



Barbara Benedetto

February 20, 1951 - December 13, 2018

Barbara Benedetto, 67, of Lake Villa, passed away on Thursday, December 13, 2018.

Barb was born in Chicago on February 20, 1951, the daughter of the late Alexander and Artie Kalatzki. She was an avid reader, loved to travel, and she was always planning her next vacation or cruise. Forever a Chicago White Sox and Dallas Cowboys fan, she enjoyed gardening and loved spending time in her rose garden. Mrs. B was an animal lover and never turned away a stray. She will be missed by her golden retriever Murray.

She is survived by her children Nicole Benedetto and Joshua (Tessa Curtis) Rapier.

She was preceded in death by her husband Joe and by her sister Nadja.

Memorial visitation will be from 5 - 7 p.m. on Wednesday, December 19, 2018, at Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave. Lake Villa, IL 60046. A memorial service will begin at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

DEC 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.
Lake Villa, IL 60046
info@ringafuneralhome.com
<http://www.ringafuneralhome.com>

Memorial Service

DEC 19. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Benedetto*

October 04, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Barbara Benedetto*

December 31, 2022 at 11:36 AM



“ *I was very sorry to hear of Barb's loss yesterday at my business! When I started at Astellas, she was incredibly helpful in getting me acclimated, and made me feel welcome! While our group wasn't her responsibility, she did everything she could to make things easy - even when her days were tough on her! Astellas and the world needs more good hearted people like her! God Speed Barb!*

- Kim Kolodzik

Kim Kolodzik - December 23, 2018 at 01:54 PM



“ *What an amazing, caring lady she was.... She helped me train my boys on means to be responsible young men. My boys will definitely miss her... God Bless u sweaty... I'll be praying for you* 💕💕💕

Tina Schmadebeck - December 19, 2018 at 05:35 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Barbara Benedetto.*



December 19, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ *Charlene Layne lit a candle in memory of Barbara Benedetto*



Charlene Layne - December 19, 2018 at 10:54 AM



Lissette Corpuz

“ Dear Nicole,

I am very sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of working with your mother at Astellas. I will always remember how kind and helpful she was. May the good memories warm your heart during this difficult time. She will be missed...earth's loss, but she is heaven's gain.

Lissette Corpuz - December 19, 2018 at 09:38 AM

KH

“ *I worked with Barb for a few years at Astellas, and loved her bright and cheerful spirit. I remember her love of working with animals to bring comfort to people, and thought of her as such a kind and compassionate person. Hold tight to your many fond memories and knowing that she had a positive impact on many people beyond just family. She will be missed by many. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Kelly Hunt



Kelly Hunt - December 18, 2018 at 05:20 PM

SK

“ *Nicole I worked with your mom for a short time at Astellas. She told me wonderful stories about you, your father and your dogs. May her memory be a blessing to you during this difficult time.*

Sara Kivolowitz - December 18, 2018 at 03:10 PM

MR

“ *Michelle & Brent Roberson purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Barbara Benedetto.*

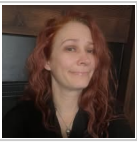


Michelle & Brent Roberson - December 18, 2018 at 12:29 PM

MG

“ *I worked with Barb for many years at Astellas. She was always so kind and cheerful. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Maureen Garrity - December 16, 2018 at 11:51 AM



“ i was incapable of spending the night anywhere but home, i remember spending the night at ur house. after nicole went to bed i was scarred and wanted to go home. barb stayed up all night w me talking about jurassic park. she really was my other mom when we were young, she tought me all the embarassing stuff like what to do about my first period, my parents separating how to cook....so much we were "b squared"

Barbie Berg - December 16, 2018 at 01:20 AM

TS

“ Nicole, I met you several times although you may not remember..... I worked with your Mother since the day we both started at Astellas together forward for 10 years. I loved hearing stories about you and what you were doing, her dog(s), her vacations, about your dad, about Nadja, and about all the illness she faced over the years. She was one tough lady but always had me smiling. I loved that you sent her flowers every year for your birthday. I know you will miss her but I also know you have wonderful memories that you'll hold onto and smile to yourself as you think of the wisdom she shared or the fun times you shared together or the funny things she said or did. I pray those memories keep your heart light during this very sad time. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Sincerely, Tammy Sulaiman

Tammy Sulaiman - December 15, 2018 at 02:30 PM

NS

“ Nicole, we have not met...I worked with your Mother back at Astellas for about 7 yrs. she was strong through everything and I loved hearing about you and her trips and the dog(s). It was a pleasure to have worked with her..and I am very sorry to hear of her passing away. You are in my thoughts and both in my prayers. Sincerely, Nancy Sacco

Nancy Sacco - December 14, 2018 at 07:46 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Benedetto.



December 14, 2018 at 05:35 PM