



Barbara Jane Hall

October 18, 1934 - April 8, 2025

Barbara Hall, 90, of Iowa Falls, passed away Tuesday, April 8, 2025 at Hansen Family Hospital. Funeral services will be 1:00 PM Monday, April 14, 2025 at the Woodley Funeral Home in Iowa Falls. Visitation will be from 11:00 AM until service time on Monday at the funeral home. Barb will be laid to rest next to her husband, Don, at the Union Cemetery. Woodley Funeral Home and Crematory of Iowa Falls is caring for Barb and her family.

Barbara Jane (Tow) Hall was born on October 18, 1934 to Carl R. and Marceda Mae (Fuller) Tow in Marshalltown, Iowa. Barb graduated from Le Grand High School and continued her education at AIB and Iowa State University.

On September 5, 1954 Barbara was united in marriage to Donovan Harold Hall in Ames, Iowa. Family was the most important thing to her and she was an amazing wife and mother.

For Barb, the beauty of life was found in the simplest moments. A quiet breakfast with family, the comforting rhythm of daily routines or the excitement of starting a new book. She knew that love wasn't shown through grand gestures, but in the small things: the way someone remembers how you take your coffee or your favorite author. It was in the shared laughter around a Bridge table, her loyal passion for the Cyclones and the quiet joy of hours

spent in the kitchen making lefse every Christmas. In these everyday rituals, she found a life full of meaning, warmth and love.

To Barb there wasn't much in life that couldn't be made better, with a chocolate malt. It was more than just a favorite treat. It was a philosophy. Whether comforting a loved one after a hard day or simply celebrating the small joys, she believed in the healing power of sweetness, laughter and a shared moment over something simple. That malt became a symbol of her unwavering optimism and gentle way of caring for others, reminding all of us that love can be served with a straw and a smile. Let Barb be a reminder to us all to love gently, that the greatest lives are created in the most ordinary moments and to never, ever skip dessert.

Those left to cherish Barb's memory are her children, Marcy (Steve) Liittschwager of Iowa Falls, IA and Kevin (Tami) Hall of Milo, IA; grandchildren, Tyler Hall of Elkhart, Madison (Mitchell) Wieland of North Liberty, Summer (Nick) Hall of West Branch, Bryce (Maddie) Hall of Milo, Weston Jones of Iowa Falls, Sadie Liittschwager of Iowa Falls and Kylie (Brandon) Liittschwager of Iowa Falls; great-grandchildren: Ella, Tylyn, Opal and Myla and a brother, Jerry (Karen) Tow of Champaign, IL. She was preceded in death by her parents, Carl and Marceda Tow and her husband, Donovan Hall.

Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery

Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Iowa Falls - Woodley Funeral Home
516 S. Oak Street
Iowa Falls, IA 50126
(641) 648-7700

Service

APR 14. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LW

“ *Barb was a sweet soul and welcomed all the kids into her home. I was lucky enough to spend time with her as a teenager and see her out at the Elks Club. She always greeted me with a huge hug and a smile! She will be missed.*

Lorrie Watts - April 14, 2025 at 01:55 PM

ML

Thank you Lorrie ❤️❤️

Marcy Liittschwager - April 15, 2025 at 06:24 PM

RR

“ *I have fond memories of Barb, my next door neighbor, growing up. She would excitedly ask about things going on, and was always first on my list of people to attempt to sell band candy to...which she always did. She made people feel happy, welcomed, and warm. I am so happy to have called her a neighbor and friend. - Ryan Rahmiller*

Ryan Rahmiller - April 13, 2025 at 03:47 PM

ML

Ryan, thank you for the kind words! They mean a lot!

Marcy Liittschwager - April 13, 2025 at 10:43 PM

MW

Barb was a person that when you first meet her, she made you feel comfortable and treated you like a family member. Barb will be missed by those that knew her. Prayers and hugs to the family. - Marilyn Willms

Marilyn Willms - April 14, 2025 at 03:24 PM

ML

Thank you Marilyn!

Marcy Liittschwager - April 16, 2025 at 06:34 PM

KM

“ *Kristin M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.*

Kristin M. - April 13, 2025 at 03:04 PM

SJ

“ *Shauna J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.*

Shauna J. - April 12, 2025 at 12:08 PM

SH

“ *Shauna Hewett lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jane Hall*



Shauna Hewett - April 12, 2025 at 09:56 AM

ML



Marcy Liittschwager - April 12, 2025 at 03:07 PM

WK

“ *With love and sympathy, Jerry and Karen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.*

With love and sympathy, Jerry and Karen - April 11, 2025 at 02:42 PM

WK

“ With love and sympathy, Jerry and Karen purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Barbara Jane Hall.



With love and sympathy, Jerry and Karen - April 11, 2025 at 02:42 PM

IA

“ In loving memory of our wonderful aunt. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Barbara Jane Hall.



In loving memory of our wonderful aunt. - April 11, 2025 at 12:52 PM

IA

“ In loving memory of our wonderful aunt. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.

In loving memory of our wonderful aunt. - April 11, 2025 at 12:52 PM

IA

“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Jane Hall.



April 11, 2025 at 11:59 AM

SS

“ Barb was always so positive and welcoming to everyone she met. She was like a 2nd mom to us as we all grew up together, creating such wonderful memories. She will be deeply missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you, Marcy and Kevin, and your families 🙏❤️

Sandee (Henrich) Supple - April 11, 2025 at 10:01 AM

ML



Marcy Liittschwager - April 12, 2025 at 12:17 AM

RF

“ Ron and Chris Hall family. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.

Ron and Chris Hall family. - April 11, 2025 at 09:24 AM

RF

“ Ron and Chris Hall family. purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Barbara Jane Hall.



Ron and Chris Hall family. - April 11, 2025 at 09:24 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Barbara Jane Hall.

April 09, 2025 at 07:09 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Barbara Jane Hall.*



April 09, 2025 at 07:09 PM



“ *Sherri L Elsberry lit a candle in memory of Barbara Jane Hall*



Sherri L Elsberry - April 09, 2025 at 03:48 PM



“ *This lady was one of the brightest in the room and her smile always shined bright! Marcy, you have our thoughts and prayers. You know your momma and daddy are finally back together and catching up. Hugs my dear friend!*

Malena Dennis - April 09, 2025 at 10:12 AM



Thank you my friend 💕💕

Marcy Liittschwager - April 12, 2025 at 12:18 AM

SF

“ Heaven gained a bright, shining, beautiful angel today. Barb was my second mother and ALWAYS made me smile and feel welcomed. I have so many wonderful memories with Barb, Don and Marcy. Sometimes I wonder how Barb put up with our shenanigans when we were in our teen years and early twenties. I don't think she found out about most of them until we were adults.

I can still see her smiling in the kitchen with her Diet Pepsi and gum. Family meals were always entertaining, Don telling his stories, teasing us and Barb with her bubbly laughter (I will never ever forget her laugh). Our trip to the Viking's game will never be forgotten.

Barb taught me the power of positivity even during the difficult times. The warmth and love that she left us with will never be forgotten. She always made you feel like you were the most special person in the world.

Marcy and family my heart goes out to you. Praying that your loving memories serve to comfort you all in the days ahead. She was so proud of you.

Susie Floor-Gillard - April 08, 2025 at 11:22 PM

JF

Barb you so deserve a wonderful rest in heaven after the years with Susie's and Marcy's trying years! Blessings and prayers to you and your family.

Judy Floor - April 09, 2025 at 01:51 PM

ML

Thank you Susie and Judy! I love you both!

Marcy Liittschwager - April 11, 2025 at 06:33 PM

SH

Rembering wonderful & very precious times and memories with dear Barb~ ❤️ We have enjoyed a beautiful friendship for so many years.. I moved away from Iowa Falls 30 years ago and we continued phone calls~ that always began with a new "joke" 😊~ into what was "happening" what Marcy & Kevin were doing .. and of course updates on every & all grands & greats 🤗 Barb's life revolved around the love of family & friends💕

But don't underestimate that sweet ~ kind little lady ~ when you sit her down at a card table with her "Bridge Family " ❤️♠️♦️♣️! The "very competitive" Barb comes out😊 in a very large way!!

We traveled to AZ one winter ~ she had fabulous friends that adored her there🌵. She wanted to do some redecorating... I said "well only if you will leave for the day" and I can hire your handyman to help me. She agreed 🤔~SHOCKING ~ can you believe it? I ran to Ross.. Bought some new things~ Handyman, helped me move furniture and hang new items! Upon her arrival back ~ she was so delighted ~ she insisted on a big "Reveal" party that also included a little 🍷🤗😊 I hosted a 🤗birthday gathering at my home many years ago in Iowa Falls for Barb 🎂 ~ without going into detail ~ the Lindaman~ Hamilton ~ Henrich crew had "several pranks" for Barb's 🎂😂

I can go on forever~ Barb has brought so much joy to so many~ Her love of the Lord 🛤️ was a beautiful gift that we shared constantly with one another.. 💕

Bless you Marcy ~ Kevin and entire flock of family ❤️🙏 as your journey of healing begins ~ she is watching over you and so happy to be home with Don 💕🛤️💕. Love you ~❤️ Shauna

Shauna Hewett - April 12, 2025 at 09:46 AM

ML

Can not find words to even come close to telling you what your memories mean to me! Love you my friend! 💕💕

Marcy Liittschwager - April 16, 2025 at 06:40 PM