



Barbara B. Olson

June 15, 1938 - March 10, 2011

Barbara was born on June 15, 1938 in Wellman, IA to the late Hilma & Owen Jaynes. She was united in marriage to Harlow Olson on July 15, 1961. Barb was an exceptional woman who always had a smile and great sense of humor. She was admired by all who knew her for, her courage and strength with living the last 17 years of her life with a chronic illness. Barb enjoyed in her free time gardening, cooking, and playing cribbage. The joy of her life though was spending time with her family and her baby girl Kitty. Barb is now with those whom she has missed on this earth; daughter, Karen Siegel; sister, Ethel Lindquist; and parents, Owen and Hilma Jaynes.

Barb is survived by husband, Harlow Olson of Randall, MN; daughter, Karla (Jerry) Cool of Sartell, MN; son, Jeff Olson of Zimmerman, MN; daughter, Karol (Daryl) Richter of Randall, MN; brother, Leon (Chris) Jaynes of Blaine, MN; nine grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

A special thanks to her caregivers at St. Otto's Care Center.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Little Falls
214 2nd Street SE
Little Falls, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara B. Olson*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Barbara B. Olson*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *I was introduced to the Olson family through friends. I remember the warm greeting I always received from Barb and Harlow. She always had a smile that was contagious. May God comfort you and keep you strong in this trying time. Barb will surely be missed by all the people she touched in this life. I am truly sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Richard Ernst##imported-end##*

March 20, 2011 at 11:31 AM



“ Dear Harlow, Karla, Jeff, and Karol and all the grandkids, great grandkids and husbands;

She was a dear friend. We appreciated the assistance her and Harlow gave to us as we were able to stay with you for a short time in Cambridge.

She welcomed all your friends with open arms; enjoyed having a beer or two with her. She will be missed and our prayers are with you at this time. Love the Skalbecks##imported-begin##Laura and Mark Skalbeck##imported-end##

March 17, 2011 at 09:36 PM



“ Barb possessed qualities of compassion, tenderness and a wonderful sense for the world and those around her.

Our planet needs more individuals like Barb who can make sugar out of the sourest of days. My thoughts are with the Olson family as they go forth with the memories of one of the sweetest and noblest ladies I am fortunate to have met.##imported-begin##Ken Randall##imported-end##

March 17, 2011 at 11:13 AM



“ Dear Karla,
We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. We are thinking of you and Jerry.

Love,

Carlyne and Scott##imported-begin##Carlyne & Scott##imported-end##

March 16, 2011 at 03:25 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about your mother, she looked like a lovely lady. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time. God bless! Julie Cool and family###imported-begin##Julie Ann Cool###imported-end##

March 16, 2011 at 11:23 AM



“ Karla and Jerry,

Our sympathies to you and your family in the loss of your mother. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.

Dean and Judy Propp###imported-begin##Judy Propp###imported-end##

March 15, 2011 at 07:10 PM



“ Dear Karla, Please accept our condolences in the loss of your Mother. She must have been pretty special to raise such a nice daughter. May God hold you in His arms as you walk through the valley of the shadow. Love and prayers.###imported-begin##Vicki and Jerry Cool###imported-end##

March 14, 2011 at 11:51 PM



“ So sorry for your loss of Barb. have thought of you guys alot throw the years.Friend always from wisconsin. My thought and prayer are with you at this time of grief###imported-begin##Lorraine Hardy###imported-end##

March 13, 2011 at 08:06 PM



“ I'am so sorry for you loss. I always loved barb. shes in a good place now no more pain. I'll keep everyone in my prays and god bless

LINDA (HARDY) HRUBES

IN WISCONSIN##imported-begin##Linda Hrubes##imported-end##

March 11, 2011 at 11:30 PM



“ I remember Barb as being a very out going and vivacious woman. She always had a smile for everyone and I cannot remember her saying anything bad about anyone. You will surely be missed.##imported-begin##Estella Ehler##imported-end##

March 11, 2011 at 06:39 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy to you Harlow & family,She was a wonderful woman and will be missed by many.##imported-begin##Roger & Karen Harakel##imported-end##

March 11, 2011 at 05:38 PM