



## Barbara Barr Klein

February 17, 1932 - September 17, 2011

Barbara Barr Klein

Age 79 of Jupiter Inlet Colony, FL, passed away Saturday, September 17, 2011 at the Hospice Unit in Palm Beach Gardens, FL. Born in Elizabeth, NJ, she had been a resident of Jupiter Inlet Colony for fourteen years, coming from Sylvania, OH. She obtained both Bachelor's and Master's Degrees from Western Reserve University in Cleveland and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in her junior year. She was a member of Hobe Sound Community Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Klein was also a member of the Tequesta Country Club and the Jupiter Inlet Beach Club. She was editor-in-chief of the Jupiter Inlet Colony Fiftieth Anniversary book, and an editor of the InletOutlet newsletter of JIC. Survivors include her husband, Dr. Charles M. Klein; one daughter, Janet Klein of Sunnyvale, CA and her husband, Steve Kalata; and one sister, Carol B. Renner of Solon OH. She was preceded in death by two children, Catherine and James. The family suggests contributions in her memory to Hobe Sound Community Presbyterian Church, 11933 SE Juno Crescent, Hobe Sound, FL 33455. For directions and online condolences, please visit [www.taylorandmodeen.com](http://www.taylorandmodeen.com).

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Family Owned & Operated  
(561) 744-2030, Jupiter, FL



# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Barr Klein*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *I am blessed and very grateful that the longest relationship of my lifetime is with my sister, wonderful Barbara. In many ways we always differed from each other and operated in separate spheres, yet our bonds stay strong. I admire that she excelled in stylishness, strong intellect and diligence.*

*As a child I could see my life course through paying attention to hers. She started school, then I did. She rode and owned a bike, then I did (as soon as domestic steel items again became available after WW II). She learned to drive and a few years later, I did.*

*As young adults we were fortunate to live five houses apart in Ann Arbor for a few years. There and then we were able to develop our adult friendship with its unique closeness and distinctions. In subsequent decades our sisterhood/friendship carried through the many life challenges we experienced.*

*She and Chuck wisely and lovingly tended to our Father's aging. She not only continued to light my path; but also she and Chuck (with Janet, Jim and Kay) greatly smoothed my life journey.*

*I am deeply thankful for dear Barbara.*

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**Carol Barr Renner - Solon, OH - Barbara's sister** - September 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Dear Chuck, I was so sad to read of Barbara's passing. Although I didn't know her well, I admired her a great deal. She was a lovely woman of great strength. I will keep you and your daughter in my prayers. Karen Tank

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**Karen Tank** - September 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LN

“ Dear Chuck and Janet, :Larry and I were so saddened to learn today of Barb's passing. Our prayers are with you during this difficult time. I remember moving to Northbrook Ct. as a young mother and doctor's wife. I so admired Barb then and my admiration only grew stronger over the years. Now in our retirement, we have a weeping cherry tree that was planted in the hope that it would be like yours. Each spring when it blooms we think of you. It will always keep Barb alive in our memory. Larry and Carol Winegar

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**Larry and Carol Winegar - Suttons Bay,, MI - Sylvanian neighbor** - September 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Chuck:  
Our sympathy and prayers are with you.  
We will cherish the beautiful things we enjoyed together with you and Barbara over the past several years. It is these memories which will keep her in our hearts.

*Vaya con Dios Barbara, Vaya con Dios*

*Pete & Terry*

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**Pete & Terry Calistri - Bergenfield, NJ - Friends** - September 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dear Chuck, Janet & Steve, My deepest sympathy at this sad time for all of you. I cherish the special memories I have of Barbara as a friend and neighbor -- she was a gifted and special lady! May God give you strength and comfort and bring you peace in the days to come. Love, Darla Culberson

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**Darla Culberson - Toledo, OH - Friend** - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ We have fond memories of our lovely neighbor on Northbrook Court. She will be dearly missed by all who called her a friend.f

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**Judy and John Arkebauer - Sylvania, OH - Friend and former neighbor** - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ We would like to express our deepest condolences to Chuck and the Family. Barbara was a true lady and will be missed!!

Sincerely,  
Grace and Larry Luper

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**Grace and Larry Luper - Tequesta, FL - Friend** - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ So sorry to hear about Barbara's passing. I didn't know her well, but she was always kind and pleasant. God bless her soul.

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**Michelle Burt** - Jupiter inlet colony, FL - Neighbor - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Aunt Barbara was always willing to share her love of cooking, sewing, travels, languages, volunteering, tennis, style and knowledge. I'll miss her humor and smile, but I feel privileged to be counted as family. With a sad, sad heart, I'll miss you Aunt Barbara!  
Love Karen

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**Karen - Vienna, OH - Niece** - September 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ Aunt Barbara was an inspiration for personal excellence, and a vital link in our family. I treasure the work she did to collect and preserve our family history. I also treasure the chapter of that history that is now written with her example for service, high standards and worldliness.

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**Richard Renner - Silver Spring, MD - nephew** - September 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM