



## Mabel Louise Barker

October 12, 1933 - October 28, 2017

Mabel Louise Barker, age 84, passed away on Saturday, October 28, 2017 at her daughter's home in Manassas, Virginia.

She was born on October 12, 1933 in Ashland, Kentucky. Mrs. Barker retired after 33 years with the National Education Association in Washington, D.C. She was a resident of Virginia for 41 years and spent an additional 14 years in Pinehurst, North Carolina where she was very active in her community. Mabel was President of Weymouth Center for the Arts. She was a volunteer for the Arts Council of Moore County, Southern Pines, NC; a member of the Women of Weymouth, recognized in Who's Who of American Women, volunteered countless hours with Calvary Church of the Nazarene, leading Children's church, writing plays for the church musicals, decorating for the holidays, etc. She was the Director of Calvary Church Daycare and hosted the church dinners on Wednesday nights.

Mabel Barker was predeceased by her father, Rev. Charles F. May, her mother, Maggie B. May, her brothers, Rev. Howard May, Paul May, Kenneth May and Francis May as well as her sister Laura Lee Ogle.

Survivors include one son: David Aaron Barker; one daughter: Anne Elizabeth Taylor and husband Daniel; one brother: Charles Wesley May; four grandchildren: Benjamin Ross Taylor & Keeley Joy Sandvig; Brock Daniel

Taylor & Ashley Elizabeth Taylor; Megan Elizabeth Schmitz & Matthew James Schmitz; David Alan Barker & Jessie Rae Vaughn.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 10:30 AM at Shenandoah Memorial Park, 1270 Front Royal Pike, Winchester, VA 22602.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Shenandoah Memorial Park

1270 Front Royal Pike  
Winchester, VA 22602

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

NOV 4. 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so saddened to hear of Mabel's passing and that I hadn't been able to communicate with her the last few years. She was a wonderful, talented person I enjoyed working with and being a friend at Weymouth. I just realized that not only that we were both Libras but born in the same year. I have been complaining becoming 84 at the end of September. Mabel will always be remembered and the hair dressers asked me about her every time I go. You have taken care of her and now she is at rest. My deepest sympathy. Barbara Dvorozniak, Pinehurst.

Barbara Dvorozniak - November 15, 2017 at 09:48 AM

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“ Janet White lit a candle in memory of Mabel Louise Barker



Janet White - November 07, 2017 at 02:46 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mabel Louise Barker.



November 01, 2017 at 11:19 AM

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“ Aunt Mabel was one of the sweetest women I've ever known. She was kind, loving, sweet, and all good things to me. I will truly miss her, for she made the world, and the moments of my life happier and special.

Cathy May

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Cathy May - October 31, 2017 at 09:02 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mabel Louise Barker.



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October 31, 2017 at 07:45 PM