



Brenda J Holmes

December 7, 1949 - January 6, 2015

Brenda Joyce Saucier Holmes, crossed over on January 6, 2015 at Virtua Voorhees Hospital surrounded by her loving family, she was just 65 years old.

Brenda, Benny, or Blondie as she was lovingly called, was born in Lewiston, Maine on December 7, 1949, but was raised during her younger years in Portland Maine She moved to New Jersey as a young women and graduated from Northern Burlington County Regional High School and married the love of her life, Bobby Holmes in 1968.

Brenda had a love for her friends, golf, nascar, and travel (especially to Florida and Hawaii). But close to her heart were her two sons and her three beautiful granddaughters. She also, loved being a member of the Mount Holly Elks Lodge, which she was currently serving as Chaplain.

Brenda worked 28 years for the Township of Mount Laurel and raised two sons, Robert and Stephen Holmes.

Brenda was predeceased by her parents, Albert and Helen Saucier, and her beloved younger sister Sandra Lee Barry Saucier. She is survived by her loving husband of 46 years, Robert E. Holmes, her two sons, Robert and Stephen Holmes, and Steve's three daughters, Molly, Hannah and Stephanie Holmes. Brenda is also, survived by her sisters Terri Summers of Newport

News, Virginia and Cynthia-Leda Littlefield of Buxton, Maine. She was dearly loved and will be missed by her extended Holmes family her father-in-law Robert Holmes, sisters-in-laws Dawn Bevan and Cheryl Cochran, her brother-in-law Teddy Holmes and their families. She also leaves to cherish her memory many nieces, nephews, cousins and uncles and aunts.

Brenda fought a courageous 30 year fight against CREST Syndrome while never losing her love of life. Her family would like to extend a special thanks to all of the wonderful doctors, nurses and staff at Virtua Voorhees Hospital for their expertise, compassion and support. Bob would also like to thank the many family members and friends who called and visited Brenda throughout offering their prayers and words of encouragement.

Family will receive friends on Sunday from 4-7 PM at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mt. Holly. An Elks Service will follow at 7 PM. A Celebration of Brenda's life will be held on Monday at 11:00 AM at the Funeral Home friends may visit with the family on Monday from 10-11 AM. Interment will follow in the Evergreen Cemetery.

In Brenda's memory and in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels
438 High Street
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060
(609) 267-0399
info@perinchief.com
<http://www.perinchief.com>

Elks Service

JAN 11. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

JAN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brenda J Holmes*

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Brenda J Holmes*

October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *Brenda was as courageous a person as I have ever known. As her vitality slowly slipped away, her grace, dignity, and humor never weakened.*

I am, and will forever be, in awe of her.

We'll all meet again ...



Steve Ammon - January 11, 2015 at 09:34 AM



I'll second that! Her life inspires me more every day! Cheers friend, till we meet again!

Sue Ammon - January 13, 2015 at 04:01 PM

AM

“ My father, Ralph Giangiulio (retired Parks& Rec) Director, myself and our entire family send our deepest condolences. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for always being a wonderful co-worker. We always knew what you meant to say by the that certain look you would give us...and then make us laugh! You will be missed by so many special people. You were special. God Bless. Sending our love,
-Alissa Mingin

Alissa Mingin - January 10, 2015 at 09:37 PM



“ Blondie has been my friend for nearly 30 years. As I look back at the years, I realize she touched my life more than I ever truly appreciated. In the early years, she was my mentor. Someone that I aspired to be like. I met a woman of class, compassion, love and fun. She introduced so much to my life She had a major impact on who I am today. Always there in good and bad times. So many great memories with Blondie and Porkchop. Love you Bren. Rest in peace my friend.



G - January 10, 2015 at 01:43 PM



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G - January 10, 2015 at 01:34 PM

JM

“ *Gone too soon.
Peace Bobby.*



Jeff Masishin - January 09, 2015 at 09:33 PM

TS

“ *Terri Saucier Summers lit a candle in memory
of Brenda J Holmes*



Terri Saucier Summers - January 09, 2015 at 07:53 PM

SB

“ *Bobby,
You were one of my closest friends all through grammar school and
high school. Thru those years you dated many girls but when you
met Brenda, it was all over. I never saw anybody fall in love that
quick and then last that long. I only have the most fond memories.
Brenda was special. God bless.
Steve Burton*

Steve Burton - January 09, 2015 at 05:03 PM

MB

“ Bren to me will always be that "Special" person. She always had that way with people and friends. I will forever miss the "happy" hours the four of us would enjoy on a Friday or Saturday night sitting at the Bar at PF Changs! We would kid about being the "outlaws" and when ever there was a group picture taken, make sure we were on either side so we could be "cropped out". Bren you will forever be in my heart.

Love you,

Mike

Mike Bevan - January 09, 2015 at 10:04 AM

DB

“ Brenda was our "sister" for 46 years. From the day she married Bobby, she was a sister to me. My heart is lifted to know she is in a place where only joy exists, but.... Bren's and Bobby's love story was nothing less. My fondest memory will always be how she loved, and laughed with Bobby. Her final days, she only wanted and called for Bobby. Their love story was unique, the very best friends. Bobby was the very best "bodyguard" ...he took the very best care of Bren, as she did for him. Bren taught me many things, in her actions...more than her words. A loyal, confident, smart woman who was full of love..laughter and support of all. I will miss her. The world will miss her, it was a better place with her. My brother will be lost without her. May the peace and promise of God, forever be in our hearts, as we know the promise of eternity. Dance with the angels, Bren... We will see you again. Much love, to my brother, Bob, my nephews, Rob & Steve. Bren's beautiful grand girls, Molly, Hannah, and Stevie...and her loving sisters, Terri and Cindy. Peace be with you all.

All my heart,

Dawn (Holmes) Bevan

dawn Bevan - January 09, 2015 at 09:10 AM

BA

“ Bobby and Family, Bren was very special to all of us. That's so apparent by the kind words and written sadness that many have expressed. We may have been in different places and not kept in contact , but we all ;have never let go of those wonderful years we all grew up. It breaks my heart that one of the " Girls " is now gone. There will always be an empty chair whenever we are together in the future for our sister. And there will always be a special place in our hearts for that blond who always looked at life with a smile and I could always make laugh. I truly did love that laugh. We will miss you Bren but we will always keep that chair for ya and hold tight to all the wonderful memories that we have. Bobby we love ya and our hearts are broken for you too, hold on to the good times and know that you and family are in our prayers. <http://storage.lifetributes.com/Candles/new/candle-5.png>

Bev Patterson Ahl - January 09, 2015 at 09:05 AM

GW

“ Bobby,
You, your sons and grandchildren, and Brenda's family all have my deepest sympathy! I feel such a great loss and I am glad I got to see you and Brenda when I visited there 7 years ago! May God hold you in His arms and comfort you all!

Greg K. Whittington - January 09, 2015 at 08:09 AM

RB

“ Dear Bobby and Family, Our hearts are breaking for you. We are so sad. Our spirit is with you. You are so in our prayers and thoughts. God Bless you. Love you, John and Rose

Rosepatricia Bird - January 08, 2015 at 11:38 PM

LG

“ I lost touch in the last years, but had many fun times with Brenda. . Oh, the girls pajama parties and our birthday dinner club.. We laughed so hard. I would like to extend my deepest condolences to the Holmes family from the Bridge/Gardner family.

Lorrie Gardner - January 08, 2015 at 12:52 PM

PM

“ So sorry that I am not in town to participate in the Elks service as I was lucky enough to have joined Brenda as some of the first females to join the Mt Holly Lodge # 848 I would be proud to remember her and her service to the club. I also would like to call her and Bob great friends. RIP

Pat Millinghausen - January 08, 2015 at 12:41 PM

JF

“ I remember our trip to the Florida Keys. We all rented an estate for a week and had the time of our lives!! Also the pajama parties at Brenda's house and my house. Never laughed so hard. Rest in peace my friend. You will be missed. Joanne and Deke Ferrell

Joanne Bond Ferrell - January 08, 2015 at 11:35 AM



“ As Brenda would say "YOU FRIGGING KIDDING ME", we lost her way way way to soon, love her and her family and we'll miss her dearly.

Arlene & Jim Habsen

James Hansen - January 08, 2015 at 11:32 AM

KC

*well my girl won't be in Daytona but her spirt well be, see u there, now
Booby wil have to make my bed,love u brother. c u soon wilt
chamberlain*

Keith Chamberlain - January 12, 2015 at 10:47 AM