



## Barbara S. McKee

July 27, 1943 - October 19, 2019

Barbara S. McKee, age 76 of Forest died Sat. Oct. 19, 2019 at her home. She was born July 27, 1943 in Marion to the late Adelbert V. & Helen M. (Lee) Thomas.

She married Keith R. McKee on April 25, 1970, and he survives in Forest. Barbara is also survived by children Sonya (Kenneth) Drumm, Forest, Gregg (Jane) McKee, Mt. Blanchard, Susan (Scott) Eiting, Wharton, Stacy (Larry) Wickiser, Carey, Scott (Toni) McKee, Ridgeway, Beate Vosswinkel, Germany, 17 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, brothers James (Linda) Thomas, Defiance, Jerry (Marsha) Thomas, Upper Sandusky, Joseph (Julie) Thomas, Upper Sandusky. Mrs. McKee was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Keegan McKee.

Barbara retired from Kroger in Kenton after 27 years of employment, then she and her husband were co-owners of the Grid Iron Bar & Grill in Forest. She was a member of Moose Lodge 428, Kenton, and Forest VFW Post 1182 Ladies Auxiliary. Mrs. McKee was a former member of the Red Hat Club. She held multiple offices in Kenton bowling leagues. Barbara worked with the Board of Elections at the Forest precinct. She enjoyed collecting dolls, raising flowers, and spending time with her family & friends.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30AM Wed. Oct. 23, 2019 in Clark Shields

Funeral Home with Pastor Kenneth Drumm officiating. Interment will follow in Patterson Cemetery, Forest. Visitation will be held Tue. Oct. 22, 2019 from 2-8PM at Clark Shields Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Bridge Hospice in care of Clark Shields Funeral Home 301 S. Patterson St. Forest, OH 45843. Visit [www.shieldsfh.com](http://www.shieldsfh.com) to send a condolence, or to view the life tribute video.

# Cemetery Details

## Patterson Cemetery\*

2159-2253 Township Road 195  
Forest, OH 45843

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **22**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Clark-Shields Funeral Home  
301 S.Patterson St.  
Forest, OH 45843  
(419) 273-2631  
bringmanclarkshields@gmail.com  
<https://www.bringmanclark.com/>

## Service

OCT **23**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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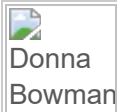
# Tribute Wall



“ *Bringman - Clark & Co Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Barbara S. McKee*



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**Bringman Clark & Shields Funeral Homes** - October 22, 2019 at 10:01 AM



Donna  
Bowman

*What beautiful memories, thank you for sharing! Donna and Steve Bowman*

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**Donna Bowman** - October 23, 2019 at 11:10 AM

BM

*You are missed. You are my guiding Angel now*

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**Brenda Mitchell** - August 13, 2021 at 01:00 PM

DG

“ *Keith and Family:  
I am so sorry to hear of passing of Barb. Always a smile on her face and the giver of kind words. You're all in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

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**Darren Gilbert** - October 23, 2019 at 03:32 PM

JP

“ Keith and family, So very sorry to hear of Barb's passing. You all have my deepest sympathy and you all are in my prayers. She could light up a room with her smile. I really enjoyed taking care of her so many years ago and I know how much you will miss her, me too.

*Love to you all, Jill Payer*

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**jill Payer** - October 22, 2019 at 08:27 PM

RR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you as we send you our sincere sympathy.

*Ron and Carol Riegle*



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**Ron Riegle** - October 22, 2019 at 01:47 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Barbara S. McKee.



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October 22, 2019 at 12:05 PM



“ 100 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



**Bringman Clark & Shields Funeral Homes** - October 22, 2019 at 09:36 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray* was purchased for the family of *Barbara S. McKee*.



October 22, 2019 at 07:16 AM



“ *Bob & Peggy Miller* purchased the *Fairest of All* for the family of *Barbara S. McKee*.



**Bob & Peggy Miller** - October 21, 2019 at 11:53 PM

PM

“ Bob and I want to extend our deepest sympathy to Keith and the family. Barb always lit up a room when she entered, and we will miss her warmth and great sense of humor. I'm sure Heaven is a happier place with her there, and know she will watch over you from above. May she rest in eternal peace.

Hugs,  
Bob & Peggy Miller

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**Peggy Lee Miller** - October 21, 2019 at 11:41 PM



Keith & Family - Pat and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. Barb was one of my favorite acquaintances, always fun, sweet and way personable. We had a lot of laughs, memories that are forever in my heart. R.I.P. dear friend.  
Deepest sympathy,  
Bev & Pat Houser

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**Bev Houser** - October 28, 2019 at 11:20 PM

JS

“ So sorry for your, and our, loss. Barb was not only my first cousin, she was my best friend growing up. So many wonderful memories.  
Loce, Julie (Judy Thiel) Strauss

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**Julia A Strauss** - October 21, 2019 at 08:56 PM

DD

“ So sorry for your loss may the Lord be with you and grant you peace  
David tank Dunbar

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**david dunbar** - October 21, 2019 at 08:16 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Barbara S. McKee.*



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October 21, 2019 at 08:04 PM



“ *Bill Adkins and Sheri St. Clair Adkins purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Barbara S. McKee.*



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**Bill Adkins and Sheri St. Clair Adkins** - October 21, 2019 at 07:28 PM



“ *Keith and family,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.  
Paul and Cathy Lauck*

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**Cathy Lauck** - October 21, 2019 at 06:08 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara S. McKee.*



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October 21, 2019 at 06:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Barbara S. McKee*.



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October 21, 2019 at 05:06 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Barbara S. McKee*.



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October 21, 2019 at 04:49 PM



“ *Darla Boose lit a candle in memory of Barbara S. McKee*



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**Darla Boose** - October 21, 2019 at 03:17 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of *Barbara S. McKee*.



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October 21, 2019 at 02:06 PM

NM

“ Nancy Marshall lit a candle in memory of Barbara S. McKee



Nancy Marshall - October 21, 2019 at 01:08 PM

AP

“ Scott and family know that my thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time of losing your mom may she RIP and I am sure Keegan was waiting for her ...may god grant you strength and love...



Angela (Davis) PHipps - October 21, 2019 at 12:57 PM

LT

“ Linda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Barbara S. McKee



Linda Thomas - October 21, 2019 at 10:55 AM

TH

“ I will always have good memories of the many hours spent visiting with Keith and Barb when they ran the Gridiron in Forest. I was between jobs 2009-11 and the weekend entertainment at 'The Grid' was something I looked forward to. Barb, may you rest in eternal peace.

Ted Hamilton - October 21, 2019 at 09:52 AM

JP

“ My favorite memory of Barb was when the Bowen softball team went to the Reds game one year and Nancy and I walked into Keith and Barb's hotel room one morning. Barb was in front of mirror getting ready and realized she hadn't put her teeth in yet. She frantically grabbed them trying to get them in so we wouldn't see her without them. Keith, Nancy and I had a good laugh over it. What a way to start our morning! We had so much fun with them back then. Such a sweetheart!!

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**JOHN PARK** - October 21, 2019 at 08:42 AM