



## Barbara Ann Jacques

March 3, 1948 - February 15, 2017

Barbara Ann Jacques, 68, of Bloomington, passed away February 15, 2017. Barb will be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother, daughter, sister and friend to many.

Visitation will be held at Washburn-McReavy Funeral Home (Dawn Valley Chapel & Memorial Park, 9940 Bush Lake Road) in Bloomington on February 22nd, 2017, from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. There will be a short memorial service starting at 6:40.

Barbara Ann Quiring was born in Mountain Lake, Minnesota, to Irvin and Lorraine Quiring on March 3, 1948. She went to Mountain Lake High School and graduated in 1966. After graduation she lived in Mankato for a short while and then moved to the Twin Cities where she lived until her passing.

Barb was united in marriage to Don (Donald) Jacques on March 19, 1977, at the Portland United Methodist Church in Bloomington and spent her entire married life in Bloomington.

Barb worked various jobs during the years she lived in the Twin Cities but the one she enjoyed the most was retirement. She loved being able to spend lots of time with her family and friends but especially dear to her were her four grandkids. She spoiled them with gifts and treats and trips to the pumpkin patch in the fall or to a hotel for a weekend of swimming and fun and these are memories that they can remember for years to come. Barb loved to travel and made numerous trips with Don and their family to Canada to visit Don's relatives. She also enjoyed going on an Alaskan cruise, spent many summers

at Many Point Scout Camp and enjoyed short mini vacations to Duluth and Lanesboro.

Barb was a kind and loving person who was generous to a fault. She never forgot a birthday or special occasion and every gift she gave was given with lots of thought and love behind it. One of her favorite traditions was buying a Hallmark Christmas ornament for each of her family members and she made sure each ornament was selected especially for that person. She kept in contact with friends and relatives from as far back as her high school years and never passed up an opportunity to organize a get-together to bring everyone together. She created friends wherever she went and never lost touch with them.

Barb was preceded in death by her father, Irvin Quiring, and her father and mother-in-law, Donald A. and Betty Jacques. She is survived by her husband of almost 40 years, Donald G. Jacques, two children, Gordy Jacques of Brooklyn Park and Nicole Jacques (Tony) of Lonsdale, her mother, Lorraine Quiring of Mountain Lake, four grandchildren Tyler Jacques, Zander Jacques, Teyton Rodgers and Tanner Rodgers, sister Sharlene (Shar) Quiring of Brooklyn Park, sister and brother-in-law Joanne and Dave Olson of Bloomington and numerous friends and relatives. Barb's passing has left a huge hole in our hearts but her smile and generosity will never be forgotten.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Jacques.*



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February 22, 2017 at 08:51 AM



“ *Friends at Sportsman's Guide purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Barbara Ann Jacques.*



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**Friends at Sportsman's Guide** - February 21, 2017 at 09:50 PM



“ *Anything for You was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Jacques.*



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February 21, 2017 at 04:28 PM

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“ Sorry to hear the death of Barb. Had many nice visits with Barb and Don at Many Point and on their way back to Minneapolis they would stop by the Cottage House Cafe and visit us. Those were very special moments that we spent with them. My thoughts and prayers for the family. She was a special gal and may the memories linger on. With sympathy Granny

**Arlene Arvola** - February 20, 2017 at 08:34 PM

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“ William U. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Barbara Ann Jacques.



**William U.** - February 20, 2017 at 06:17 PM



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**Gordy Jacques** - February 20, 2017 at 01:21 PM