



## Barrie Jones Tydings

September 11, 1940 - May 21, 2013

BARRIE RUTH JONES TYDINGS, 72 of Haymarket, Virginia passed away Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at Avalon Home, McLean, Virginia after a lengthy battle with Alzheimer's Disease.

She was born on September 11, 1940 in Wheeling, West Virginia to Ralph W. and Ruth Christine Jones. She graduated from Chatham High School in Chatham, New Jersey. Barrie attended Mary Washington University prior to attending the University of Virginia. She was a member of Kappa Delta Sorority. In 1962 Barrie received a BSN from The University of Virginia School of Nursing.

Barrie married Ronald W. Tydings, Sr. in California in 1962. As a young wife and mother, she worked as a nurse to put her husband through law school. Later, she became active in real estate. She was a loving person who often put others' needs ahead of her own. She was known as a gracious hostess and her family and friends enjoyed the fruits of her artistic abilities. Barrie enjoyed golfing, skiing, traveling, entertaining and was an avid fan and supporter of UVA sports.

Survivors include her loving husband of 50 years, Ronald W. Tydings, Sr.; two children, Ronald W. Tydings, Jr. and wife Ana of St. Petersburg, Florida and Kevin W. Tydings and wife Cassandra of Charlotte, North Carolina; two

grandchildren, Claiborne W. and Katherine G. Tydings; and one brother, Ralph W. Jones, Jr. and wife Patsy of Hilton, New York. She is preceded in death by her parents.

A celebration of Barrie's life will be announced at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to The Alzheimer's Association, 3701 Pender Drive, Suite 400, Fairfax, Virginia 22030 in loving memory of Barrie Ruth Jones Tydings.

Condolences may be sent to [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com).

# Tribute Wall

BH

“ *God Bless family and friends. Our prayers go out for you.*

*Brett, Trent, and Cole Harris*

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**Brett, Trent, and Cole Harris** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

FH

“ *Barrie was such a lovely person. It was always such a pleasure to be in her presence.*

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**Frank Hoss** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

BR

“ *To Ron and family: We send our sincere condolences on your loss of Barrie. We fondly remember her lovely presence at various functions of the Fair Lakes Rotary Club. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Bill & Marsha Romano** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

GS

“ *Barrie Jones Tydings*

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**Glenn Silver** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

TN

“ *Dear Tydings family,  
Mrs Tydings was one of the nicest people I have had the pleasure of meeting. When I think of her it is always with a warm thought.*  
*Trey Nelson*

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**Trey Nelson** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

SL

“ *My sincere condolences to you, Ron, and your boys. My recollection of Barrie is that she was a beautiful and gracious woman.*

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**Steve Luxford** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

JG

“ *Ron, our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Barrie was a beautiful person inside and out. We feel honored to have known this lovely lady.*

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**John & Jimmie Goetze** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

MW

“ *Barrie was the only person that could keep RT straight .  
We loved here!*

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**Max & Joanne Woodbury** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

SB

“ *Ron and family:  
I was so saddened to see Barrie's obit. I remember that smile from years ago. My heart goes out to you and Ron, Jr., Kevin and family. I remember when she kept Derek at a 10 month old for "Boudreau" and I to take a Bahama trip and when I came back after a week, he clung to her leg and just looked at me like "do I know you". I think I cried and she comforted me.*

*Thinking of you,  
Shirley*

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**Shirley P. Boudreau** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

MC

“ *Ron and Family, I just this day heard about Barrie's passing. She was a lovely,giving lady and always had a smile. Memories of her opening her home to two tired Evergreen Autumn Invitational workers.*

*God bless all of you!*

*Peggy*

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**Marguerite Caudle** - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM