



Barbara Grace Wilhelm

July 4, 1936 - August 13, 2019

Barbara Grace Wilhelm, 83, of Cleveland, went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, August 13, 2019, and Heaven will never be the same.

Born July 4, 1936 in Rowan County she was a daughter of the late Leslie B. Wilhelm and Elizabeth Graham Wilhelm. She was a 40-year Postal employee and Postmaster at Barber Junction.

Mrs. Wilhelm was a life-long member of Cleveland Baptist Church. She enjoyed listening to gospel music, telling stories, loved to go fishing and being with others, especially her children and grandchildren.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her husband of 38 years, John M. Wilhelm; siblings, William Wilhelm, Clyde Wilhelm, Gladys Hewitt, Marie Hedrick, Ann Godwin, Mary White, Mildred Holt, Ada Fleming, and Doris Harrison.

Those left to cherish her memory are her son, Kenneth Baker (Debbie) of China Grove; daughter, Shannon Hawley (Barry) of Colorado Springs, Colorado; sister, Ruth Martin of Salisbury; and grandchildren, Loren Hawley, McKelsie Hawley, Kendal Zemanick and Maura Baker.

The family will receive friends 12 – 2 PM Monday, August 19th at Cleveland First Baptist Church. The funeral service will follow at 2 PM with Rev. Kestler Ruth officiating. Burial will be in the Cleveland Town Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Cleveland First Baptist Church, 200 Maple Street, Cleveland, NC 27013.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Wilhelm family. Online condolences

may be left at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ My Dear sister "Bob", You have left me with many wonderful memories that only sisters know. I know God called you before me because your work here was finished and He is still working on me. I pray daily that I will know what He is directing me to do and will have the courage and knowledge to listen, and will serve Him as long as I am left here. I know our family and friends were waiting there for you and it was a great reunion---and it will be ours one day. I am so thankful that God has made a way that we can spend eternity with Him in such a wonderful place. I will miss you but knowing you are at rest makes it all right. Rest in peace. With much love, Your Sister, Ruth

Ruth Wilhelm Martin - August 18, 2019 at 10:47 PM

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“ Shannon and family, so sorry for your loss. Your mom was a very sweet person and always had a smile on her face. God needed another angel. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time. LINDA MESSICK

LINDA MESSICK - August 17, 2019 at 09:15 PM

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“ My condolences to the Wilhelm family, Miss Barbara was one of the sweetest people I have ever met, always friendly, a beautiful smile. The angels were surely singing when she passed through Heavens Gates. a Cleveland friend



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