



Mary Katherine Barr

November 26, 1945 - April 2, 2021

Mary Katherine Barr, 75, of Odin, passed away at 2:45 p.m. Friday, April 2, 2021, at her home.

She was born November 26, 1945, in Centralia, the daughter of Samuel and Dorothy (Hicks) Jones. On February 3, 1966, at Hoots Chapel Church, she married Thomas A. Barr, and he preceded her in death on February 14, 2017. She was the co-owner of Tom's Service Station in Odin for 23 years, and was a longtime 4-H member and leader, loyal St. Louis Cardinals Fan, and an avid hobbyist. Among her many talents, she crafted hats, sewed, crocheted, gardened, and held many unique collections.

Mary is survived by three daughters, Jeanie Barr Evans and husband Evan, and Sammie Neumeister and husband Brian, and Beth Milich and husband Pete; grandchildren, Trevor Eric Neumeister, Brianna Nicole Milich, and Peter Alexander Milich; brothers, David Jones and wife Becky of Odin, and Harold Jones and wife Diane of Mt. Vernon; brother-in-law, Russell "Bud" Barr; sister-in-law, Betty Mead; many nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, and friends; and furry daughter, Dottie.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and her husband, Thomas Barr. A public visitation for Mrs. Barr will be held Tuesday, April 6, 2021, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., at the Osborn Funeral Home in Dix. Funeral and Burial Services will be private. Memorial gifts may be made to the Odin Fire Department or Jefferson County Animal Shelter, and will be received at the service, or by mail to the Osborn Funeral Home, P.O. Box 130, Dix, Illinois

62830. Online condolences may be made at www.osbornfuneral.com, or on the funeral home's Facebook page.

Cemetery Details

Boyd Cemetery

Dix, IL 62830

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Osborn Funeral Home
322 North Main Street
Dix, IL 62830
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<https://www.osbornfuneral.com>

Tribute Wall



“ Jeanie, Sam and Beth, I am so sorry for your loss. Mary was like a second mom to me growing up!!! I spent many a weekend at your house. You are all in my prayers.

Love, Michelle Basola

Michelle Basola - April 06, 2021 at 10:49 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 06, 2021 at 10:40 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 05, 2021 at 07:56 PM



“ *Love the Mead Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



Love the Mead Family - April 05, 2021 at 10:03 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 05, 2021 at 06:27 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 05, 2021 at 12:30 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 04, 2021 at 11:01 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 04, 2021 at 04:52 PM

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“ *Williams families: Lonnie, Randy, Judy & Nena purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



Williams families: Lonnie, Randy, Judy & Nena - April 03, 2021 at 11:09 PM

KS

“ *So sorry to hear this ! She was a sweet lady !!*

*Karen (Deadmond) Shoemaker
Mae Deadmond*

Karen Shoemaker - April 03, 2021 at 10:09 PM

MB

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Mike Bartimus - April 03, 2021 at 10:05 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



April 03, 2021 at 07:18 PM

SA

“ *What a wonderful woman, she will be missed. She always made me feel welcome when I visited with Jeannie during college. So much time has passed since then. Mary sent us a wonderful afghan when I married my husband Jim. It is certainly a treasure. I wish you all love and hugs as you deal with your family's loss.*

Shirley Aravich - April 03, 2021 at 05:33 PM

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“ *With Love, Mike, Natalie & Noah purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mary Katherine Barr.*



With Love, Mike, Natalie & Noah - April 03, 2021 at 04:03 PM

MM

“ *Beth,*

We wish we could be there with you and Pete and the kids. We're sending big hugs and prayers. I know its so much easier said that done, but try your hardest to turn you pain and grief into a celebration of the love and the light you shared with your mom. She is never truly gone as long as she's in your heart and your memory. We'll see those we share love and life with again one day. Until then, be strong and know we love you.

Mike, Natalie & Noah

Mike & Natalie Milich - April 03, 2021 at 03:37 PM