



Susan Marlene Louise Barbere

October 9, 1939 - April 25, 2019

Susan Marlene Louise Barbere, 79 year old Yreka resident, passed away on April 25, 2019.

Marlene was born on October 9, 1939 in Center City, California (now Santa Maria) to John Herbert and Hazel Sutter. She lived in the Central California coast area and was a bookkeeper in San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara. In 1980, the family moved to Scott Valley, and Marlene worked for Siskiyou County as a bookkeeper until her retirement. Marlene loved family activities and the outdoors, including hunting and fishing. She was a registered Master Gardener.

Marlene is survived by three sons, Steve Diaz and his wife Cindy, James "Tad" Diaz and Tim Diaz; and two granddaughters, Sarah and Constance. She was preceded in death by her husband of 27 years, Elmer Barbere, and a brother, John William Sutter.

A Celebration of Life is planned for mid-May, and will be announced as plans are finalized. Inurnment will be in Santa Barbara with her husband, Elmer Barbere. Any donations in Marlene's memory may be made to Madrone Hospice, 255 Collier Circle, Yreka, CA 96097.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Marlene and I worked together at the child support office in Yreka for a number of years. She was such fun... knowledgeable and wise... a loving and generous spirit and such a kind heart...willing to listen and offer up one of her favorite 'sayings' to encourage and empathize. She always spoke of her sons with love and pride. I know the memories you have are priceless and will sustain you through the years.*



Blessings,

Lani Milovich

Lani Milovich - May 06, 2019 at 12:43 AM

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“ *My favorite ones are the times she took us to Avila Beach, ca., P n J sandwich and sand, yummy, lol. Years of camping . Summers I spent in L.P watching the boys while she worked. Almost every weekend we would spend at her house. Then I got married and she moved away. We still saw each other off and on over the years. We talked a lot on the phone when she moved to the beach house. Even though we were cousin, she was 18 1/2 years older so she was more like a older sister, and bonus Mom. Because of her I have the love of the beach and I hate to wear shoes. I wanted to grow up and be her so much. I was truly Blessed to have been in her life. You will be miss more then you know. Your love was unlimited to us all.*



Love, Judy, Mark and family

Judy Woodward - April 29, 2019 at 09:52 PM