



Joan Barclay

June 18, 1925 - July 14, 2020

Joan Barclay, aged 95, died peacefully in her sleep at home on July 14, 2020. Originally from NYC, she brought her three children to Marietta in 1974. In her youth she was a model for Best department stores, a Sunday school teacher and a devoted sister and daughter. In Georgia, she was a medical office manager, lover of birds, all dogs and cats, and was devoted to her family. She had a sharp tongue and a strong mind and quick wit, but her loving heart earned her friendships wherever she went. Joan enjoyed shopping at Publix and Walmart Neighborhood Market, and having a scotch before dinner. She is survived by her three children, Bob Barclay of Marietta, Elaine Howard of Roswell and Don Barclay of Peachtree Corners as well as her grandchildren Alyssa Howard of Roswell and Robert Sims of Alpharetta. She leaves behind her best friend, her beloved dog, Buddy. For those inclined to honor Joan, please do so by considering a donation to Lifeline Animal Project, 3180 Presidential Drive, Atlanta, GA 30340.

Comments



“ I had the absolute pleasure of working along side Joan for several years. She was one of the sweetest persons one could possibly ever know. Her wit and humor was always so uplifting and even after she retired we would still meet for occasional lunch dates which we so enjoyed. I would refer to her as Ms. Leadfoot sometimes if she drove on our lunch breaks as she liked to get where she was going wasting no time. She was truly a wonderful person and will be greatly missed. Love you Joan, Rest in Peace...Heaven now has another true Angel and I know she will be watching over her wonderful family. God Bless you all for I know she loved you so much.
Debbie Stack



Deborah A Stack - July 18 at 04:04 PM



“ Joan and I worked together for many many years. I remember my now grown up kids calling he Mrs Broccoli. The obituary describing her wit was right on. I remember calling her my best source for good jokes. I'm sure going to miss her. A great woman
Bob Heden

Bob Heden - July 18 at 10:42 AM



“ Elaine I am so sorry for your loss (as well as for Bob & Don). Joan was a delightful neighbor and a wonderful friend. I loved my times with her and Peety and Buddy. She was a great conversationalist and always a willing listener. How I loved looking up and seeing her sitting on her bench reading the paper with the squirrels and the birds flying around and Buddy in the yard. Because of Jesus, I am looking forward to being reunited with her in Heaven one day. Truly our loss is Heaven's gain. And as for you, Joan Barclay... here's one last long wave of my arm to greet you hello for the day - until we meet again, my friend - I love you. Your friend,
Kris Roberson



Kris Roberson - July 17 at 03:31 PM