



Barbara E. Breda-Bolte

March 11, 1955 - April 11, 2025

Barbara Ellen Breda-Bolte, 70, of North Adams, died Friday morning, April 11, 2025 at North Adams Regional Hospital. She was born in North Adams on March 11, 1955, a daughter of the late Genesio and Dorothy (Genesi) Breda. She attended North Adams schools, graduating from the former St. Joseph High School. Barbara had worked for the Caleb Foundation as the property manager at Mohawk Forest Apartments for 29 years, until retiring in 2022. Earlier, she had worked for a time in the Assessor's office at North Adams City Hall. She was communicant of St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church, North Adams, and had been active with Habitat for Humanity. She enjoyed doing arts, crafts and baking goods for everybody around. Barbara loved attending to her flower beds, spending weekends with her husband and family at her campsite in Lake George. She enjoyed shopping and spoiling everybody around her just to put a smile on their face. She left a long

lasting heartfelt impression on everybody she crossed paths with. Her infectious smile would light up a room.

She is survived by her husband, Juan E. Bolte, whom she married on July 29, 2006;

two sons, Jason DeGrenier of Sebastopol, CA and Joshua DeGrenier and his partner

Amanda Comstock of North Adams; one daughter, Jessica DeGrenier of North Adams;

her grandchildren Alyssa, Kelsey, Taylor, Madison and Carter; great grandchildren Rylin

and Zhyir; two stepsons, Trent Bolte and his wife Sarah of Northborough, MA and Tyler

Bolte and his wife Jackie of North Adams; one stepdaughter, Lindsay Bolte of North

Adams; step grandchildren Paige, Olivia, Dayton, Cooper, Arlo and Oliver; her seven

sisters- Marlene Haas and her husband Mervin of Lanesborough, Jean Breda-Noyes of

New Port Richey, FL, Lynne Breda and her partner Jan McGowan of North Adams,

Donna Turner and her partner Donald Tatro of Pittsfield, Debra Breda-DeMarsico and

her partner Tim O'Connell of Pittsfield, Janice Breda-DiStefano and her partner John

Cavanna of Glastonbury, CT and Nancy Breda-Vittone and her husband Jeff of St.

Petersburg, FL; her Father-and Mother-in-law, Henry "Huck" and Rosalie Bolte of North

Adams, as well as many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 22nd at 11:00

AM in St

Elizabeth Church, North Adams. Burial will be held at a later date. Calling hours in the

PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams, are Monday, April 21st from 5 to 7

PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Stroke

Association, PO Box 840692, Dallas, TX 75284-0692. To leave a message of condolence, or for directions, please go online to www.paciorekfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Paciorek Funeral Home
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Adams, MA 01220
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Liturgy of Christian Burial

APR **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church
Marshall Street
North Adams, MA 01247

Tribute Wall

LC

“ Linda and Carol purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



Linda and Carol - April 21, 2025 at 05:21 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



April 19, 2025 at 07:18 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.

April 19, 2025 at 07:18 PM

FP

“ From Adam and Katelyn Preston purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



From Adam and Katelyn Preston - April 19, 2025 at 03:41 PM

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“ From Adam and Katelyn Preston planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.

From Adam and Katelyn Preston - April 19, 2025 at 03:41 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



April 17, 2025 at 11:36 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.

April 17, 2025 at 11:36 PM

SM

“ Sincerely, Mary Jo & Mike Mancuso purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



Sincerely, Mary Jo & Mike Mancuso - April 17, 2025 at 04:18 PM

DK

“ my condolences to Lynne-Jan and entire family of Barbara

David Krutiak - April 16, 2025 at 09:27 AM

LC

“ Love ,The D Albert Breda Family Cousins purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



Love ,The D Albert Breda Family Cousins - April 15, 2025 at 11:40 PM

RS

“ My condolences to Barb’s family, including her seven sisters. It’s so hard to lose a sibling, especially in a tight-knit family like yours. You are in my thoughts.
Rosemary Scrivens

Rosemary Scrivens - April 15, 2025 at 10:54 PM

RF

“ Roger & Joan Baker & Family purchased the For ever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



Roger & Joan Baker & Family - April 15, 2025 at 03:02 PM

LK

“ Leon and MaryAnn King purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.



Leon and MaryAnn King - April 15, 2025 at 02:39 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Breda-Bolte.*



April 15, 2025 at 12:51 PM



“ *John and I are so sorry to hear about Barbara. She was a pleasure to be around. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*
John and Bonnie Lipa

Bonnie and Bonnie Lipa - April 15, 2025 at 08:08 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Paciorek Funeral Home - April 15, 2025 at 06:07 AM



I've never seen this picture of Barb before, she looks so happy, beautiful and carefree, it captures her spirit and the light in her eyes, and even though it made me smile, it cut into my heart even deeper with grief. Words alone can't begin to describe the loss I feel or the thought of how awful it's going to be taking this lonely route through life without her. She will always be missed, loved and remembered - RIP pretty sister, you were taken way too soon. Mom and Dad can love you now. Peace

Donna Turner - April 15, 2025 at 04:52 PM

CS

What I remember most about Barb was her hair. She used to wear it down past her waist. It was shiny ,straight jet black hair that was so black in the sun it looked blue. I remember you at Funny Bones ,your house and Walmart. One of those times it was right after my youngest brother passed. Four years ago and we still had the 6 feet rule. I must have looked rough because you said "Screw it I'm so sorry for your loss "and pulled me in for a hug that I didn't realize I needed. We stayed like that for awhile while I cried and stood in silence. There were a group of people commenting on us and at the same time we both turned ,looked at them and said "What !" . They left and we laughed and brought it back to humor. What made it funnier is that neither one of us knew the other was going to do it. Rest inPeace Dear Friend until we meet again. Leave me some signs and thanks for the dream.

Cindy Schneider - April 30, 2025 at 11:46 AM