



## Barbara Jean Barrett

December 26, 1955 - March 12, 2016

Barbara has requested that we inform you that her work here is complete. She has received an offer that she cannot refuse and has accepted a position that comes with an all-expenses paid vacation, incredible sign-on bonus, extraordinary health care benefits, and a reunion with her parents, Charles and Betty Hale, as well as, friends she hasn't seen in a long time. Her new mission will be to socialize, dance, quilt, garden and read to her heart's content. She will be surrounded by serene snow covered mountain ranges divided by cascading waterfalls. Hummingbirds, butterflies and vibrant flowers will inundate the landscape with unimaginable beauty. Every meal is guaranteed to be spectacular, and every drink will provide complete nourishment. She will experience unfathomable love and be dressed in the finest garments.

Barbara has left her husband, Steve; daughter April; son Travis; daughter-in-law Elizabeth; three grandsons, Cody, Tristen and Kaiden; sisters Susan and Carolyn; and brother Ray in charge of celebrating her life and her accomplishments.

Barbara Jean (Hale) Barrett was an amazing wife, mother, grandmother, friend and colleague. Her compassion, warmth, love, and dedication to family and friends will be forever remembered. She worked extremely hard to provide a life for her family and enjoyed every minute of it.

Barbara spent 19 years with the Linn County Sheriff's Office where she was blessed with unwavering friendships and life-long support. In her free time she enjoyed quilting, socializing with friends and family, and tending to her gardens. She was an inspiration to anyone who was blessed enough to spend any amount of time with her and she always put the needs of others before her own.

We want to thank her for a job well done and wish her a blessed and peaceful journey. Barbara has requested that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Linn County Sheriff's Office Search and Rescue program.

Monetary gifts can be made to the Search and Rescue program by mailing checks to Linn County Sheriff's Office SAR, 1115 Jackson St. S.E., Albany, OR 97322.

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“ Steve and family, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

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**Barbara Fitzgerald** - March 20, 2016 at 10:19 PM

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“ Steve and family, sorry for your loss, you are in our prayers, Sharon and Wayne

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**Wayne Davis** - March 17, 2016 at 10:50 AM