



## Doris Coffee Barber

January 27, 1949 - February 12, 2021

Callahan, Florida: Doris Kay Coffee Barber, age 72, passed away on Friday, February 12, 2021 at St Vincent's Hospital in Jacksonville, Florida. She was born in Valdosta, Georgia on January 27, 1949 to the late John Eugene and Lucile Downing Coffee.

Kay had lived in Callahan, Florida with her husband, Buddy, for 46 years, and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Gray Gables. She grew up in Pinetta, Fl and graduated from Madison High School in 1967. She then attended Madison Community College and moved to Jacksonville, Fl. It was there she met the love of her life, Willie Mack "Buddy" Barber and married on June 15, 1974. Kay was employed as Church Secretary for 19 years at First Baptist Church of Gray Gables in Callahan, Florida. Before that, she was employed by Prudential Insurance Company, in Jacksonville, Fl for 10 years. Kay, "Nana" loved being with her grandchildren, and she loved her church. She also enjoyed traveling with her husband.

Kay is preceded in death by her parents and her loving husband, Buddy, of 46 years on August 31, 2020.

Kay is survived by one son, Mark Barber, his wife, Sonja of Jacksonville, Florida and one daughter, Carole Johnson and her husband, Jon, of Macclenny, Florida; five grandchildren, Lyndi Johnson, Carly Johnson, Reese

Phelps, Ivy Johnson, and Xander Barber. Also, several nieces and nephews.

A Graveside service will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, February 20, 2021, at Mt. Horeb Cemetery in Pinetta, Florida with Pastor Cody Page officiating. The family will receive friends and family one hour prior to the service at Beggs Funeral Home from 10:00 – 11:00 AM.

# Tribute Wall

LM

“ I was devastated to hear of the death of my dear friend Kay. I miss her so much. I had planned on seeing her this summer. My husband Wayne and Buddy were in basic training together and were friends until the end. We met Kay when the twins were babies and loved her immediately. She was a classy lady (even though she was married to Buddy - haha) and we shared many good times together. My prayers are with the family as I know it is hard to loose both parents in such a short period.

*God Bless, Linda McLeod*

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**Linda McLeod** - March 01, 2021 at 04:25 PM

KC

“ Karen Connor lit a candle in memory of Doris Coffee Barber



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**Karen Connor** - February 16, 2021 at 07:37 PM

BB

“ Bob & Brenda Burgess lit a candle in memory of Doris Coffee Barber



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**Bob & Brenda Burgess** - February 16, 2021 at 01:06 PM

CF

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy in the passing of  
Cousin Kay,*

*Charlotte Downing and David Floyd*



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**Charlotte Downing and David Floyd** - February 16, 2021 at 11:58 AM

DF

“ *Debbie Farnesi lit a candle in memory of  
Doris Coffee Barber*



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**Debbie Farnesi** - February 16, 2021 at 09:10 AM

LJ

“ *Lachrisha Johnson lit a candle in memory of  
Doris Coffee Barber*



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**Lachrisha Johnson** - February 15, 2021 at 08:47 PM

SF

“ *Sally Francis lit a candle in memory of Doris  
Coffee Barber*



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**Sally Francis** - February 15, 2021 at 06:11 PM

BG

“ Beverly George lit a candle in memory of Doris Coffee Barber



Beverly George - February 15, 2021 at 03:10 PM

BG

*Kay has always been a special cousin to me and my family! Prayers and blessings for Carole and Mark and the family! Love To All, Mike and Beverly George*

Beverly George - February 15, 2021 at 03:13 PM



*Aunt Kay was one of the sweetest kind heart people I knew. As a child, I got to spend time with my Aunt and Uncle with Mark and Carole camping at Camp Blanding. She always seemed to have a smile on her face, and a joyous laugh. We will miss her, she is at peace with Uncle Buddy once more.*

Mildred A Bretz - February 15, 2021 at 05:35 PM

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*Kay was a very special lady and will be sorely missed. Prayers for the family.*

Ivy Phillips - February 17, 2021 at 09:53 AM