



## Barbara A. Fabrizio

July 30, 1943 - January 15, 2017

Barbara A. Fabrizio 73 of Estero died Sunday January 15, 2017 at her residence. She was born July 30, 1943 in Philadelphia, PA a daughter of the late Premeon Genovese and Jeanette Tumolo Genovese.

Barbara grew up in Philadelphia and later raised her own family in the area. The family then moved to northern Virginia, where she lived for twenty years until she retired to Birmingham, AL. In 2013 she moved to Estero, FL and fulfilled her lifelong dream of living near the beach, where she would go shelling, watch wildlife, and simply sit and listen to the water. Barbara was an excellent cook and loved nothing more than preparing meals for her family and friends. She enjoyed nature and had a green thumb - her house was always full of thriving plants. She especially loved butterflies and her face would light up every time one fluttered nearby. She was also an avid movie watcher, enjoyed playing cards and games, and liked reading, working on crafts and doing puzzles.

Surviving are her daughter Dana A. (Cesar A. Fernandez) Fabrizio of South Riding, VA; son, Francis L. (Katherine) Fabrizio of Edina, MN; grandson Henry M. Fabrizio; step grandson Enzo F. Fernandez; sister Geri Consolo of Estero, FL. Besides her parents she is preceded in death by her husband Francis John Fabrizio and her granddaughters

Sarah and Claire Fabrizio.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Wednesday, February 22nd, 2017 at 10:30am at Our Lady of Light Catholic Community.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Conservancy of Southwest Florida ([www.conservancy.org](http://www.conservancy.org)), the Ovarian Cancer Research Fund Alliance ([www.ocrfa.org](http://www.ocrfa.org)), or in her memory to a charity of your choice.

Online condolences may be left by visiting [www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com](http://www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com)

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara A. Fabrizio*

---

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Barbara A. Fabrizio.*



---

February 21, 2017 at 10:28 AM

RT

“ Barbara was a very dear friend. We met the second day of first grade at St. Edmond's school in South Philadelphia and we were best friends from that day. We went all through grade school and High School together. We were inseparable. We were like sisters. We did everything together. When Barbara got her hair cut, I had Mrs Genovese cut my hair just like Barbara's. We would dress alike. We liked the same things Her family spent the summers at the shore. Townsend Inlet and then Wildwood Crest. Mr. Genovese would pick me up on a Friday night after he finished work and take me to the shore so I can spend the week with Barbara. We always had so much fun. Our husbands were good friends too. We always went on dates together. Before we were married Barbara and Franny would come to my house and play cards with Mike and me and my parents. They loved playing cards. Franny would always win. He was amazing too. My husband always said Franny was the funniest guy he knew. I have such wonderful memories of Barbara and Franny. They were both such great friends. We lost contact after they moved away and I am so happy I was able to find Barbara and make contact with her again even though it was just through e-mails. I was hoping I'd have a chance to visit her. Her passing has really saddened me I will surely miss my dear friend. My love and prayers go out to her family - Fran, Dana, and their family as well as Geri and Joe. Much love, Mike & Rosanne.

---

**Rosanne Terranova** - February 12, 2017 at 08:32 PM

LB

“ *Barb was a dear friend to many while she lived in Birmingham Al. She had many friends at the Hoover Senior Center. She would have some of us close friends to her house and would cook us a wonderful Italian meal. Then we would play cards for hours.*

*To Barb's family, you are in my thoughts and prayers during this time. She shared many pictures with me of her sweet grandson Henry. I will always cherish the times that we had together.*

*Blessings and Love, Linda C. Bates Hoover, alabama*

---

**Linda C. Bates** - February 07, 2017 at 02:30 PM

CM

“ *barbara was an amazing lady and an amazing friend to my mama in law and all of us. we will miss her smile, her hugs, and her sausage and peppers! nobody could ever cook better Italian delicacies. she also loved sharing about her family and especially precious Henry. love to you all.*

---

**cynthia marron** - February 02, 2017 at 04:19 PM