



Barbara Ann Luciano

January 11, 2024

Barbara Ann Luciano of Elmer died on January 11, 2024. Born in Camden, Barbara was the daughter of Nicholas & Antoinette Moscariello Luciano. After graduating from Camden High School, she went to Temple University and then received her Master in Education at Marywood University. Her very first teaching job was at Pennsauken High School, and she would eventually retire from there as well. Barbara was a devoted and dedicated member of the Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit, where she served as a Eucharistic Minister, taught religious education, founded the “We Care” Ministry and was involved in the planning of and organizing “Christmas Trees on Parade”. She also enjoyed the fellowship at the weekly bible study with her friends from the Elmer United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her sister, Patricia Vukicevich and her husband Ronald; nephews, Ronald jr. (Kelley), Michael (Pat) and Marc; great nieces, Morgan, Madison, Mackenzie, Christina and Caroline and two great nephews, Samuel and Alex.

Services will be held at the Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit, St. Joseph’s RC Church, 54 Broad St., Woodstown, NJ 08098 on Friday, January 19, 2024. The viewing will begin at 10 AM with mass following at 11 AM. A Private Burial will follow mass. In lieu of flowers the family has suggested that donations can be made to St. Jude’s Research Hospital, stjude.org, in Barbara’s memory.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

Cherry Hill, NJ

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's RC Church
51 Broad St.
Woodstown, NJ 08098

Mass

JAN 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's R.C. Church
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Tribute Wall

TM

“ We loved Aunt Barb, she was like family. Someone who once you met her she was dear to you. Always willing to provide advice and input. Opinionated and stubborn. Independent. Self sufficient. These are words that come to mind. Sad to hear of her passing and the illness that took her. Wonder what she's doing in Heaven - dispensing advice, teaching class, hosting bible studies, organizing bake sales. "My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you?" Peace be with you Aunt Barb til we meet again. We love you.

Tony, Nancy & Ben Merritt - January 31, 2024 at 11:46 AM

NG

“ Barb was devoted to her family, committed to her teaching career, and a caring person. She was a good friend, and I will miss her.
Nancy Gentile

Nancy Gentile - January 23, 2024 at 03:58 PM

EG

“ In memory of a remarkable teacher, rest in peace.
Class of 1968 Elisa Arcaini Gillardon

Elisa Gillardon - January 23, 2024 at 02:20 PM

MB

“ Miss Luciano taught many of us in the Class of '65 PHS shorthand and typing. She was the epitomy of an educator who truly cared and always attended our reunions. Even though I lived in Texas, she kept in touch with me with sweet cards and conversations on the phone. Rest in peace Miss Luciano ❤️
Marsha Meares Bower

Marsha Bower - January 23, 2024 at 08:37 AM

GL

“ Always a teacher...that was Barb's mantra.....We first met at the Crescent Moon Coffee Shop in Mullica Hill. My husband and I were engaged in conversation with a small group. It wasn't long before Barb became an integral part of our conversations. We became instant friends...close friends. I, too, was a teacher. My fondest memories of Barb were the college classes that we took together for 11 years. We shared many dinners together, attended plays together and enriched our lives .
Dear Barbara, always a teacher, always my friend.
My deepest condolences to Barb's family.

Gerry Lafferty - January 18, 2024 at 04:58 PM

DB

“ Barbara and I met while teaching at Pennsauken High School and became fast, long standing friends. She was fun to be around and I enjoyed visiting her at her home in Elmer in recent years. My deepest condolences to her family at this sad time.



Donna K. Berger - January 18, 2024 at 10:29 AM

JH

“ I'm 88 now and have many good friends from the past, But I have a category of "BEST FRIENDS", and Barb is one of them.- the few. Only Ed Komczyk and I are still kicking from our early PHS days. She and I are the last two faculty who were there for the first graduation class-1962

I love you Barb and may the Lord be with you for all eternity. I hope to see you again.

SEMPER FI - BEST friend.

Joe Hopfner

Joe Hopfner - January 18, 2024 at 05:07 AM

GM

“ Like many who knew Barbara, she was a good friend of mine as well. When I was teaching my first year in the profession at Pennsauken HS, she was always fun to be with in the teachers' lounge. When I had my car accident coming to school one morning, she was right there to help me get to school every morning until a new car could be purchased. Many morning we met at Chubby's in Fairview for the drive to school. And she would bring me home again. I am sorry to have lost contact with her, but was able to share some fun moments at CCREA luncheons. Thank you Barbara, you made my time at PHS memorable. Sincere condolences to your family. Gary Milby

Gary Milby - January 17, 2024 at 12:23 PM

JS

Barbara was a long time friend of my sister. My sister and Barbara and a few other friends were always together walking to school. She and my sister were friends from first grade to high school and college and so on. Now you can be together RIP.

Joanne Sanferraro - January 17, 2024 at 07:14 PM

AR

“ As with so many others, I met Barb when I began my career in education at Pennsauken High School. Barb was a true force of nature. She was a mentor, outstanding educator, and a wonderful friend. Her larger than life personality brightened any room she entered. Her impact on her students and colleagues was her gift to all of us. Barb loved being a teacher, however, her faith and family were always first and foremost. Barb would tell us of marvelous adventures she shared with her nephews. Please accept my sincere condolences. We are all blessed to have had Barb in our lives.

Arlene Rubin - January 17, 2024 at 08:48 AM

WH

“ From my beginnings at Pennsauken H.S. in 1972, she was always a great friend and helpful colleague. Her influence on all of her students will be her lasting legacy.

Wayne Hadick - January 16, 2024 at 05:42 PM



“ Carol Molinari Monks lit a candle in memory of Barbara Luciano



Carol Molinari Monks - January 16, 2024 at 03:13 PM

PS

“ I will miss Barbara. We had many good times together. We laughed and cried a lot together. She always had great respect for my husbands kindness. We will miss you Barb. See you one day in Heaven. Pat Snyder

Pat Snyder - January 16, 2024 at 11:15 AM

PS

“ I first met Barbara when I started teaching in Pennsauken in 1973. She was such a friendly and welcoming person who truly made you feel at ease. Her caring personality and her willingness to be there for her students made her a valuable member of the faculty. She will truly be missed by many.

My sincere condolences to her family. She spoke of you often and was very proud of all of you.

Peggy Sutton

Peggy Sutton - January 16, 2024 at 10:44 AM

FC

“ Barbara was a longtime friend, but even more so, was a caring person. She will be missed. My condolences to her beloved family.

Florence Custer

Florence Custer - January 16, 2024 at 08:53 AM

LC

“ My deepest condolences to Barb's family. This woman was the sweetest. She will be greatly missed.

Lisa Coulter - January 16, 2024 at 06:18 AM



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



January 15, 2024 at 03:20 PM