



Mrs. Louise G. Barrett

August 1, 1943 - February 3, 2020

Mrs. Louise (Gallivan) Barrett, 76, of Adams, died Monday afternoon, February 3, 2020. She was born in Worcester, MA on August 1, 1943, the daughter of the late John J. and Helen C. (Comer) Gallivan. She attended St. Peter's Elementary School in Worcester. She came to Adams with her family as a young girl, and graduated from the former Adams High School with the Class of 1961. She received a bachelor of Arts degree from the former North Adams State College; her Master of Arts degree from Assumption College, Worcester, and a Master of Arts in Food Service from the University of Massachusetts. Mrs. Barrett was the Director of Food Services for the Central Berkshire Regional School District in Dalton for 22 years, until retiring. Earlier, she had worked as an art instructor in the Adams-Cheshire Regional School District, and had also worked briefly as food service director at the former W.B. Plunkett Memorial Hospital in Adams. She was a member and officer of the Massachusetts School Food Service Association, and enjoyed travelling and art. She is survived by her husband, James A. Barrett; her sister in law, Jane Gallivan; her nephews, Thomas Gallivan and Sean Gallivan; her great nephews, Aaron and Daniel; her great niece, Sophia; and many cousins in the Worcester area. She was predeceased by her brothers, John J. Gallivan, Jr. and Daniel Gallivan. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Feb. 8th, at 11:00 AM in the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams. Burial will follow in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams. Calling hours are Friday evening from 5 to 7 PM, and on Saturday from 10:00 AM until the service. Memorial

donations may be made to any charity of the donor's choice through the funeral home. To leave a message of condolence, please go online to www.paciorekfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Bellevue Cemetery

Bellevue Ave.
Adams, MA 01220

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BS

“ Dear Jim, I am so saddened to hear of Louise, and share in your sorrow. She was a delightful and dear friend, and a caring and thoughtful neighbor. I often remember the many kindnesses and mini visits she shared with my Mother (Harriet Presnal) on Spring Street as she did her exercise walks to the grocery store. I also remember her as a youngster who sadly moved to the "wilds" of Massachusetts, but grew to love Adams and Berkshire County.
Love, Barbara Shoestock

Barbara Shoestock - February 11, 2020 at 10:39 AM

MB

“ Jim, so sorry for your loss . We had so many childhood memories from summer street living next to the Galivans. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family . May she rest in peace

Mark and Christine Brooks

Mark Brooks - February 08, 2020 at 08:49 AM

LT

“ Love Lisa and Tracy purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Louise G. Barrett.



Love Lisa and Tracy - February 07, 2020 at 06:42 AM



“ Jim,

We are so sorry for your loss, we have shared over 25 years together next door. We have many fond memories of cookouts, Christmas Eve and an occasional bottle of wine w you and Louise on your back porch, on our deck and during many special occasions. We have always appreciated our time together even if it was only 5 mins. You have both been there for us and we will be there for you. Love Lisa and Tracy

Lisa-Tracy Trumble - February 06, 2020 at 07:25 PM

CB

“ Dear James:

I am so very sorry to have read about Louise's passing. She was a genuinely kind, intelligent and thoughtful woman. She was always willing to help, and did that for me in her position at Central Berkshire for many years, often content to do so "behind the scene", taking no personal credit.

Requiescat in pace.

*Charlie Bradshaw
Wahconah Regional High School*

Charlie Bradshaw - February 06, 2020 at 04:01 AM