



Barbara Orsbourn

March 10, 1935 - December 17, 2013

Barbara Ann Brown Orsbourn, 78, of Rossville, Georgia passed away Tuesday, December 17, 2013. She was a member of Chattanooga Valley Church of the Nazarene. Barbara was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and a foster mother for 41 years serving more than 241 children.

Survivors include her devoted Husband of 60 years, Ernest Orsbourn, Children, Diane (Dale) Depew, Todd Orsbourn, Beth (Bart) Crattie and Eric Orsbourn, Grandchildren, Amy (Bob) Bennett, Lori (Micky) Sharp and Corey Orsbourn, five Great Grandsons, Collin Sharp, Luke, Matt, Christian and Jake Bennett, Sister, Beatrice Green, Brother, Jerry Brown.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 – 2:00 PM Saturday in Chattanooga Valley Church of the Nazarene. The funeral service will follow at 2:00 PM at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Chattanooga. Online register book available at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements are by W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home, Fort Oglethorpe (706) 866-5555.

Tribute Wall

EF

“ Ernie and family..just received the news..we're so saddened to hear of your loss..Barbara and you were wonderful neighbors and our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family during your time of need..God Bless you

Eula Mae and Bill Bundy - St Petersburg, FL - friends - January 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

OF

“ Barbara was one of the kindest, most compassionate women we've ever known! Her devotion to her foster children was exemplary! She will be sadly missed here but well known and loved in heaven!

Otis & Sandy Martin - Chattanooga, TN - friend - December 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Thoughts and prayers to all.

Joann and Steve Prentice - Villas , NJ - sister-in-laws Mom - December 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. May you let God's Word comfort you when it reads, “If a man dies can he live again? ...You will call, and I myself shall answer you. You will long for the work of your hands.” {Job 14:14, 15}. God will have a longing to resurrect our loved ones who have fallen asleep in death.

Trina - GA - December 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I did not know Barbara but feel that she must have had a truly generous spirit in fostering so many children. Please know that I keep you in my thoughts and prayers and special thoughts to Bea.

Kay yarrington - Endicott, NY - Friend of Barbara's sister Bea - December 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was blessed to know Mrs. and Mr. Orsbourn as a case worker. They were truly Christ with skin on to each and every child that entered into their care. They loved them and sought the best interest for each of them. I was always impressed with the gift that Mrs. Orsbourn had in knowing her babies...She was truly the baby whisper to the babies that suffered so much. I have no doubt that she received a "well done my good and faithful servant." Her family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Amanda Slaton - December 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Words cannot express how sorry I am for your loss. Barbara was one of the finest person that I have ever met. She gave so much and ask for so little. Heaven has gained a wonderful person.

Peace & Grace
Shay Drennan-Love

Shay Love - Ringgold, GA - Friend - December 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM