



# Barbara Petrisko

JUN 12, 1942 - OCT 31, 2018



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**B**arbara Elaine Petrisko, age 76, of Dagsboro, DE, passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2018, at Coastal Hospice at the Lake at Deers Head Hospital. She was born in West Mifflin, PA, on June 12, 1942, daughter of the late John and Martha (Czepiec) Madeya.

Mrs. Petrisko graduated from Slippery Rock University in PA, class of 1964. She made her career as a teacher and later worked in retail sales. In her spare time she loved gardening, going to the beach, and walking on the boardwalk. She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bethany Beach, DE where she loved being involved in the church activities.

Mrs. Petrisko is survived by her loving husband, Edwin Michael Petrisko of Dagsboro, DE; her children: Jennifer Petrisko of Annapolis MD, Jill Petrisko of Long Beach, CA, and Michael Petrisko of State College, PA; her siblings: Robert Madeya of Marana, AZ, Virginia Keck of Pittsburgh, PA, Marion Madeya of West Mifflin, PA, William Madeya of Elizabeth, PA, Lucille Smith of Irwin, PA, and John Madeya of Louisville, KY.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, November 16, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at St. Ann Catholic Church, 691 Garfield Parkway, Bethany Beach, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM. Interment will follow Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 32112 Vines Creek Rd., Dagsboro, DE.




In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Mrs. Petrisko's name to St. Jude Children Hospital, 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Please sign Mrs. Petrisko's online guestbook located on this site.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE HAVE ALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS DELIVERED BY 3 PM, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2018 TO PARSELL FUNERAL HOMES, OCEAN VIEW CHAPEL.






## Visitation

-  **Friday**, November 16, 2018
-  10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
-  **St. Ann's Catholic Church**  
691 Garfield Parkway, Bethany Beach DE





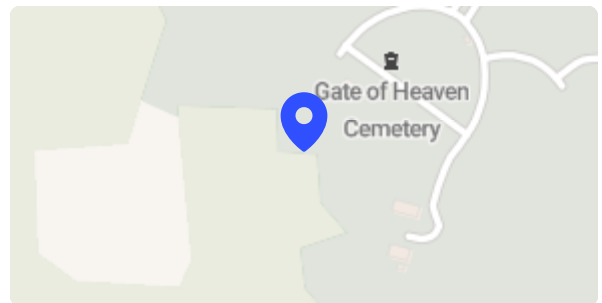
## Mass of Christian Burial

-  **Friday**, November 16, 2018
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-  **St. Ann's Catholic Church**  
691 Garfield Parkway, Bethany Beach DE



## Interment

-  **Friday**, November 16, 2018
-  **Gate of Heaven Cemetery**  
32112 Vines Creek Road, Dagsboro DE





## Tribute Wall

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SE

**Sheila England** posted:

Dear Barbara, Your passing came as a bit of a shock to me. I remember seeing you very briefly nearer the beginning of this year, and you were as beautiful and elegant as always. ( and can almost hear you laugh and brush me off as I say that! ) Always beautifully simple but elegantly 'put together ' with a warm smile . You always gave so much to others and never seemed to fail to try to see the best in everything, and others. I'll continue to see things and places around Annapolis that'll reminds me of you! I know your family must miss you terribly. I know there was great love between you all. I know you will try to keep them all close and continue to watch over them. Rest In Peace. (The Avoca 'crowd ' won't be the same without you!❤️)

December 29 at 8:46 AM

MP

**Margaret Porschet** posted:

Ed, Jennifer, Jill and Michael, I am so sorry for your loss. I have many happy memories of Barbara, Dear Friend and Co- worker. Barbara was a joy to know. I will miss her kindness and peaceful presence in my life. Barbara will be greatly missed at our annual Christmas celebrations. I will always treasure my memories of my dear friend. RIP. Margaret

November 15 at 2:57 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Petrisko family.



November 15 at 7:01 AM

WB

**With Loving Memories Of Barbara** . sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Petrisko family.



November 12 at 8:41 AM

BD

**Barbara Danscak** posted:

Barbara was a dear woman. Always a gracious hostess when we came visiting from Pittsburgh. Barb had a strong Christian faith and she showed it by giving of her time to her church, her friends, and those in need. As long as I can remember, she loved children. Rest with the souls brought to perfection, with our Savior. Love you, Barb, John, and Evon

November 11 at 2:46 PM



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RF

**Rachel Frazier** lit a candle in honor of Barbara.

I was so fortunate to have worked with Barbara over ten years ago at Avoca Handweavers in downtown Annapolis. I will always treasure the memories of her kindness and her joyful spirit.

November 11 at 1:51 PM



MR

**Mary Rausch** posted:

I'm saddened to hear of Barbara's passing. She and I spent many an hour together talking while our sons played. She was a very sweet person and a loving mom. Please give Michael a big hug from us.... From Mary Rausch and Family

November 8 at 8:22 AM

AZ

**Andy Zampini** posted:

Barbara was a wonderful role model for all Secular Franciscans. The St. Clare Fraternity and the entire Secular Franciscan Order will miss her peaceful presence but know her kind and beautiful spirit will always be with us. The blessing of St. Francis of Assisi is offered for our Sister Barbara: May The Lord bless you and keep you. May He show His face to you and have mercy. May He turn His countenance to you and give you peace. May The Lord bless you! Peace and Good! Andy Zampini, OFS Minister, St. Clare Fraternity

November 8 at 3:57 AM

KG

**Kathleen Gross** posted:

Dear Ed, Mark and I are saddened to hear of Barbara's passing. We so enjoyed our social time we spent together with our Seagrass friends. She was a dear woman, always asking about my family especially my Mom Shirley and Sister Patty. They too send their deepest sympathy and love. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Kathy and Mark Gross

November 6 at 8:37 AM



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**Shaila Sachdeva** posted:

I MET BARBARA FIRST AT "AVOCA HANDWEAVERS", AN IRISH STORE ON MAIN STREET IN ANNAPOLIS IN 2008. I WAS LOOKING FOR A JOB & SAW THE SIGN THAT SAID "NOW HIRING". I WALKED INTO THE STORE. A VERY HELPFUL CASHIER SPOKE TO ME, SHE WAS VERY KIND & HELPFUL. SHE HAD A BEAUTIFUL SMILE THAT FILLED THE WHOLE ROOM. THE NEXT THING I KNOW I WAS WORKING THERE. SOON WE BECAME FRIENDS & SHE WAS MY OLDER DAUGHTER'S GODMOTHER. WHEN CHRISTMAS CAME, WE EXCHANGED GIFTS & WE ALWAYS CALLED HER AS MRS SANTA CLAUSE. SHE INTRODUCED ME TO TJMAXX & TRADER'S JOE WHEN IT CAME TO SHOPPING. WE ENJOYED HER COMPANY EACH TIME WE VISITED THEIR HOME. WE BOTH LOVED GARDENING & DRANK COFFEE & WOULD CHIT CHAT ON THE PATIO. WE EXCHANGED RECIPES TOO. BARBARA WAS VERY CLOSE TO ME. SHE GAVE ME ALL THE LOVE THAT I DIDN'T GET FROM MY GRANDPARENTS BECAUSE I WAS TOO SMALL & SOME WERE DEAD EVEN BEFORE I WAS BORN. SHE SUPPORTED ME & GAVE ME ADVICE EACH TIME I WAS EXPECTING A BABY. SHE WAS NOT ONLY MY CO-WORKER, BEST FRIEND BUT SHE WAS ALMOST LIKE A MOTHER TO ME. SHE WAS ALWAYS THERE FOR ME EITHER IN PERSON OR ON THE PHONE. LOVE: SHAILA FEW WORDS FROM ANGELINA: BARBARA GRANNY'S COMPANY ALWAYS WARMS OUR HEARTS. SHE SAYS THE SWEETEST THINGS WHEN WE ARE HAVING AN AWESOME DAY OR A DAY FULL OF SORROW. HER SMILE WELCOMES HER INTO OUR HEARTS. SHE WAS ALWAYS THERE WHEN WE NEEDED HER. NOT ONLY WAS SHE A GREAT GODMOTHER BUT A GREAT, LOVING & GIFTED PERSON.

November 6 at 6:02 AM



**Gilbert Garduno** posted:

Our sincere sympathy on the passing of Barbara. She was a wonderful neighbor and will be missed. When Gil's mother died, she took care of all three children while we went to the funeral. She will be missed. Love, Gil and June Garduno

November 6 at 5:37 AM



**Love From Shaila & Lucky Sachdeva & Family** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Petrisko family.



November 6 at 4:43 AM



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**Shaila Sachdeva** shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

MY CHILDREN CALLED HER AS "BARBARA GRANNY".SHE WAS LOVED & WILL BE MISSED VERY MUCH BY MY CHILDREN.MY HUSBAND & I ARE GOING TO MISS HER TOO.THE 2ND PHOTO IS WITH BARBARA GRANNY & ANGELINA ON HER 1ST BIRTHDAY SINCE BARBARA WAS ANGELINA'S GODMOTHER. 3RD PHOTO IS ANGELINA'S 2ND BIRTHDAY WITH BARBARA GRANNY & THE LAST PHOTO IS WITH BARBARA & ED DURING 2010 CHRIST MAS.



November 3 at 5:21 AM



**Michael Klatko** posted:

So very sorry and sad to read about Barbara's passing. I fondly recall her cooking expertise and patience at our card games in Amberly. I remember her coming to my 40th birthday party before the arrival of your son Michael. Sincerest condolences.Mike and Mary Klatko

November 5 at 12:44 PM



**Joanie Martin** posted:

I am heartbroken to hear of Barbara's passing. My deepest sympathy to Ed and family on your tremendous loss. Barb was the kindest, most helpful, peaceful person I had the pleasure of knowing since I moved to this country. I will miss my sweet friend, and never forget her. She was an angel amongst us. RIPJoanie

November 5 at 8:08 AM



**Betty Ristaino Bernstein** posted:

Heartful condolences on the loss of Barbara. My parents, Mary and Marty, thought the world of you, Ed, and Barbara. Betty Ristaino Bernstein

November 5 at 7:32 AM



**Tim And Doreen Linehan** posted:

Tim and I are heartbroken to hear of Barbara's passing. She was always a kind, sweet, neighbor and friend. Tim's Friday Morning Bible Study group will miss Barbara dearly. Her insightful contributions to the discussions always demonstrating her faith in and reverence for God. We will all miss her.

November 4 at 10:31 AM



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**Carol Lautenschlaeger** posted:

So sorry for your great loss. Barbara was a lovely person & a sweet friend. Many happy memories with her at St Mary's. Prayers and sympathy, Carol Lautenschlaeger

November 3 at 5:21 AM



# Media

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November 6 at 4:17 AM





# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Barbara by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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