



Jackie Lynn Barnett

October 23, 1946 - September 15, 2024

Jackie Lynn Barnett, age 77 years, a resident of rural Goreville, Illinois, passed away Sunday morning, September 15, 2024, at 7:15 A.M. at his home.

Jack was born October 23, 1946 in the Elvira Township in Johnson County Illinois. He was the son of Merritt Wayne Barnett and Boneta (Jacobsen) Barnett.

On November 16, 1978, Jack was united in marriage to Pam Blasdel in Marion, Illinois. She survives.

In addition to his wife, Jack is survived by: his children – Ashley Barnett, Paul (Katherine) Barnett, Mark (Chuck Morrison) Barnett, Stormi (Doug Phelps) Barnett, and Tate (Rachel) Wright; grandchildren – Laney Wright, Lucas Wright, Michael (Deb) Barnett, Brittany (Marconi) Hernandez, and Branson Barnett; 8 great grandchildren; a brother – Bill (Molly) Barnett; and a special family friend, Sean Nave.

In addition to his parents, Jack was preceded in death by an infant brother, Bobbie Barnett.

Jack was a graduate of Goreville Grade and High Schools. He enlisted in the

U.S. Navy and served during the Vietnam War aboard the U.S.S. Repose Naval Hospital. He was honorably discharged from active duty on May 4, 1970. Jack was a member of the Heyde-Pillow VFW Post # 1301 in Marion, Illinois.

Following his military service, Jack earned his certification as an electrician and inside wireman and was affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (I.B.E.W.) Local # 702. Beginning in 1987, Jack worked as an electrician at Southern Illinois University in Carbondale until his retirement.

Jack was a Master Mason and member of Saline Lodge # 336 A.F. & A.M. in Goreville. He was of the Methodist faith.

He was an avid outdoorsman. Jack enjoyed a number of hobbies and interests, including: fishing, antiques, finding and collecting arrowheads, collecting and selling marbles. He also enjoyed playing cards, riding 4-wheelers and horses, when he was a younger man. He loved to travel with his wife to buy and sell at antique shows, shops or auctions.

Masonic rites will be conducted Thursday, September 19, 2024, at 1 P.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Immediately following the Masonic rites the funeral ceremony will be conducted. Pastor Justin Wolfe will officiate.

Burial will be in the Vienna Fraternal Cemetery. Military honors will be accorded by the Heyde-Pillow VFW Post and the U.S. Navy burial honors detail.

Visitation will be held Thursday, September 19, 2024, from 11 A.M. until the funeral hour at 1 P.M.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38105 or to the Shriners Hospitals for Children, Attn: Processing Center, P.O. Box 863765, Orlando, Florida 32886.

Cemetery Details

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery

N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
(618) 658-2311
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com
<https://baileyfh.com>

Masonic Rites & Funeral Service

SEP **19**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Military Honors & Flag Presentation

SEP **19**. 2:15 PM (CT)

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery
N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Tribute Wall



“ Bailey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jackie Lynn Barnett



Bailey Funeral Home - September 24, 2024 at 01:32 PM



“ Phyllis M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jackie Lynn Barnett.

Phyllis M. - September 18, 2024 at 02:04 PM



“ Phyllis M. purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Jackie Lynn Barnett.



Phyllis M. - September 18, 2024 at 02:04 PM



“ IBEW Local 702 purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Jackie Lynn Barnett.



IBEW Local 702 - September 18, 2024 at 10:11 AM

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“ *IBEW Local 702 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jackie Lynn Barnett.*

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LG

“ *Pam I'm so sorry. If I can do anything for you please call*

Leanna Gibson - September 17, 2024 at 12:09 PM

SP

“ *Scott and Winona Pelo purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Jackie Lynn Barnett.*



Scott and Winona Pelo - September 17, 2024 at 02:45 AM

JD

“ *Jon and Jessica Dingus purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jackie Lynn Barnett.*



Jon and Jessica Dingus - September 16, 2024 at 06:48 PM