



Sara W Irby

August 1, 1938 - August 9, 2017

Pawleys Island.....Sara W. Irby

Sara W. Irby age79, formerly of Earls, VA, died Wednesday, August 9, 2017 at her home in Pawleys Island, SC.

Born in Danville, VA, she was a daughter of the late Clarence D. and Katherine W. Weisiger. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert C. Irby, Jr.; a sister, Katherine W. Stark and a granddaughter, Melissa Anne Irby. Survivors include her sons, Robert C. Irby, III (Joan) of Richmond, VA, Stuart D. Irby (Lynn) of Salem, VA and Bruce W. Irby (Frieda) of Burlington, NC; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sisters, Anne W. Quicke, Martha W. Fraher and many nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends from 1:00-3:00 PM Sunday, August 13, 2017 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield/Pawleys Island Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: American Cancer Society, 950 48th Ave. N., Suite 101 Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 or American Lung Association, 1301 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20004 or to your favorite Veterans NPO.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield/Pawleys Island is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

RI

“ Robert Irby lit a candle in memory of Sara W Irby



Robert Irby - August 03, 2025 at 12:47 AM

JR

“ I am really going to miss Mrs. Irby, especially with college basketball season approaching. I love Duke and she loved her North Carolina Tar Heels. She would be sure to point out her Carolina blue toes every time she saw me. After UNC won the NCAA tournament this past year she flew her Carolina car flag and parked right by the employee entrance where I work just so I would see it. We have talked a lot of smack over the years and I am really going to miss that. I loved that she was a true southern lady but would also speak her mind. I didn't even get to tell her that Duke is ranked higher than UNC in the pre season poles, but I guess she already knows that. I will think of her and send a cheers up to her every time Duke and UNC play against each other. Enjoy that Carolina blue sky Mrs. Irby! To her family I send you my sincere thoughts and prayers. You were all very lucky to have her in your lives.

Jennifer Rasis - August 16, 2017 at 06:01 PM

CP

“ We enjoyed having Sara as a neighbor and friend during our last several years in Pawleys Island. She was the first neighbor to welcome us to the area, pie in hand. True Southern hospitality was her forte along with a wonderful dry humor. She brought us many more pies - pecan pie was a favorite. We said good bye to her just over a month ago as we moved from the area, so sad to learn she has left this old world so soon. Our condolences to Sara's sons - Bob, Stuart and Bruce - and all the rest of the family.

Chuck and Carol Ann Prince

carol Prince - August 14, 2017 at 01:44 PM

SC

“ Mrs. Sara was like an extra grandmother to my brother Ben and I when we were young. We both have so many good and funny memories of her and Mr. Bob when we came over to the beach house to play with Brett and Jenna. She was a really cool Granny with a good sense of humor. I hadn't been able to visit her in the last few years like I had wanted to, but she and Mr. Bob came to my wedding a few years ago and I was so happy to see them both dancing. She will truly be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.

Sarah Carmichael - August 12, 2017 at 12:57 PM

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Jennifer Rasis - August 16, 2017 at 05:29 PM