



Barbara Jean Vaughan

August 13, 1926 - July 6, 2019

Barbara Jean (Becker) Vaughan, of Chico, California was born on August 13, 1926, on the family farm in Bushong, Kansas .She passed away at age 92 on July 6, 2019, in Chico, California. Barbara moved to Durham at age 11, attended Durham and Chico schools and graduated from Chico Sr. High School in 1944.

She married Lester Vaughan in Chico, January 1947. She worked for Bank of America for 35 years, beginning on the teller line and retiring from Truckee as Branch Manager.

Barbara is survived by her son, Gregory Vaughan; daughter, Cheryl Armstrong; grandchildren, Jennifer Graves, Amy Niess, Christopher Vaughan, and Nyles Armstrong; and great-grandchildren, Tanner Graves, and Sydney Graves of Woodenville, Washington; Lily Niess, Makena Niess, Amy Armstrong, Breanne Armstrong, William Armstrong, and Brooke Vaughan all of Chico.

She had a zest for life; snowmobiling, snow skiing, ice skating, backpacking, sailing, water skiing, traveling and spending time at her favorite place, the family cabin at Bucks Lake.

She was active in the Chico Quota Club, Soroptimist International, PTA, Chico Ski Club, California Nevada Snowmobile Association, Bucks Lake Snowdrifters, Chico Hillsliders and North Tahoe Snowmobile Club.

A celebration of her life will be held at the Vaughan family cabin at Bucks Lake, Saturday, August 10th, 2019 at 2:00PM.

Events

AUG **Celebration of Life** 02:00PM

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Vaughan Family Cabin - Bucks Lake
CA, US

Comments



“ Cheryl and Greg,

Your mom (along with Grace Allread and my mother) raised up a passel of kids (11 of us? 13?) on Bidwell Avenue back in the 50s and 60s. None of us would have become who we are were it not for the combined efforts of those strong and determined ladies.

Barbara was a pillar of our little neighborhood and an integral part of my growing up. I'll always remember her grace and patience and how it complemented her fun-loving, do-anything zest for each day. Heck! She water skied!

Please accept my sympathy in her passing but know that her spirit continues with you as it does with all of us who often looked to her for direction, advice or a can of soda or a slice of watermelon out of the ice cold spring at the cabin. Thanks for sharing her with us.

And, "Barbara Jean," thank you forever for being one of my moms.

Dave Delgado

David Delgado - July 16, 2019 at 10:41 PM



“ Hugs to Greg, Cheryl and the extended families. It's been a long struggle. I have fond memories of Barbara.

Susan Delgado - July 13, 2019 at 02:02 PM