



Barbara Sue (Kelley) Southerland

January 31, 1941 - December 1, 2024

Barbara Sue (Kelley) Southerland, born January 31, 1941, to L.D. and Ollie Kelley of Bald Knob. She went to be with her Lord and Savior on December 1, 2024. Barbara passed away peacefully in her home surrounded by her family. She spent her formative years in Bald Knob and most recently resided in Searcy for the past 21 years.

Barbara is survived by her husband of 41 years Tim Southerland, daughters Jackie (Buddy) Brown of Bixby, Oklahoma and Jana (Tom) Jones of Little Rock. Barbara is also survived by grandchildren Nikki (Justin) Jolly of Bixby, Oklahoma, Tyler (Jenifer) Brown of Lago Vista, Texas and Kirk (Erica) Williams of Bryant, Arkansas. Other survivors include great-grandchildren Ethan, Asher and AnaLeigh Jolly, Brooke and Barrett Brown and Haden, Kade and Luke Williams, brother Terry (Glenda) Kelley and numerous nieces and nephews.

Barbara is preceded in death by husband James Harvey, son Jimmy Harvey, parents L.D. and Ollie Kelley and siblings David Kelley, Carolyn Jackson and Gary Kelley.

Barbara was a bookkeeper for Forbes Lumber Company and Truman Baker Chevrolet. She spent most of her years as a wife, mother and homemaker. Barbara enjoyed designing and drawing her own house plans and was very

gifted in both. She loved having events at her home for her entire family and never missed a chance to get the family together for holidays, birthdays and other celebrations. Barbara would spend countless hours planning, decorating and cooking for every gathering and planning all the food and games for every age group. She so loved her family and created many lasting and fond memories for all.

Graveside services will be conducted on Wednesday, December 4, 2024, at 10:00am, at Carter Cemetery in Russell, Arkansas, with Chaplain Ted Grove officiating. Those honored to serve as pallbearers are Justin Jolly, Ethan Jolly, Asher Jolly, Tyler Brown, Kirk Williams, and Kade Williams.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Cemetery Details

Carter Cemetery

Russell, AR

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Cater Cemetery
Carter Cemetery Rd
Bald Knob, AR 72010

Interment

DEC 4 (CT)

Carter Cemetery
Russell, AR

Tribute Wall

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“ So many great memories of growing up down the street from Aunt Barb and my cousins. Everyone knows my favorite was lasagna night! She was a unique and wonderful lady. Cheryl Edwards MacCormack

Cheryl MacCormack - December 03, 2024 at 09:44 PM

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KP

“ Tim and family,
Mike and I are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Kay and Mike Price

Kay Price - December 03, 2024 at 01:20 PM

KB

“ I had lost touch with Barbara over the years but she worked with me at B-Hi Trucking. Loved spending time with her - have lots of memories of our times together. Prayers for all of the family!! Barbara was a special special lady.

Karen Bowen - December 03, 2024 at 11:17 AM

KH

“ Tim, Jackie & Jana

Learning of Aunt Barbara's Homecoming brings back many good and great memories. We are Praying for you guys as are Lord wraps his arms around you.

Love you,
Kenny

Kenny & Jacque Harvey - December 02, 2024 at 08:09 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Sue (Kelley) Southerland.



December 02, 2024 at 08:05 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Barbara Sue (Kelley) Southerland.

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