



Barbara A. Prince

March 19, 1932 - September 22, 2015

Barbara Ailene Prince, 83, of Havana, passed away at Em's Haven of Rest in Havana at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 22, 2015. She was born March 19, 1932 in Normal, IL to Roland and Mabel (Bailey) Rich. She married Charles Prince on January 8, 1967 in Normal. He preceded her in death on September 13, 2012.

Mrs. Prince is survived by one daughter, Catharine (Harold) Reavley and one granddaughter, Sophia Reavley, both of Havana. Also surviving is one brother, William (Patricia) Rich of Normal. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, brother George Rich and sister, Joann Huffington.

Mrs. Prince was a member of the 1st United Methodist Church in Havana. She was a member of Clio Rebekah Lodge #143 in Havana and American Legion Auxiliary Unit #138 in Havana. She had worked as a teacher in Tremont and at Bloomington Junior High before marriage.

Graveside services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, September 25, 2015 at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Havana. Rev. Jame Hahs will officiate. Clio Rebekah Lodge will perform burial rites as well.

Memorial contributions may be made to the 1st United Methodist Church in Havana. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara A. Prince*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *With deepest sympathy. Thoughts and prayers are with Barbara's Family.*

Mignonette Wise and Family

Mignonette Wise - September 25, 2015 at 01:15 PM



“ *I remember Miss Rich very well-- she was my teacher in Junior High School in the early 1960s, and also an adviser to our Theta Rho girls group. I remember Theta Rho girls going camping in southern Illinois, and she and Vauna Morris were with us, and there was a flat tire, and she knew how to change it. The girls were all so impressed! I remember we were all so excited when she told us she was going to marry Charles Prince, and we were so happy for her-- a real-life fairy tale! She was so happy, she glowed! I believe she moved to Havana then. Please accept my very sincere condolences. She was a lovely person and a positive influence in my life and in the lives of others. Very sincerely, Leslie Thiel Kessler, Bloomington, IL*

Leslie Kessler - September 25, 2015 at 10:58 AM



“ *Barbara loved Jesus and helped others. She was proud of her country and loved her family deeply. Prayers for your family from ours. May the Lord comfort you in your grief. The Pryors.*

Julia Pryor - September 24, 2015 at 09:01 PM

SR

“ *I admired your Mother and her enthusiasm especially concerning the work of the American Legion Auxiliary. I'm glad I had the opportunity to get to know her. love and prayers. Marvin and Sue Roat*

Sue Roat - September 23, 2015 at 09:48 PM

JP

“ *Jennie Pierson-Stilts lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. Prince*



Jennie Pierson-Stilts - September 23, 2015 at 09:30 PM

KO

“ *I'm so very sorry to hear this. I loved Barbara and seeing her at work. She made my day and I will miss her dearly! Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Kimi Oest - September 23, 2015 at 02:01 PM

PR

“ *Penny Roch lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. Prince*



Penny Roch - September 23, 2015 at 11:23 AM

NE

“ *Nancy Elliott lit a candle in memory of Barbara A. Prince*



Nancy Elliott - September 23, 2015 at 10:05 AM

CH

“ *Aunt Barbara was the most upright caring woman I have ever known. She loved everyone and wanted to help them the best way she knew how. She took the time for me whenever I needed it and her door was always open. My life is richer because of memories of her. She could speak her mind but she was usually right and she would always listen to you. She knew me better than anyone else other than my grandfather and I will truly miss her. It was good that she came to visit that last time. We got to spend some quality time. Thank you Cathy. We love you.*

Christine - September 23, 2015 at 04:13 AM