



Barbara Jean Odders

August 15, 1929 - August 29, 2021

RACINE- Barbara Jean Odders, 92, passed away on Sunday, August 29, 2021 at St. Monica's Senior Citizens Home.

She was born in Racine on August 15, 1929 to the late Henry and Esther (nee: Olsen) Bayer. Barbara was united in marriage to Charles Odders in Racine on March 20, 1948.

Surviving are her children, Stephan Odders of Las Vegas, NV, Christi (Ray Jackson) Gray of Tavares, Florida, and Tim (Cynthia) Odders of Gilbert, AZ; six grandchildren, Erin Nolan, Trevor, Patrick, and Brent Odders, Carly Bentley and Julie Jules; eight great grandchildren; brothers, Peter (Sue) Bayer and Tom Bayer; sister, Mary Scheel; sisters-in-law, Marion Placko and Jane Odders and brother-in-law, George Ayers. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles on October 19, 2020; sisters, Patricia Bell and Priscilla Ayers.

Keeping with Barbara's wishes, she will be laid to rest in a private ceremony at Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery at a later date.

The family would like to give a special thank you to St. Monica's and Hospice Alliance for the comforting care provided to our mother.

Cemetery Details

Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery

21731 Spring Street
Union Grove, WI 53182

Tribute Wall

BB

“ *My Godmother, your mom, was so special. Always with a laugh she had a way of making everything seem right in the world. Many fond memories, prayers and wishes for Steve, Cristy and Tim.*
Bennet & Michelle Bayer

Bennet Bayer - September 06, 2021 at 11:33 AM

TT

“ *Steve, Suzann and I are sorry for the loss of your mother. We know she is in a better place now. Hope things are going well for you and your family. We bet those grandkids are growing like weeds. Let us know when you are in town for your mother's service. Take care and God bless.*
Terry and Suzann Toll

Terry Toll - September 03, 2021 at 06:57 PM

GB

“ *Steve, Tim, and Christie: So sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. I first met your mother and father after moving to Racine when Steve and I became close friends for life. I was 11 years old at that time. I always had great respect for your mother and father who were very welcoming. I was also fortunate enough to work with your father at S.C.Johnson for several years. I've also had the pleasure of knowing your uncles Peter and Tom, and even had the opportunity to meet your Grampa Bayer several times. Yes, the Odders family has been very special to me and always will be.*

Gord Bradshaw

Gordon Bradshaw - September 02, 2021 at 09:58 PM

CG

Thanks Gord. Those were very kind words indeed.

Christi Gray - September 03, 2021 at 07:50 PM

SO

Gord----thank you very much!

Steve Odders - September 05, 2021 at 01:45 PM

DB

So sorry to read about your mom's passing. I have many fond memories of you mom and dad. They are among the last of the greatest generation.

Dennis and Annette

Dennis Berg - September 09, 2021 at 10:49 PM