara Brandenburg.*



September 08, 2016 at 11:26 AM

EP

“ *Paul and Stephanie,*

Lorri and I were so saddened to hear of Mrs. Brandenburg's passing. Please know that you and your entire family are in our continual thoughts and prayers.

Love,

Eric and Lorri Philpot

Eric Philpot - September 08, 2016 at 09:42 AM

WB

“ *William Byars purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Barbara Brandenburg.*



William Byars - September 06, 2016 at 04:14 PM

 Mitch
Smith

“ *Mrs. Brandenburg was a special lady and it shows in raising 4 boys (yes, Mr. Brandenburg as also one of the boys). She cared for them and so many more. She was a blessing and will be missed. To all the boys and their families, Ashley, Erin, Boyd and Mary Claire will continue to pray for you during this time. Blessings for comfort and peace.*

Mitch Smith '90

Mitch Smith - September 06, 2016 at 02:34 PM

MM

“ *Mark, Leigh, John & Grace:
I am so sorry for your loss. Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.
Mel Mason*

Melanie Mason - September 06, 2016 at 01:56 PM

 Matt
LaVay

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Your mom was a
wonderful lady and she will be dearly missed. So glad I got to visit
with her in July.
Love, Sandy and Matt LaVay*

Matt LaVay - September 06, 2016 at 01:55 PM



“ *To all the Brandenburg family, Our hearts and prayers go out to you.
We are saddened to hear the news of Barbara's passing. We know
she will smile down upon you as she watches your families grow up
and flourish. May God Bless you all.
Clay Taylor Ashley Ludlum and Karen McCaffrey*

Clay Ludlum - September 06, 2016 at 01:46 PM

NP

“ *We are so sorry to hear about Barbara's passing. She was such a
nice, sweet, funny, kind and caring person and I am so glad we got
to know her. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.*

*Deepest sympathy,
Nancy & Jim Poston & family*

nancy poston - September 06, 2016 at 10:48 AM

DE

“ *To Mr. Brandenburg and Family
We are thinking of you during this difficult time.*

Dean and Robin Easterlin

Dean Easterlin - September 06, 2016 at 07:06 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time. I have many memories of the Brandenburgs during the last 41 years, beginning with Barbara's visit to Brushy Creek to see about enrolling Mark in second grade, followed by numerous swim meets and times at the pool and by our children playing/competing with each other as they grew up. More recently, we shared updates regarding children and grandchildren and became swim meet spectators again.*

Mark, Paul and Van, I am sure it goes without saying that your mother was so very proud of you --- of your accomplishments, of your families, and of the men that you have become. Your mom and dad gave you a great legacy to pass on to your own children.

Penny Rogers - September 05, 2016 at 08:24 PM

MR

Mike and Sara Rogers offer their most sincere condolences to the Brandenburg family on the passing of their mother. She had to be a fine woman to raise such great sons, one of whom I admire and respect as I have worked with him at The Citadel. Mark Brandenburg is a reflection of his mother who must have had the patience of Job to put up with him. Having lost parents, we understand the vacuum that the loss leaves. Your mother will live on through her sons.

Mike Rogers - September 07, 2016 at 03:15 PM