



Barbara A. McClaine

June 18, 1952 - October 12, 2017

Barbara Ann Hulings McClaine, 65, of Shippenville, passed away unexpectedly Thursday evening, October 12, 2017 at the Clarion Hospital. She was born on June 18, 1952 in Brookville; daughter of the late Clair Hulings and Jeane Marie Lucart Hulings Mong.

Barb was married on March 25, 1972 to Daniel T. McClaine, who survives. She was a graduate of Clarion Area High School Class of 1970.

Barb enjoyed 35 years as a Preschool Teacher, the last 20 years working at CUP Siler Center, where she was known to all as Miss. Barb.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Clarion.

Barb enjoyed going to the beach.

She also loved to read, and spend time with her beloved granddaughters and family.

She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Jennifer Rivet and her husband Tony of Pittsburgh, Jamie McClaine, and Jodie McClaine both of Clarion, and her beloved granddaughters, Ryan Olivia, 13, and Dylan Elizabeth, 11, both of Pittsburgh.

Barb is also survived by a sister, Cheryl Hulings Ditz of Lenwood Acers, a brother, Daryll Hulings and his wife Mel of Bothell, Washington, and a number of brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her mother-in-law and father-in-law, Thelma Campbell McClaine and William "Mac" McClaine, two brothers-in-law, Ron Ditz and Kevin "Bud" McClaine, and a nephew, Jacob McClaine.

Family will receive friends from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, October 17, 2017 at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 18, 2017 in the Funeral Home with Rev. Tom Hannold.

Interment will be in the Clarion Cemetery.

Donations may be made in Barbara's name to the Tri County Animal Rescue Center, 9562 US-322, Shippenville, PA 16254, Saint Jude's Cancer Society, or to the ASPCA.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Robert V. Burns Funeral Home
638 Wood Street
Clarion, PA 16214
(814) 226-6300
<https://www.rvburnsfuneralhome.com>

Visitation

OCT 17. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JA

“ *Mama bear I wish you were here with us....love you*

Jamie - October 23, 2017 at 07:33 PM

SM

“ *Dear Dan, Jen, Jamie, and Jodi,
Words can't express how sorry I am for your loss. My heart broke when I heard the news. Coach Dan, I stopped by your house on Thursday afternoon as my family and I had just got into town to visit my parents. Unfortunately no one was home. I wanted to give you my condolences in person and give you a massive hug. I will never forget how you and Barb were always there for me through my school years. You guys have always had and will continue to hold a special place in my heart. My soul aches for you all. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.*



Stephen McGuire - October 21, 2017 at 02:19 PM

JA

So sorry we missed you

Jamie - October 23, 2017 at 07:35 PM

SM

If scheduling works out I'll be back up in February. I will be sure to let you guys know. Please take care of yourselves.

Stephen McGuire - October 24, 2017 at 08:58 AM

JO

“ *I miss you so much. My heart aches. I love you. ❤️*

jodie - October 19, 2017 at 10:11 PM

MS

“ Mike Sardi lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Mike Sardi - October 19, 2017 at 04:40 PM

PR

“ Dan, Jennifer, Jamie, and Jodi, I am sorry to hear of the loss of your wife and mother. I really wanted to come to the funeral home but I had company in from Colorado and we are leaving for a vacation. Your mother was a wonderful person and when her and your father would see me in town they would always know who I was and go out of her way to talk to me. Jennifer, I think your mother knew everyone from the class of 1991. You are all in my thought and prayers.

Your Friend,
Patrick Reed

Patrick A Reed - October 19, 2017 at 11:01 AM

CS

“ Carla Ragley Smith lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Carla Ragley Smith - October 18, 2017 at 11:22 PM

DA

“ My kids wouldn't be who they are today if it wasn't for Barb. I can't thank her enough for her patience with my kids at the Siler Center. She was a wonderful person and a gifted preschool teacher. She will be missed. From: The Ashcrafts, Paul, Donna, Sam, Morgan and Ryan.

Donna Ashcraft - October 17, 2017 at 05:21 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.



October 17, 2017 at 10:52 AM

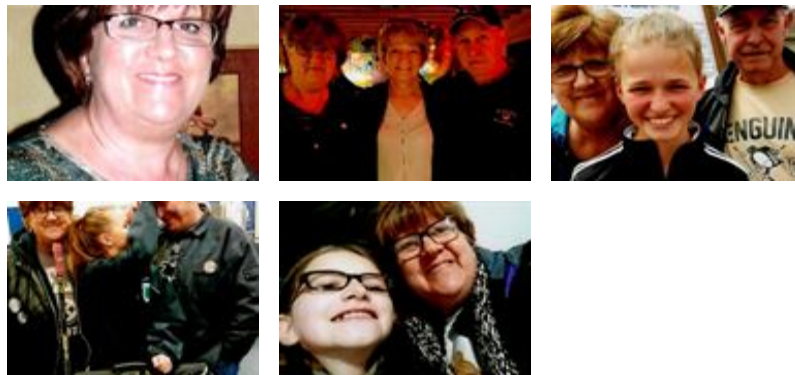
BC

“ We were so sorry to hear of Barb's passing, please know our thoughts and prayers are with you. Ben and Debbie Call

Ben and Debbie Call - October 17, 2017 at 10:05 AM



“ 84 files added to the album Life Tributes



Robert V Burns Funeral Home - October 17, 2017 at 09:50 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.*



October 17, 2017 at 05:54 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.*



October 16, 2017 at 07:12 PM



“ *Cheri Nebinski lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine*



Cheri Nebinski - October 16, 2017 at 05:40 PM



“ *God bless Bill and Cheri Nebinski purchased the Light Your Way for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.*



God bless Bill and Cheri Nebinski - October 16, 2017 at 05:38 PM

BD

“ *Brenda and Diane purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.* ”



Brenda and Diane - October 16, 2017 at 04:11 PM



“ *6 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Robert V Burns Funeral Home - October 16, 2017 at 04:04 PM

JR

“ *I am truly gonna miss Barb, I had a dinner at my house and we had grand time, I've enjoyed being around her and Dan when they would come to Kansas City and visit Jennifer and Tony, her smile and laugh was priceless, my sincere condolences to the family, John Rodriguez, KC MO.* ”

john Rodriguez - October 16, 2017 at 03:09 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy to the McClaine family. May God comfort you during these times and the ones ahead.* ”

Debra Osier - October 16, 2017 at 12:44 PM

BH

“ *Beth Hipps lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine*



Beth Hipps - October 16, 2017 at 12:14 PM

BH

Barb~You were taken from all of us way too early. You are deeply missed. I wish I would have more time with you. Tell my sister I miss her and I love her. Please give her a hug. I will do my best to take care of Jode. Love you

Beth Hipps - October 16, 2017 at 12:15 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.*



October 16, 2017 at 12:09 PM

JM

“ *Sincerest sympathies to your family. Mr. McClaine, Jenny, Jamie, and Jodie you are in my thoughts and prayers as you struggle through this very difficult loss. Mrs. McClaine was always such a kind woman to everyone. I never knew her not to have a smile on her face. She was certainly proud of her family and loved you all endlessly. I am terribly sad for your family and pray for peace and understanding in your hearts and minds.*



Jennifer Murphy MacInnes - October 16, 2017 at 09:42 AM

JH

“ Jim Hulings lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Jim Hulings - October 15, 2017 at 03:51 PM

TC

“ Barb was always so sweet . I remember when she worked at the daycare and I worked at Ralston hall . We would have lunch together out side sometimes . No matter where I ran into her at she always had a wonderful smile. God gained a beautiful angel. I'm sure I don't have to tell him that ..Some day we will all be back with her. My prayers and symptoms goes out to Dan and his daughters and grandkids and family . I pray they find peace and comfort and the time of there loss .I ask you God to watch over and take care of them all . God bless you all. The Cotherman family,

Tom Charlene Cotherman - October 14, 2017 at 10:24 PM

TC

“ Tom +Charlene Cotherman lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Tom +Charlene Cotherman - October 14, 2017 at 10:09 PM

JS

“ So sorry for your loss .Barb was a great lady. When I worked at the donut shop the whole family came in. She was always so happy and fun to talk to .
PRAYERS OUT TO THE FAMILY.
I talked to her last when SHE had her yardsale, talking about the old days.

Joyce shipley - October 14, 2017 at 08:53 PM

SS

“ Susie Smirh-Reinsel lit a candle in memory of
Barbara A. McClaine



Susie Smirh-Reinsel - October 14, 2017 at 08:10 PM

TF

“ We were so saddened and shocked to read of Barb's passing. "Miss Barb" was Kelsey's first pre-school Siler teacher and she took our daughter under her wing and made sure every day was a good one for her. Barb was kind, thoughtful, honest, patient, and loved her Siler kids! She instilled her thoughtfulness in those kids and taught them so many valuable lessons. Barb will be greatly missed, but forever remembered. Our thoughts are with her family and we're wishing them peace at this difficult time.

Dave, Kathi, Kelsey & Sean Fagan

The Fagan Family - October 14, 2017 at 08:03 PM

LB

“Deepest Sympathy, Thoughts, and Prayers. “Miss Barb” was a wonderful friend and role model. She taught me so much about teaching in the field of early childhood education! She will be missed greatly!



Laura Beichner - October 14, 2017 at 07:59 PM

LR

“Linda Roux purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.



Linda Roux - October 14, 2017 at 03:53 PM



“Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.



October 14, 2017 at 01:22 PM

TF

“The Girvan Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.



The Girvan Family - October 14, 2017 at 12:43 PM

JA

“ Dear Miss Barb's family --

Words cannot truly express my feelings of deep sadness at the loss of your mom, your grandma, your wife, my friend, and my daughter's teacher. I knew Barb from my days of dropping off children to place in her care at Siler Center. As a mom, it is so comforting to know that your child is in good hands while you are at work -- except that my children were not just in good hands, they were in the best hands - loving hands. Barb loved not only my kids, but all the kids in her care, unconditionally and without judgment or harsh words. Yes, she taught kids content information through her teaching, but more importantly, she taught them how to play well with others, how to love books, how to be creative, and most of all, how to care about each other. What a good and genuine soul she was. She is missed already.

Jackie - October 14, 2017 at 11:11 AM

SH

“ SO saddened and shocked to hear this news and I immediately was flooded with years of fun memories of her in high school. We were always seated in alphabetical order so she was always right behind me in every class. And that's ironic cause that's exactly how Barb was in life, she had your back. She was, always there with support, laughter and words of encouragement. And she had the back of every friend, her husband and family. She always spoke from her heart and you could count on her. I can still hear her cracking up and a ton of memories are flooding in. We are all lucky to have known her. She was the real deal. My deepest condolences to her beloved husband Dan and her amazing amazing family. May you all find strength until you all meet again.

Sandy Hopkins - October 14, 2017 at 08:52 AM



“ I am sad you are gone, but I am thankful I saw your smiling face and got to give you a huge hug during ALF.

Kim Dechant - October 14, 2017 at 08:24 AM



“ Sending my sincere condolences! God bless!

Love,
Jessica Girvan

Jessica Girvan - October 13, 2017 at 10:00 PM



“ Barb & I were best friends for over fifty years. My heart is broken.

pat Hopkins - October 13, 2017 at 09:08 PM



“ Jean Hartle lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Jean Hartle - October 13, 2017 at 08:42 PM



“ Lori Miller lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Lori Miller - October 13, 2017 at 08:42 PM

KH

“ Russ and I would like to extend our deepest sympathies to Dan, all of the McClaine, and Hulings family on the passing of Barb. May God give you the strength to get through this.



Kathy Hoenig - October 13, 2017 at 08:26 PM

IS

“ Sending my deepest empathy & sympathy to the McClaine family! I am without words.....other than to say I am SO very sorry!!!!!!!!!!

Inez Ward Smith - October 13, 2017 at 07:49 PM

DL

“ Diane Lutz lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Diane Lutz - October 13, 2017 at 07:03 PM

MB

“ Millie (Rossey) Brewer lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. McClaine



Millie (Rossey) Brewer - October 13, 2017 at 06:35 PM

CS

“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire family. Barb played an important role in our family as a friend and babysitter. Her happy smile and laughter will be missed. Prayers to everyone.*

carol sobolewski - October 13, 2017 at 06:20 PM

JK

“ *Barb was a wonderful person. She was so kind and caring and simply loved her family and friends! I remember years ago I got to really know both Barb and Dan through their beloved Keaton the dog. We really bonded through Keaton. Now Milo was sent to take care of Barb and Dan. Milo will be a God Send to watch over Dan at this rough time. God has taken Barb from her family and friends but she will become an angle to watch over us all. She will be sadly missed!!*

Jackie Kemmer - October 13, 2017 at 05:25 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Barbara A. McClaine.*



October 13, 2017 at 05:14 PM

JE

“ *Love and miss you so much, Mom.*

Jen - October 13, 2017 at 03:51 PM