



Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee

November 13, 1951 - April 29, 2021

The family of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee, age 69, announces his passing which occurred on Thursday, April 29, 2021.

Larry was born November 13, 1951 to the late Walter Bratcher Barbee and Christine Elizabeth Lyon in Durham, North Carolina.

Left to cherish his memory are his three sisters, Diane Cherry, Brenda King and Pam Arriaga; and a host of extended family members and friends.

Please keep this family in your thoughts and in your prayers.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee*

October 05, 2023 at 11:31 AM

BJ

“ *I met Larry Barbie on the job in and around 2005 where we both worked at Willowhaven Country Club in Durham NC. We were very fond of each other and always promised to get together for a few laughs. When Larry moved to a new apartment I gave him a wooden sign painted white with black lettering that said "LAUGH" to hang in his new home, and a loved it and each time we would talk on the phone he would mention the sign and we both would have a chuckle. I didn't know you had left us Larry, so I Google your name until I found the answer. I love you Larry. Rest In Peace.*

Brenda Johnson - July 27, 2021 at 12:12 AM

JB

“ *Joyce Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee*



Joyce Bell - May 30, 2021 at 06:34 PM

LH

“ *Larry was my best friend. We was together that Sunday. Laughing and riding and having a good time. I truly miss him. I seen all my condolences to his family and prayers. May Go keeps his arms around him. I love you Larry. Your little sis. Lisa Hemingway*



Lisa Hemingway - May 30, 2021 at 03:42 PM

PA

Thank you

Pamela Barbee Arriaga - June 04, 2021 at 12:20 PM

WC

I attended elementary school with Larry. In 6th grade, we had a spelling contest and to determine the smartest kids in the school. My classmate, who I trained with, took first place, Larry second and myself, third. From that day forward, I took my education seriously because to be in a group with Larry, you were among the smartest kids in the entire school. Rest Peacefully my Brother. Will McClain

Will McClain, Oakland, California - September 14, 2021 at 03:42 AM

CW

“ So very sorry to hear this news. My condolences to the family. Larry was a great guy. May he R.I.P. Constance Gerald Wright

Constance Wright - May 24, 2021 at 07:24 AM

CM

“ C. Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee



C. Mitchell - May 17, 2021 at 11:57 PM

CM

“ Larry was my best friend and besties brother ever. We shared over forty years together. He will be truly missed. We've shared so many meals/moments together. You brought a lot of laughter/joy into my life. You were a true uncle/friend to my kids. Thank you for sharing part of your life with mines. My friend the thought of not having you around leaves my heart empty. Rest on my friend and know that you were a true friend and I love you very Much 🧡🥹

C. Mitchell - May 17, 2021 at 11:53 PM

AM

“ UNCLE LARRY, I AM SURELY GOING TO MISS YOU, NOT ONLY WAS YOU MY MOMMY BEST FRIEND FOR 50 PLUS YEARS, YOU WAS MY UNCLE, MY KIDS LOVED YOU! ITS NOT THE SAME AT NIGHT WHEN I'M DRIVING HOME, I MISS OUR LATE NIGHT CONVERSATIONS, LAUGHS! RIH, I LOVE YOU UNCLE LARRY!

Asia Mitchell - May 17, 2021 at 04:44 PM

JB

“ Joyce Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee



Joyce Bell - May 16, 2021 at 01:44 AM



“ Dot Brower lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee



Dot Brower - May 15, 2021 at 06:00 AM



Fondest memories of Larry, a “serious yet amusing” man! I've known him since 1974 and though I had not seen him in several years, I'm sure he was still spreading wisdom and joy to all he encounters.

Dot Brower - May 15, 2021 at 06:04 AM

CB

“ I worked with Larry many years ago at Opetation Breakthrough along with Jean Pratt. He kept us in stitches with his crazy sense of humor. Over the years whenever we would meet, the look he would give me was one that made me laugh and he would say, "Chester Bobo what you up to now" with a smirk smile. Continue to Rest in Paradise my friend you will be missed.



Chester A. Bobo,III - May 13, 2021 at 03:53 AM

KW

He was a good? Freind ; keithawilson

Keith Wilson - May 16, 2021 at 08:36 AM

WT

“ Wanda Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Larry Quincy Barbee



Wanda Taylor - May 12, 2021 at 10:11 PM

WT

Diane and Brenda I pray that God give you Peace during these times. Just know I am deeply sadden as I know how it feels to lose a sibbling..

Wanda Taylor - May 12, 2021 at 10:15 PM

DH

“ AN AWESOME 1970 HILLSIDE HIGH SCHOOL CLASSMATE ! DELITEFUL PERSONALITY THAT SPREAD JOY AMONG US. WHEN I RAN INTO LARRY HE WAS POLITE FRIENDLY, ALWAYS INQUIRED ABOUT MY HEALTH AND WELLBEING. HE WAS AN ATTRACTIVE LEADER AND GENTLEMAN. HE WILL BE MISSED

DARLENE MALLOY HASKINS

DARLENE MALLOY HASKINS - May 12, 2021 at 07:25 PM



JJ

“ I was so sorry to hear of my friend and classmate’s death. We used to have so much fun at Hillside and any time we spent any time together. He was always so much fun to be around. We reminisced a few years ago with Janie Joyner McMillan and all three of us had some fond memories of the good times. I always enjoyed his company and conversation. He will be missed. I was so blessed to have known such a fantastic, loving, awesome man. My Condolences to his Family.

Jackie Waddell Johnson

jackie waddell johnson - May 10, 2021 at 05:41 PM

MJ

“ Hillside High School Class of 1972, send condolences and prayers to the family. Brenda is our classmate, and we know the bond of siblings are strong! May the Lord comfort you Brenda and your family. We light a candle in his honor!

Mary Joyner - May 09, 2021 at 12:20 PM



BK

thank u so much my dear friend surely the comfort of the father is needed at this time seems like he gone drive luvd his car and think i can call him he is gone larry was a good brother and surely will be missed.

brenda king - May 09, 2021 at 08:32 PM

PJ

The Barbee's and Joyner' coonected since McDould Terrace and Burton Elementary School. Sending love and prayers as I celebrate Larry.....life well lived ❤️

Phyllis Joyner - May 12, 2021 at 09:40 PM

PA

Thank you Phyllis we do go way back to McDougal Terrace remember you all and thanks for your prayers

Pamela Barbee Arriaga - May 22, 2021 at 08:42 AM

MS

“ *I was so sorry to hear of the passing of my classmate, Larry Barbee. Everyone who knew him or knew of his quick wit and his sense of humor. Larry has something to tell you about anything that you were talking about. LOL*



On behalf of the Hillside High School class of 1970, extend to the Barbee family, our heartfelt sympathy. I will prepare a resolution to acknowledge the loss of our classmates to be filed in our historical records and to be present it to the family. We will miss Larry but we realize that this journey that he has taken, is common to us all. Hey God bless you with his spirit of peace.

Mary Scott, President

Mary Hall Scott - May 08, 2021 at 01:12 PM

MS

Please excuse the voice text errors. This was posted before they could be changed. My deepest apologies.

Mary Hall Scott - May 08, 2021 at 01:16 PM

BK

thank u so much for your kind words surely u knew him very well he was funny so am i but most the time i be serious. surely will be missed he left home expectiing to return i saw him wednsday he was getting in car laughing and i was too larry was happy that where my strength will come from one day at a time.

brenda king - May 09, 2021 at 08:38 PM

GT

“ *Larry was one of the funniest, most intellectually gifted, straight hitting people I've ever known. While his wit was quick, he never made little of those whose wit was not as swift. I will miss the way manner in which he would say my name, often calling me, Miss Taliaferro, how are you? in an aristocratic tone of voice. You have survived many a crisis, my friend, you have finished your course, now take your rest. I will truly NEVER FORGET YOU!*

Gayle A Taliaferro - May 08, 2021 at 09:32 AM

DL

“ Larry did work for my law firm for years, first with Dave Samuels, and then after Dave passed, on his own. Larry was gregarious, helpful, kind, and generous. I will greatly miss our Saturday afternoon discussions of politics. I know that I am one of many, many people that will miss his humor and his laugh. Our firm sends the most heartfelt condolences to the family.

David O. Lewis
Bryant & Lewis, P.A.

David O Lewis - May 07, 2021 at 05:15 PM

BK

thank u so much he spoke so highly of your friendship

brenda king - May 09, 2021 at 08:26 PM

GB

My deepest condolences to the family of Larry Barbee. He had a great personality. He will be missed. Geraldine Lyon Burroughs HHS Class 1971

Geraldine Burroughs - May 10, 2021 at 05:52 PM

LJ

so sorry to hear that one of our McDougal family had passed, sending our love and deepest condolences to the Barbee family.

Johnson and Frazier family

Leroy Johnson - May 11, 2021 at 07:38 PM

VH

I was very saddened to to hear about the untimely passing of my dear friend and classmate. May God comfort the Barbee family as they face these trying times. Condolences.

Valeria Hannah-Murphy - May 12, 2021 at 03:00 PM

WH

RIP classmate!!

Willie Hill - May 13, 2021 at 09:31 AM

GH

R.I.P. My HHS 70 Classmate. You were always kind and friendly to me. You will be missed!

Gloria Hester - May 14, 2021 at 10:47 PM