



Barbara Blount

December 27, 1931 - April 8, 2013

Murrells Inlet

Barbara Ellen Blount age 81, died Monday, April 8, 2013 at her residence.

Born in Malden, Mass, she was a daughter of the late Harold and Mildred Colton. Barbara was very active with the Women's Veterans of Grand Strand and her "Stamping Group". She was a lifetime member of the Women's Marine Association and the Marine Corp League she was also a member of the American Legion of Murrells Inlet.

Survivors include her husband, Earl Blount of Murrells Inlet; a son, Jonathan and his wife Kristin Blount of Cambridge, Mass; grandchildren, Jared and Emily; a special nephew, John Swanson and numerous nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Friday, April 12, 2013 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel. The family will receive friends one hour prior the service.

An online guestbook is available at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Women's Marine Association, PO Box 377 Oaks, PA 19456-0377.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Service

APR **12**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Celebration Center

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Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara Blount



Goldfinch Funeral Home - April 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Earl and family

So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Barbara will be missed by all.

Sue Swasey

Suzanne M Swasey - April 16, 2013 at 08:26 AM

NV

“ Earl and family,

I am so sorry to hear about Barbara. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this sad time. May God give you strength and peace to endure the coming days. You both were always good neighbors to Jim and me. I miss being there but had to get back with my family after Jim passed. May Barbara rest in peace.



Nancy Valentine - April 14, 2013 at 02:47 PM

MB

“If the Army and the Navy ever look on Heaven's scenes, they will find the streets are guarded by United States Marines.” (Third stanza of the Marines Hymn). Sincere condolences to Barbara's family from her sister Marines in the Women Marines Association.
Mary Broussard, WMA National Chaplain

Mary Broussard - April 11, 2013 at 07:36 PM

LM

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Lloyd Mackall - April 11, 2013 at 10:08 AM



“ Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Barbara Blount.



April 11, 2013 at 08:33 AM

AB

“ Dear Earl and family,
The men and women Marines of the Grand Strand Detachment of the Marine Corps League send our deepest sympathies to you and your family. Barbara held the line for her country, her family, and especially for her fellow Marines and Marine Corps Leaguers. Now Barbara holds the line for all eternity. Semper Fi, Marine. The Grand Strand Detachment has suffered a great loss. Our prayers are for you, Barbara, and your family.

Art Blenk, Chaplain
Grand Strand Detachment #873
Marine Corps League

Art Blenk - April 09, 2013 at 09:44 PM

BM

“ Barbara was one of the most spectacular ladies I have ever met. Thank you Earl so much for bringing her to all the WMA events and taking part of the chapter events. My prayers are with you and your family.

Semper Fi Barbara, an Awesome Woman Marine.
Brenda Moore

Brenda Moore - April 09, 2013 at 07:35 PM

HP

“ .Earl, It was a pleasure to meet you and Barbara at the Philly convention of the WMA.
I am happy we had that opportunity and I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go to you and yours. Helen Page, Sec. LEGGS

Helen Page - April 09, 2013 at 06:49 PM

 Shirley
Brown

“ *To the Blount Family:*

*May the memories of joy and laughter help carry you through your sorrow. And may the peace that God provides, sustain you.
(Philippians 4:7)*

*My condolences,
SBA.*

Shirley Brown - April 09, 2013 at 02:55 PM

JS

“ *I was honored to meet Barbara for the first time on April 6, 2013 at the 2nd Annual Salute to Women of the Military, Past and Present. Barbara, you will always hold a special spot in my heart.*

Joanna Stuby, Rolling Thunder Grand Strand Chapter 3

Joanna L. Stuby - April 09, 2013 at 02:11 PM

GK

“ *Semper Fi sister....thank you for paving the way...."mission accomplished". Guarding the gates with pride. Your memory will not be forgotten as long as one Marine is still here.*

Gunnery Sergeant Amelia Kushneruk - April 09, 2013 at 07:39 AM

JS

“ *Jordan Snyder lit a candle in memory of Barbara Blount*



Jordan Snyder - April 09, 2013 at 06:48 AM

JS

I will miss Barbara. She was a very thoughtful caring lady. Her hand made cards were treasures. My thoughts are with the family during these sad times.

Jordan Snyder - April 09, 2013 at 06:51 AM

MN

“ I met Barbara several years ago while taking a card making class. She was always willing to give and share her vast knowledge of card crafting and we became friends. She had a fascinating and rich life ... and as she said she did everything she wanted to do. She was generous with her time to many charitable organizations and to me, personally. She also encouraged me in my endeavors. She will be greatly missed by all of us. I know she is with our Father now and will be watching over Earl and Johnathan as well as the rest of us. Now our prayers are with you Earl and Johnathan. May our Father but His loving arms around you and comfort you. Many blessings to you both. Marsha Nichols

Marsha Nichols - April 09, 2013 at 06:32 AM



“ I had the honor of meeting Barbara at the 69th Women Marine Celebration. I sat at her table for dinner and we had a long conversation. I am greatly saddened with her passing. Semper Fi, Sister.....your mission is now complete!



Teresa Anderson - April 08, 2013 at 10:43 PM

CL

“ Thinking of your family in this time. Barbara always remembered me and my (Navy Corpsman) husband! It was so great to see you guys at the Women Marines Anniversary this year. I cant but sit here and smile at how determined she was to stand during our group picture. We had to make her sit down. She was such a strong woman.
-Corinne and Toby Lorge

Corinne Lorge - April 08, 2013 at 09:49 PM

JB

“ DEAR EARL,AND FAMILY;JOHN AND I ARE SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT BARBARA.SHE WAS A WONDERFUL FRIEND AND ALWAYS VERY KIND TO US. WE PRAY GOD WILL HELP YOU DURING THIS SAD TIME. REMEMBER ALL THE GOOD TIMES ,THOSE MEMORIES ARE YOUR S FOREVER. .SORRY WE CANNOT ATTEND JOHN HAS DIALYSIS ON FRIDAY MORNING AND HARD TO CHANGE THE TIME. KEEO IN TOUCH. GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY;JEAN/JOHN/JOHN JR.

JEAN BRAITHWAITE - April 08, 2013 at 05:48 PM

HH

“ I was truly blessed in my life to have met Barbara. She was a true spirit, full of love and creativity! I will miss her beautiful hand made Christmas cards.. God has a true angel above.. She is going to make our sunsets sparkle and shine. My heart goes out to Earl and family.

*Semper Fi and Love,
Heidi Larson Hurley*

WMA Baystate Chapter 1

Heidi Larson Hurley - April 08, 2013 at 05:26 PM

BC

“ *Barbara Chagnon lit a candle in memory of Barbara Blount*



Barbara Chagnon - April 08, 2013 at 05:12 PM

BL

“ *Bill And Ellen Lafferty lit a candle in memory of Barbara Blount*



Bill and Ellen Lafferty - April 08, 2013 at 03:32 PM

JJ

*Barbara, rest in peace, you will missed alot by "Tissy" and myself. Lt. "Raider" sends his love as only an English Bulldog can. You are one classy lady,that brought alot of happyness to the three of us !
Semper- Fidelis Marine,
Jimmy, "Tissy" & Lt. "RAIDER"*

Jim Smith, Jr. - April 09, 2013 at 07:48 PM