



Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley

November 15, 1958 - January 28, 2025

Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley born November 15, 1958, and raised on her family farm, Sunrise Farm, in Clover Lick, WV passed away on January 28, 2025, in Buckhannon, WV. Barb passed surrounded by family and under the care of WVU Hospice after a short battle with an aggressive form of metastatic melanoma cancer. Barb is survived by her husband, Jim, of 44 years, and her daughters - Rebecca and Abby, her sons-in-law Chad Marsh and Levi Bender and her beloved grandchildren - Makenna, Bael and Kai, all of Buckhannon, WV. She is also survived by her parents, Richard and Jane Beverage, her brother, Danny and sister-in-law, Cheryl and nieces and nephew, Kelsey, Cole (Whitney, Charlie and Harper) and Katelynn Beverage of Clover Lick, WV.

Barb was a homemaker who spent her time caring for her family and working on the family farm with her father. She had spent the last several years babysitting and helping to raise her grandchildren. She loved to sew, read, play cards (Clean Hands, Dirty Feet) and cross stitch. She loved going to the beach to sit in the sand to read and walk in the water. She enjoyed making maple syrup on her family farm every winter and making hay in the summer. Barb was active in her daughters' activities and frequently chaperoned school and club trips, made baked goods for fundraisers and volunteered her time at school and 4-H functions. She also supported her grandchildren by attending their sporting events and school functions. She enjoyed traveling with her husband on their trips to see friends, their day trip car rides and vacations with

her grandchildren.

Per her request, Barb will be cremated without funeral services. A celebration of life will be held on February 16, 2025, from 1 pm to 3 pm at the Pocahontas Community Wellness Center in Marlinton, WV.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made in her honor to Pocahontas County 4-H. Barb became involved in 4-H through her daughters. She helped with meetings and activities, chaperoned at State Dance Camp and helped with meals at county camp and part of the Big Foot Tribe.

Donations (in check form) should be made out to and mailed to:

Pocahontas 4-H Leaders Association

900 E 10th Ave

Marlinton, WV 24954

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB **16**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Pocahontas Community Wellness Center
Marlinton, WV 24954

Tribute Wall

DG

“ *Barb was a beacon of light! She was always welcoming and friendly. She will be missed.*

Diana Gillispie - February 15, 2025 at 10:44 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley.*



February 14, 2025 at 05:25 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley.*

February 14, 2025 at 05:25 AM

DP

“ *Barb was a true blue forever friend.
I first met her when Jim brought her to a Jaycee dance.
We instantly became friends and enjoyed each other's company for many years. She was someone I called on for help for many times. She had boundless energy and gave 100% of it to her family and friends.
I will always remember her when I have angel food cake.
She must be baking with the angels now.
-Debbie Peacock*

Debbie Peacock - February 05, 2025 at 06:11 PM

KB

“ Prayers for Jimmy and family!



Karen Ray Boyer - February 01, 2025 at 04:48 PM

JB

“ We never saw Barb without a vibrant genuine smile. We just heard of her illness a week ago. Our hearts ached then and even moreso upon her passing. We send prayers and comfort to Jimmy and family as well as her Mom and Dad!! May God wrap his arms around you all and sustain you through the difficult times ahead. Barb is smiling from above now!! Jimmy and Jeannie (Triplett) Bond

Jimmy-Jeannie Bond - January 30, 2025 at 11:37 AM

CS

“ We were so saddened to hear of Barb's passing, Jimmy and family you are in our Prayers .Barb was such a friendly and caring person with a smile on her face for everyone. Her family was the love of her life, she sure loved her grandbabies. Cathy&Tom Smallridge



Cathy Smallridge - January 30, 2025 at 09:38 AM

BD

“ I am so very sorry to hear that Barb has lost her fight with cancer ...she was a very sweet lady ,,she will be missed by everyone who has known her ...and especially by her Husband, Children,and grandchildren.it will be hard but she is not suffering now she is at peaceprayers and condolences for all her family ...God gained another Angel ,,,,Rest In Peace



Brenda Dean - January 30, 2025 at 07:47 AM

JG

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family



JoAnn Gilardi - January 30, 2025 at 07:39 AM

SB

“ To family & friends, my deepest and most heartfelt sympathy is being sent across the miles. Asking God to bring healing & comfort during this most difficult time. May God rest her soul and comfort each of yours.



Shirley Beverage Bedard - January 29, 2025 at 11:27 PM

PA

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Barb and I were best friends for several years when we lived in Marlinton. My memories of time spent with her, I have, and will always cherish. I learned so many homemaker skills from her. She was a special lady.

Pam - January 29, 2025 at 10:16 PM

LM

“ *Laura McKenney Meyer lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley*



Laura McKenney Meyer - January 29, 2025 at 07:47 PM

LM

“ *Barb was a loving caring person and will be missed by many. Thoughts prayers and condolences to the entire family*

Laura McKenney Meyer - January 29, 2025 at 07:46 PM

TF

“ *Going to the beach the same time every year allows you to make great friends like Jim and Barb. We had the love of our state WV in common. Barb was just that person that you really loved to be around. Full of life and we always shared stories about our kids and Grandkids. I was devastated when I got the news and will always think of Barb when we go to the beach. You never know who God puts in your path but I will be forever grateful to have known and loved Barb. Jim, you and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. And my heart breaks for you all. Barb was one of the Best and she will be missed by many. From Tammy Friedline and Family.*

Tammy Friedline - January 29, 2025 at 07:29 PM

MC

“ *Misty Cochran lit a candle in memory of Barbara "Barb" Ann (Beverage) Dilley*



Misty Cochran - January 29, 2025 at 07:22 PM

JK

“ *Barb always had a warm smile and kind words. To Jimmy and family, I am so sorry. It is hard to lose a special someone but harder to watch them suffer. She will be with you.*

Janet Kershner-Vanover - January 29, 2025 at 06:50 PM

SC

“ *My memories of playing volleyball at the old gym at Marlinton, our love of reading and sharing our books, my moms stories of you and her working together at Doc's, and many hours of just talking have often passed through my mind over the years. Your smiling face will be missed. Shelia (Ryder) Cutlip*

Shelia Cutlip - January 29, 2025 at 05:08 PM

TK

“ *We had so much fun on the farm during our school years she was a dear friend. My heart hurts to hear of her passing. No matter what Barb always had a smile on her face and was glad to see you.- Teresa (Beale)kuhlken*

teresa kuhlken - January 29, 2025 at 03:41 PM

JB

All of my memories of Barb include her vibrant smile. She was one of the kindest people I know. Hearing of her illness just a few days ago left me shattered. Comfort and prayers for Jimmy and her family (for her Mom and Dad who i know, as well). Rest in peace dear friend!!
Jeannie (Triplet) Bond

Jeannie Bond - January 29, 2025 at 08:59 PM

CD

“*Jim & family, Tonya & I send our deepest condolences at the loss of your precious Barb. Jim, we continue to talk about the great time we all had during the weekend of Jessica’s wedding, it was such a joy spending time with you both. Barb had the friendliest smile and personality, certainly keeping us laughing. Barb was a beautiful lady inside and out. Prayers & hugs to you all. Love Cecil & Tonya*

Cecil Dilley - January 29, 2025 at 02:33 PM