



Clara Barnard Phillips

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Clara B. Phillips, of Leesburg, died in her home Thursday, Sept. 5, after a courageous battle with esophageal cancer.

She was 81.

Born June 28, 1932, in Sneedville, TN, Clara was the eighth of John Barnard and Nora Winkler Barnard's 15 children.

A devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Clara deeply loved her family and her faith and her caring spirit will be missed by all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 46 years, Alfred L. Phillips, and her daughter, Penny Jean Phillips; Six brothers, Roy Barnard, Dayton (Brote) Barnard, Ben Barnard, Jay Barnard, Clarence (Butch) Barnard and Elmer Barnard; Four sisters, Rene Perry, Almae Winkles, Emloe (Jo) Helton and Helen Baker.

Left to cherish her loving memory are her children, Brenda Prestidge, Michael Phillips and his wife, Robin, and Tricia Virts and her husband, Dan, all of Leesburg; Her sisters, Lucille Baker, Loretta Bell and Lois Holmes, and her brother, Kyle Barnard.

She'll also be greatly missed by her grandchildren, Kenneth Prestidge and his wife, Holly, Nichole Phillips and her husband, Jon Cichowicz, Bryan Phillips, Amanda Virts, Megan Virts and Ryan Virts, as well as two great-granddaughters, Taylor Prestidge and Kennedy Prestidge. Clara was a dedicated member of the Leesburg Volunteer Fire Company and a member of Leesburg Community Church.

Funeral services are Monday, Sept. 9, at Loudoun Funeral Chapel with Dr. Alan Stanford officiating. She'll be buried next to her husband and daughter at Union Cemetery in Leesburg.



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In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Clara's memory to American Cancer Society

124 Park Street, SE, Vienna, VA 22180, Blue Ridge Hospice 333 W. Cork Street, Suite 405, Winchester, VA 22601.



Events

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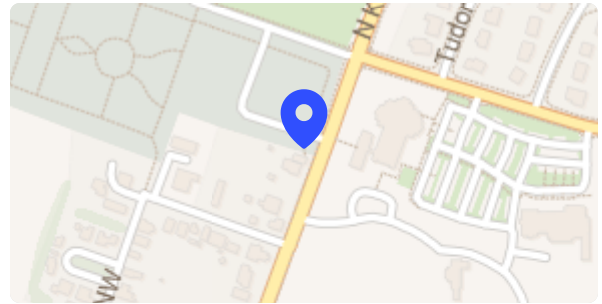
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Cemetery Details



Leesburg Union Cemetery

323 North King Street, Leesburg VA





Tribute Wall

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Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared a **Tribute Video**.



September 4 at 8:00 PM



Loretta Jacoby posted:

Dear Tricia, I was very sorry to read about your Mother's passing in the paper. I hope that you are finding comfort in your family during this very sad time. I thought her picture was just lovely and it was so nice to see how you resemble her. I sure do miss seeing you at Eagle Ridge and I hope that our paths will cross again soon. Sincerely, Loretta Jacoby

September 15 at 1:06 PM



Susie Rogowski posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Susie Struder Rogowski

September 12 at 3:16 AM



Tammy Wagner lit a candle in honor of Clara.



September 9 at 3:06 PM



Sandra Phares posted:

Sending my thoughts and prayers your way during this time. While I didn't know Mrs. Phillips personally, I know she poured love into her family. My friend, Brenda Prestidge, is an example of that love, and a living tribute to the person her Mother was. I wish you all time to heal, friends near, and that you find ways to celebrate your Mom/Grandmother/Greatgrandmother in the days and months to come! Much love, Sandra

September 9 at 12:12 PM



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SP

Sandra Phares lit a candle in honor of Clara.

September 9 at 12:08 PM



PK

Page Kidwell lit a candle in honor of Clara.

September 8 at 3:41 PM



GB

Geraldine Barnard posted:

Prayers and Love to the family, We all loved and will miss Aunt Clara.Dayton Jr . and family

September 7 at 4:11 PM

RB

Ronald Behm sent a Classic Sympathy Basket Arrangement to the Phillips family.

September 6 at 11:41 AM





Anonymous sent a Multicolor Bright Sympathy Basket to the Phillips family.

September 6 at 10:41 AM



SG

Steve Gulick posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this sad time.

September 6 at 6:20 AM



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Carrie Johnson lit a candle in honor of Clara.

The world lost an amazing beautiful woman today. I can't seem to find words adequate enough to express the sadness I feel over the loss of Aunt Clara. She was like a loving grandmother to me, always having kind words and warm hugs that smelled like roses. I will miss her dearly. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with the family at this difficult time.



September 5 at 12:24 PM



Evelyn Phillips McClellan September 8 at 4:50 AM

My thoughts and prayers are with the family. I will miss Clara greatly. Love to all. Cleo Phillips, Evelyn Phillips McClellan and Cleva Simpson



Brandon Vickers September 6 at 7:54 AM

Brenda, our thoughts and prayers are with you, your sister, and the family. -Brandon



Kim Townsend September 6 at 7:43 AM

Brenda, may you and your family find peace during this difficult time; my thoughts and prayers are with you all.



Media

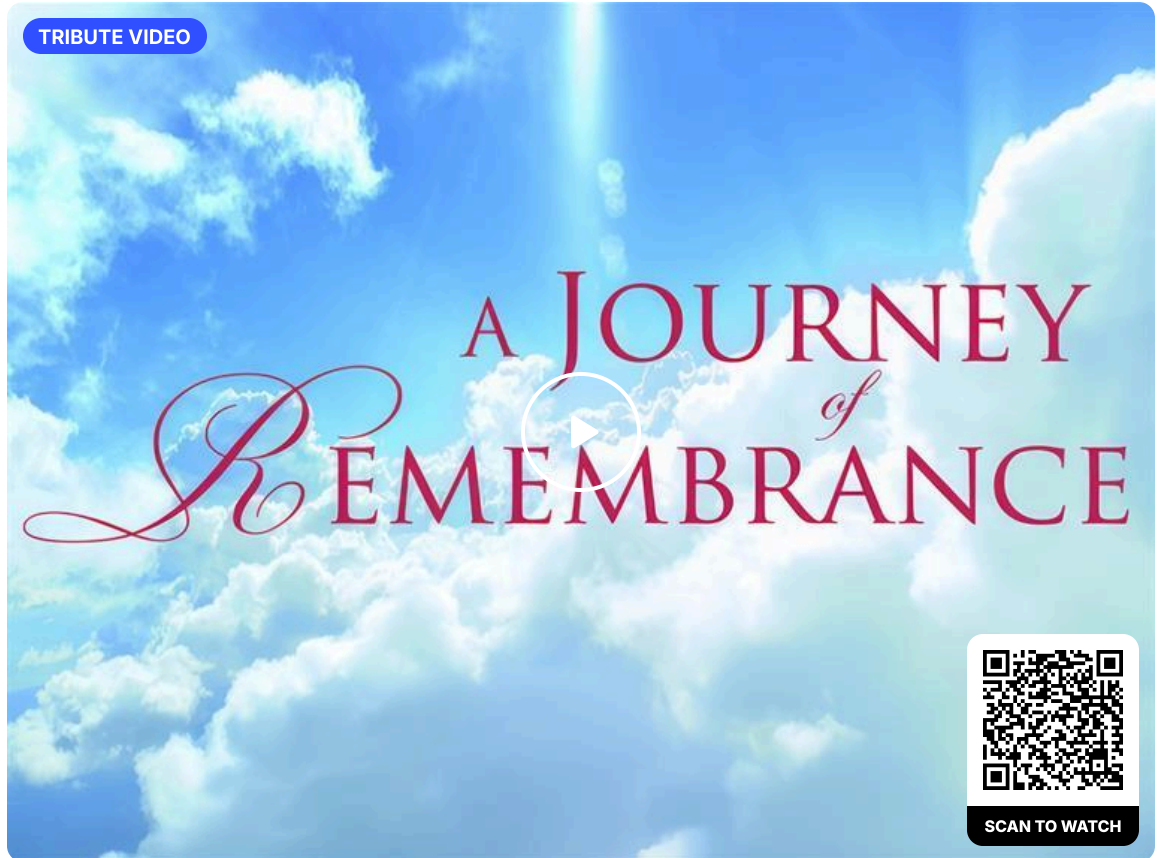
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