



Barbara May Reeve

January 8, 1934 - June 10, 2010

Barbara May Reeve, 76, of Plainville, widow of James J. Reeve, passed away Thursday June 10, 2010 at her home. A New Britain native, she was a former Berlin and Southington resident, moving to Plainville in 1986. A graduate of Berlin High School, she worked at Wesson Heating and Air Conditioning in Southington for 15 years and at Ideal Forge in Southington for 10 years, retiring in 1975. Barbara was a member of St. Matthew's Church in Forestville and the Child of the Blessed Sacrament Group at the church. She was a former choir member at Our Lady of Mercy Church in Plainville and was a member of the Friends of the Plainville Library; the Southington Women's Club; the Nutmeg Garden Club in Southington; a several literary and book clubs.

Surviving is a son, James W. Reeve and his wife Cheryl of Grand Rapids, Michigan; a daughter, Beverly Rackliffe and her husband Dr. Robert Rackliffe of Farmington; a sister, Cynthia May and her husband Robert Lovell of West Chesterfield, MA; four grandchildren, Kristy, James, Christopher and Ashley; several nieces and nephews. Besides her husband, she was predeceased by a sister, Margaret Steffany.

Funeral services are Tuesday 10:30 AM at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square New Britain followed by a Mass of Christian Burial 11:30 AM at St. Matthew's Church 120 Church Avenue, Forestville. Burial will be in St. Joseph Cemetery, Plainville. Calling hours are Monday 5 to 8 PM at Carlson Funeral Home, New Britain. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the

Alzheimer's Disease Association, 279 New Britain Rd. Kensington, CT 06037.
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AW

“ Jim,
I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother.
Our condolences, thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Alvin & Brenda

Alvin & Brenda White - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Barbara was a wonderful neighbor and friend to all, we shared a love of cats and gardening, of which she was much better than I. She was thrilled to have met my dear friends, Allan and Arlene Camp and joked that I had a celebrity tending my cat. She always had a smile to share and great advice on growing beautiful flowers. Although I have moved, she made my little place feel like home, because I had a terrific neighbor!

Rebecca Hughes - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Bev and Jim - so sorry and shocked to see notice! Just going to call to set lunch date. Herb and Jim were there to greet her. Fondly,
Rosemary

Rosemary McNerney - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ On behalf of The Orchard Valley Garden Club of Southington which Barbara was a longtime member of we would like to send our deepest sympathy to the family. Barbara will be missed.
Uta Zickfeld President

Uta Zickfeld - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM