



Mrs. Barbara H. Pate

June 9, 1937 - January 20, 2021

Barbara Jean Hanniford Pate, 83, of Conway, SC passed away peacefully in her home on January 20, 2021.

Bobbie was born in Kingstree, SC on June 9, 1937, daughter of the late Eugene H. Hanniford and Thelma A. Thomas Hanniford. She attended McClenaghan High School in Florence, SC before marrying Lewis C. Pate in 1954. The couple soon started a family and settled in their long-time hometown of Conway, SC.

Well known for her generous and thoughtful nature, Bobbie touched many lives as a Girl Scout Troop Leader and as an employee at the A&P grocery store. She found her true work home, however, when she began working as a teller for the Conway National Bank in 1976, ultimately retiring as a Senior Customer Service Representative in 2009.

Bobbie had a passion for gardening, travel, bird watching, and collecting everything from coins to Christmas trees. She always instinctively knew if you were sick and needed soup and never missed an opportunity to send a card. Bobbie's unconditional love for her family and friends was apparent in everything she did, and she was lovingly referred to as "our angel on Earth."

She is predeceased by her brother, William "Billy" Hanniford and her nephew, Christopher Hanniford. Bobbie is survived by her husband, Calvin Pate; her brother, Ronnie Hanniford (Cindy); sister-in-law, Sherry Hanniford; daughters, Mandy Pate and Carolyn Erickson (Fred); her bonus daughter, Denise Squires; granddaughters, Shannon Henson (Allan), Kristen Dutka (Adam), Emily Kirkley (Brandon); grandson, Mark Erickson (Sarah); great grandchildren, Calista Anderson, Morgan Taylor, Emily Henson, Kailey Dutka, Charlotte Dutka and Jude Kirkley, and many beloved nieces, nephews and cousins.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Remnants Church at <http://www.remnantschurch.com>

In her honor, please send a card to someone you love, plant a flower, or feed the birds.

The family wishes to thank Agape Care of SC for its earnest care and are especially grateful to her devoted caregivers over the past year (Linda, Johnna, Hallie and Jackie); she considered all of you family.

Family and friends will gather for a celebration of life memorial to be scheduled later this year.

Please sign an online guestbook at <http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Comments



“ I am so sorry to hear this. I always thought so much of Mrs. Bobbie. She was such a beautiful and kind lady. My prayers are with your family.



Denise Dozier Tutas - February 02 at 06:13 PM



“ Mandy, thinking of you and your family. Mrs. Bobbie was such a sweet person. My mama thought so much of her. God Bless all of you.

Sherrell Richardson



Sherrell Richardson - January 26 at 12:41 PM



“ Debra Clardy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Debra Clardy - January 25 at 12:29 PM



“ This is a true heartbreak. Love and miss you forever Prayers for the family

Debra Clardy - January 25 at 12:33 PM



“ Calvin, Mandy and Carol,

I was so sorry to learn of Bobbie's passing. She was a wonderful lady with a genuine heart and a true friend over the years. I remember she and Calvin during the A&P days.

Also, her fruitcake cookies, girl scouts, and her many years at Conway National Bank. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May God grant you His Peace and Comfort in the days ahead.

Sylvia Richardson



Sylvia Richardson - January 25 at 09:29 AM



“ So kind every time I met her.



Evan Newton - January 25 at 12:26 AM



“ Rhonda Sanders-Butler lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Rhonda Sanders-Butler - January 24 at 01:47 PM



“ Knew Bobbie when she was with A&P and then she came to work with us at Conway National we all loved her and she was such a joy to work with She always made us Christmas cookies some days she would make lunch and we would go to her house to eat. She was one of a kind and I will miss her

Nadine Hyman - January 23 at 09:49 PM



“ Laurie Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Laurie Smith - January 23 at 08:56 PM



“ The family of Mrs. Pate are in my thoughts and prayers.

Laurie - January 23 at 08:57 PM



“ I have such wonderful memories of working at Conway National Bank with Bobbie when I was in high school. She took me under her wing when I was a young teller and she was a wonderful mentor. I loved her dearly. Mandy and Carol, I know she will be greatly missed.

Carol Boatwright Burroughs - January 23 at 02:17 PM



“ Bobbie was my oldest & dearest cousin, the one I always hoped to be like, truly an Angel to everyone who were lucky enough to know her

Phyllis Hanniford - January 24 at 10:06 AM



“ Lyn Snyder lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Lyn Snyder - January 22 at 08:58 PM



“ Sylvia Baiden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Sylvia Baiden - January 22 at 03:32 PM



“ Susan Baiden Chestnut lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Susan Baiden Chestnut - January 22 at 03:28 PM



“ So sorry, Mandy and Mr Calvin. I remember her well, although I moved out of State from Conway in 1990. she was a very nice and striking lady. Prayers your way and may your memories of her bring you comfort.

Patrick Oliver - January 22 at 02:51 PM



“ I was blessed to work with Bobbie at CNB. One of my fondest memories was how much she treasured planning the yearly “girls trip” with her daughters. I know how much you will all miss her.

Janice Johnson - January 21 at 10:40 PM



“ Sallie Glover lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara H. Pate



Sallie Glover - January 21 at 03:25 PM



“ My life was better for knowing Mrs Bobbie. She was an absolute joy to be around! I was fortunate to receive her cards, kind words and her love. I know you guys will miss her terribly. Prayers for all of you!

Angela Allen - January 21 at 01:36 PM