



Barbara M. (Benson) Butcher

May 12, 1947 - May 13, 2023

Barbara M. (Benson) Butcher, 76, of Pendleton, IN, formerly of Crown Point, passed away on May 13, 2023, at Ascension St. Vincent Hospital Anderson. She was born on May 12, 1947, in Hammond, IN, the daughter of James and Irene Benson.

Barbara grew up in Northwest Indiana and graduated from Bishop Noll High School.

She was president of the Gamma Pi Pendleton Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa.

Barbara was preceded in death by her loving husband of 48 years, Robert Butcher, and her daughter, Elizabeth "Boo" Butcher.

She is survived by her son, John Butcher; her two loving grandsons, Noah Butcher and Warren Butcher; her great-granddaughter, Andi Rose Butcher; her siblings, James Benson (Judy) and Mary Beth Hicks (Michael); and a number of loving nieces and nephews.

Services are planned for a later date.

Memorial gifts may be made to Special Olympics of Indiana.

Condolences may be shared with Barbara's family online at www.LooseCares.com.

Tribute Wall

LL

“ Jim and Mary, I was friends with Barb and Bob at Purdue our freshman year. I slept in your basement for a couple weeks our sophomore year. You all knew me as Clare Lambdin I go by Larry now. I reconnected with your sister several years ago on FB. She was a great friend.

Larry Lambdin - July 31, 2025 at 07:13 AM

SE

“ My deepest sympathy to John and Barb's family. She was such a wonderful and warm person. I worked with Barb at V & L Plumbing. I got to know her husband Bob, son John and daughter Beth. She will be missed. God's Blessings to you John and your family.

Shirley Ann Elish - July 03, 2023 at 11:04 AM

NB

“ I have wonderful memories of growing up with Barbara in Hammond. We were classmates in grade school and high school. I cherish memories of happy times with a sweet and gentle friend. My sincere condolences to you.
Noreen Draus Baker

Noreen Baker - May 20, 2023 at 12:27 PM

WE

“ Barb was my Office Manager @ V&L Plumbing for many years. She was a thoughtful and dedicated employee. She will be missed.
R.I.P., Barb.

Wesley - May 17, 2023 at 09:49 PM

DC

“ *Barbara was a joy to care for while I was at SF My condolences to the family. A very sweet lady.*
Denise Cross

Denise Cross - May 16, 2023 at 10:13 AM

BF

“ *My heartfelt condolences to you John and your family. I appreciate meeting you and your family at Gill brothers store. Your family is a beautiful example of love. May His angels wrap their wings around you and comfort you at this time*

Bonnie Fredericks - May 16, 2023 at 08:31 AM

MJ

Barb was a good friend from Bishop Noll. I have many fond memories.
Meridy Longhauser Jackson

Meridy Jackson - May 20, 2023 at 02:06 PM