



Hope Bacos Bazaco

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Hope Bacos Bazaco, a wonderful woman, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, passed away on January 27, 2024, at the age of 99. She was born on August 6, 1924, in Brooklyn, New York. Hope's warm and loving personality endeared her to all who knew her. She had a natural talent for entertaining people and took great joy in raising and caring for not only her family but also caring for her friends.

One of Hope's greatest accomplishments was being a dedicated homemaker to her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. She poured her heart and soul into creating a loving and nurturing environment for her family. Her love and support were unwavering, leaving a lasting impact on each and every one of us.

Hope a talented writer, known for her book of anecdotes that are loved by all. She had a way with words and a gift for storytelling. In her later years, she focused on developing her "Words of Wisdom," which she would text out individually to a select group of friends and family. Her words touched the hearts of many and provided guidance and inspiration.

Aside from her writing, Hope had a passion for cooking and baking. Her signature dish, Baklava, was renowned not only in the local area but also among the troops in Vietnam, Iraq, and Afghanistan. She would send her beloved dessert to the soldiers, bringing them a taste of home and a reminder that they were not forgotten.

Hope's love for her family extended to the Doukenie Winery, where she spent many joyful moments entertaining guests with stories of the family history. She particularly loved sharing the story of her mother, Doukenie, who immigrated to the United States from Greece, by herself, at the young age of 15. Doukenie's strength and determination in raising four children and becoming a successful property owner and stock wizard inspired Hope. She believed that her mother's influence was the foundation of their family's success, but in truth, it was Hope herself who was the



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pillar of the family.

Hope's impact on the lives of those who knew her was immeasurable. Her unwavering support, love, and positive influence left a lasting impression on everyone she encountered. She will be fondly remembered not only locally but also throughout the nation.

Hope's dedication to her family, her faith in God, and her cherished friendships were the driving forces in her life. She lived each day with love and kindness, leaving a legacy of warmth and compassion.

Funeral Arrangements

A viewing and service will be held on February 1, 2024, at Loudoun Funeral Chapel, 158 Catoctin Cir SE, Leesburg, VA 20175. Gathering and visitation begins at 10:00, Service at 11:00 and Interment followed at Hillsboro Cemetery, 37125 Charles Town Pike, Hillsboro, Virginia 20132, at 1:00 PM. A Celebration of Life to follow at Doukenie Winery, 14727 Mountain Rd, Hillsboro VA 20132

Surviving Family

Hope is survived by her children, George, Richard, and Hope Alethia, her grandchildren, Christa, Michael, Hunter, Madison, and Breadon. She is also survived by her great grandchildren, Dylan, Jackson, Eleana, Theo, and Niko.

Donations and Tributes

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations to be made to Hope's Garden in Hillsboro, VA. (www.HillsboroPreservation.org) Your donation will help preserve Hope's legacy forever. And Medical Missionaries, (www.MedicalMissionaries.org).






Events

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Visitation

-  **Thursday**, February 1, 2024
-  10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
-  **Loudoun Funeral Chapel**
158 Catoctin Circle, S.E., Leesburg VA 20175






Service

-  **Thursday**, February 1, 2024
-  11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
-  **Loudoun Funeral Chapel**
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Burial

-  **Thursday**, February 1, 2024
-  1:00 PM ET
-  **Hillsboro Cemetery**
15142 Hillsboro Road, Purcellville, VA





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The Doukenie Winery Team sent a Serenity Wreath to the Bazaco family.

January 31 at 5:37 AM



Anonymous sent a Fairest of All to the Bazaco family.

January 31 at 4:22 AM



Elizabeth A. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Hope.

January 31 at 4:22 AM



Taska, Erin, Jordan, Megan And Kathy sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bazaco family.

January 30 at 1:51 PM



Sandra Sheehan posted:

My thoughts and prayers to all the Bazaco family. She will surely be missed. I will miss all her Words of Wisdom. She taught me so much. Her warm welcoming smile will never be forgotten. God Bless you all.

January 29 at 2:24 PM



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Leon Harris posted:

George and Nicki, please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of Hope Bazaco's family. My first memories of Hope go back to Richmond Virginia in 1961, when George and I were in the Corps of Cadets at Virginia Tech, he took me home with him at Thanksgiving. Oh my, Hope proceeded to spoil us with her special recipes and then she spoiled us again with her warm caring personality. In recent years as we visited , Hope never failed to have lots of "Words of Wisdom" and that wonderful Baklava. Hope will be missed, but not forgotten. Leon and Bev Harris

January 29 at 9:30 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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