



Barbara Ann Roper

February 4, 1948 - August 25, 2022

Barbara Ann Oldfield Roper, 74, of Ardmore TN passed peacefully at her home on Thursday August 25th, 2022.

She was born to Donald Eugene Oldfield and Alice Reed Oldfield on February 4th, 1948 in Washington County, Ohio. She was a graduate of Marietta High School. She lived in the Ardmore area for 25 years and was of the Methodist faith. She was a natural caregiver and spent many years as a nurse's aid and home-maker. She was an avid sports fan with a true passion for baseball. She had a strong love for animals and delighted in rescuing strays, her cat Buddy and dog Wally were doted upon beyond measure. She also enjoyed crocheting, devising different color schemes so that every piece was unique. For years she provided cancer patients at Huntsville Hospital with blankets and hats that she had made. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend and will be missed greatly.

She is preceded in death by her parents and husband, Charles David Roper.

Mrs. Roper is survived by her children Philip (Rita) Roper, Mary McCloud, Jeffery (Bev) Roper, Kimberly (Bruce) Garn, Christi Franks, David (Mindy) Roper, 14 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and siblings Frank Oldfield, Carol Bartimus and Elaine Bower.

There will be a visitation at Ardmore Chapel Tuesday August 30th from 4-6 PM. A funeral service is scheduled to follow at 6 PM with Debbie Eubanks officiating.

In lieu of flowers the family ask that you make a donation to the Humane Society or animal charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **30**. 4:00 AM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home
27186 E. Main St.
Ardmore, AL 35739
(256) 423-4100
<https://www.ardmorechapel.com/>

Funeral Service

AUG **30**. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Roper.*



August 29, 2022 at 11:07 AM



“ *Barbara (Barb) was our beloved “Big Sis” who shielded her 3 younger siblings from many painful experiences throughout our childhood - our bond was mostly unvoiced in the dysfunctional conditions to which we ALL (Mother included) were subjected to - Barb demonstrated strength we didn't fully appreciate in our youth. She stepped up to make arrangements when we lost our dear Mother at just 40 & she showed by action that we could escape the abusive environment we endured. Barb was our loving Big Sis always in our hearts from childhood thru adulthood as we finally learned to express our love for each other in adulthood despite rarely experiencing such affection during our childhood. Always wearing her own protective shield, she kept her diagnosis from us for many months - it's heart wrenching to know we could've “been there” more for her during the difficult 6+yrs - yet she rarely complained even after losing her soul mate Dave a yr ago) she will continue to be in our hearts as we are certain we'll all be reunited with Mother in heaven. These words are inadequate but we're thankful your pain has ended dear Sister, as we know you are in God's everlasting care - we send our love thru eternity... From Carol & on behalf of all your siblings💙🙏*

Carol Bartimus-MS - August 29, 2022 at 11:04 AM

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“ *BARBARA was my big sister. I loved her.
I look forward to meeting with her when I go to be with our Lord.*

Elaine Bower - August 28, 2022 at 03:35 PM

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“ *Loving Siblings - Carol, Elaine, Frank purchased
the A New Sunrise Spray for the family of
Barbara Ann Roper.*



Loving Siblings - Carol, Elaine, Frank - August 28, 2022 at
02:33 PM