



Barbara G. (Cairns) Brown

October 19, 1939 - December 13, 2020

LUNENBURG: Barbara G. (Cairns) Brown, 81, of Lunenburg, died Sunday, December 13, 2020 at her home, peacefully, surrounded by her family.

Mrs. Brown was born in Winchester on October 19, 1939, the daughter of Stuart C. and Grace M. (Champlin) Cairns. She grew up in Lexington and was a graduate of Lexington High School, continuing her education at Gordon College in Wenham. She has resided in Lunenburg for over 50 years.

Mrs. Brown began a teaching career spanning over thirty years, starting in the Wakefield School System before relocating to Lunenburg where she held several positions within the Lunenburg School District, retiring in 2000.

She had been an active member of the Highland Baptist Church in Fitchburg and the First Baptist Church in West Townsend. She was dedicated to the Pioneer Girls program. Selflessly, Mrs. Brown was always quick to offer her time and help; caring for children in the church nursery, handing out food at the food pantry, and helping others in times of need.

She leaves behind her husband of 57 years, Robert W. Brown; her son, Steven Brown of Montreal, Quebec, Canada; her daughter, Laurie Whitney of Little Falls, NY; a brother Richard Cairns of Essex; three grandchildren, Nicholas Whitney, Peter Whitney and Maxim Bronsard Brown; four great

grandchildren, Evelyn and Benjamin Whitney, and Adelia and Bryn Whitney.

Funeral services will be held at 1 PM Saturday, December 19, 2020 at Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street (Rte 119) Townsend Center. For additional information or to leave an online condolence, please visit their website at www.andersonfuneral.com .

In lieu of flowers, donations should be sent to The Kijabe Children's Education Fund, 6 Maple Street, Essex, MA 01929. kcefund.org

Previous Events

Funeral Service

DEC **19**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Townsend
250 Main Street ~ Route 119
Townsend, MA 01469
(978) 597-2692

Tribute Wall

SC

“ *Barbara will be truly missed by me. She was truly a kind and caring person.i always looked forward to seeing her and Bob on Sundays at first Baptist Church.*

Sarah charette - January 03, 2021 at 06:44 PM

JD

“ *Mrs. Brown was such a great family friend and an example of how to live for Jesus! I'm so blessed to have known her and look forward till we meet again in heaven with our loved ones who are there with Jesus.*

Jessie Dik-Walters - December 21, 2020 at 08:13 PM

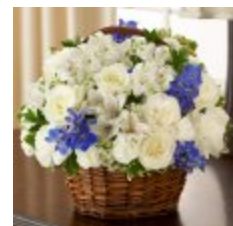
DM

“ *Barbara was the most selfless person I know. She was always ready to help anyone in need, and always with a smile. Her reward will be great in Heaven. I send prayers and love to her husband, children and grandchildren. She will be missed by so many people.*

Dianne Mitchell - December 17, 2020 at 10:37 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Barbara G. (Cairns) Brown.*



December 17, 2020 at 02:54 PM

KW

“ *Such an AWESOME human being! She worked with my children in Lunenburg school system A truly great neighbor as well. We all will miss her greatly. At least she is at peace.. Always a smile with a warm greeting. I hope her family will be at peace! God bless you all!!!!*

Kathleen Whitney - December 17, 2020 at 11:01 AM



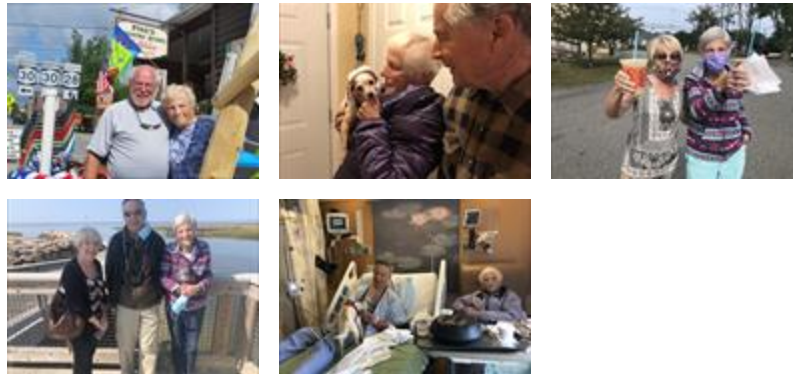
“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Barbara G. (Cairns) Brown.*



December 16, 2020 at 05:43 PM

FH

“ *Memories*



Frank (Butch) Hebert - December 16, 2020 at 05:42 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Heather Nasiatka - December 16, 2020 at 11:30 AM

KC

Barbara was such a sweet, special lady. Always greeted you with a smile. From Pioneer girls, teaching Sunday School , Womans Bible Study and working together in churchtime and VBS I have many sweet memories of her. Praying for your family, kniwing she will(is) greatly missed, but thankful to know where she is, and that her body is healed, and you will see her again

Karen Casker - December 19, 2020 at 04:01 PM

GM

“ *i remember how you always had a smile on your face, and, would even ask about my family, and be praying for various things (like bea's recovery from her ankle surgery), even when you yourself was going through your pain. You and bob used to be so helpful when you used to help with the food pantry. and, kids you used to watch in the nursery have grown up. Bob, we know you'll miss her, but we also know where she is now- in heaven, with no more pain, for-ever more.*

george I miner - December 16, 2020 at 11:25 AM

JP

“ *Barbara was the most caring and loving person that I have ever know. She was always ready to help me or anyone and always with a smile. I will miss her so much, but I have so many great memories and know I will see her again. We will both be smiling in Heaven. All my love to her family whom she loved so much. Judy Poudrier*

Judy Poudrier - December 16, 2020 at 10:39 AM

CW

“ *Barbara was loved by everyone who knew her ❤️. She always had a smile and a cherry greeting whenever I saw her. I will miss her pleasant presence until we meet again. I love you Barbara, and pray peace for your family. God bless you all.*

Carol R Wright - December 15, 2020 at 02:11 PM