



Barbara Tidwell

February 9, 1938 - August 21, 2021

Barbara Tidwell, age 83, of Harriman, passed away on Saturday, August 21, 2021, at her daughter's home in Austin, Arkansas. Barbara was the director and kindergarten teacher at Walnut Hill Baptist Church and was later employed for 35 years at Harriman High School in special education.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, Bobby Lewis Tidwell; parents, Frank and Isabella Austin; brother, James Austin; and twin sister, Peggy Brackett.

She is survived by her children, Debbie Polovino (Harry), Bear Tidwell (Sharon), and Mary Robin Pitt (Al); grandchildren, Sean Kidwell, Nick Polovino, Ryan Pitt, Jolene Pitt, Reed Pitt; six great-grandchildren; sister, Loretta Pugh; and brother, Frank Austin.

Due to COVID-19, no services will be held at this time. Donations may be made in memory of Barbara to St. Jude Hospital. An online register is available at www.kykerfuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ Just a few words to say I was sadden to hear of Barbara Tidwell Death. I remember her when I worked for her Mother, back in the 1960 (she owned Nursery) Both of them were very nice and friendly to me. The last time I saw Barbara was in Wal-Mart that was in 2018 we talked for a while, we were so glad to see each other.. To the Family You're in my Thoughts and Prayers.... Julia Harris..

Julia HARRIS - September 04, 2021 at 05:52 PM

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“ Barbara was a great aunt. She and Bobby were so much fun to be around. I regret that I hadn't gotten to see her since she moved to Arkansas. I'll always have great memories of her and the whole family.
My thoughts are with you, Debbie, Tony, and Robin. Marty Stewart
(Martha Whitson)

Marty Stewart - September 01, 2021 at 01:12 PM

SJ

“ Still can't get my head around this loss.
She was one of the sweetest humans and best mommas that I have ever known.
Prayers for peace and comfort for her children and grandbabies.
Barbara was so loved by so many.

S Jollay - August 30, 2021 at 11:27 PM

MM

“ *Debbie and Robin, I am so sorry to see this. I always think about her and your Dad when we play the Lady Vols!*

Melody McKenzie

Melody McKenzie - August 30, 2021 at 10:30 PM

TS

“ *Even though years have passed I will still remember the sound of her laugh. Thoughts and prayers for the family through these hard times.*

Taylor Sales - August 30, 2021 at 09:33 PM