



Barbara A. McKenny Barr

February 12, 1935 - November 5, 2017

Barbara McKenny Barr , was born in Baltimore, MD on February 12, 1935 to the union of

Herman and Annie Dora Hardee, both of whom preceded her in death.

Barbara was the third of her five siblings.

Barbara attended Baltimore City Public Schools, graduating from Douglas High School

in 1954. Following high school, she married James Oliver Robinson, who preceded her in death.

Out of this union two children were born, Reginald and Ronald. She later married Walter

McKenny, and from this union was born one son, Jerry. They shared a happy and memorable

union until his death in 1995. Barbara was blessed to share her senior years with Nathaniel Barr,

whom she married in 2002. Barbara loved to take care of Nathaniel. They enjoyed their life

together traveling with family and friends and participating in church and other social activities

until his death in 2017

Barbara was baptized at an early age. During her Christian walk, she was a committee

chairwoman at City Temple Baptist Church, a Deaconess at Dalton Baptist Church and finally, an active member at the Church of Christ, Baltimore County.

Barbara began her work career as a sales associate at Hochschild Kohn's Department

Store; later acquiring a position as Office Assistant I in the Mayor's Office of Employment

Development, a position she greatly enjoyed. She later worked as a childcare assistant at Winnie

The Poo Daycare Center, which was more fun for her than work Barbara was a very special person who was loved by all who knew her. There was a special bond between her siblings—they were their own best friends. They could sit and talk for

hours—all at the same time. She was a giving person, always thinking of others—never herself.

Her special hobby was recognizing special occasions of her family and friends. She loved to send

them cards, especially remembering everyone's birthday. She was so organized, everything had its place.

Barbara departed from this life to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on

November 6, 2017. She was surrounded by her family who loved her dearly.

Barbara leaves to

cherish her memory three sons, Reginald (Lynee); Ronald (Karen); and Jerry; one daughter,

Cynthia Jefferson (Jeff); two stepsons, Nathaniel Barr, Jr.; Timothy Barr; one stepdaughter,

Delores Tyson; one sister, Shirley Motley; one brother, Donald Hardee (Anne); five

grandchildren; six step-grandchildren; two great grandchildren; ten step-great

grandchildren; and
a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Wake

NOV 20. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center, P.A. - Randallstown
5616 Old Court Road
Windsor Mill, MD 21244
(410) 655-0110
<https://www.marchlifetributecenter.com>

Service

NOV 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara A. McKenny Barr*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McKenny Barr.*



November 17, 2017 at 08:59 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McKenny Barr.*



November 17, 2017 at 12:17 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McKenny Barr.*



November 17, 2017 at 10:55 AM

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“ *Nathaniel, Mamie, Delores, Tommy, Timothy and June purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Barbara A. McKenny Barr.*



Nathaniel, Mamie, Delores, Tommy, Timothy and June -
November 15, 2017 at 05:29 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - November 08, 2017 at 12:18 PM