



Bruce Barker

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Bruce Barker, 64, passed away on November 12, 2023. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, to the late Howard and Cora (nee Rundle) Barker.

He worked in commercial construction, recently retiring. Bruce authored many books and enjoyed taking his therapy black lab, Jazz, to several area nursing homes.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Sharon Barker; and a nephew, Shawn Barker.

Bruce is survived by his brothers, Howard "Skip" (Linda) Barker and David Barker; nieces and nephews, Kelly Linden, Sherri Southam, Christie Benton, and David Barker II; and other extended family members and friends.

A Visitation will be held on Monday, November 20, 2023 from 4:00 to 8:00PM at Sunset Chapel, 6245 Columbia Road, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070. A Funeral Service will begin at 10:00AM on Tuesday, November 21, 2023. He will be laid to rest at Sunset Memorial Park in Section 42.



Visitation

 **Monday**, November 20, 2023

 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

 **Sunset Chapel**
6245 Columbia Road, North Olmsted OH 44070



Funeral Service

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 10:00 AM ET

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Tribute Wall

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KK

Kathy Kackmeister posted:

Bruce, not only a great friend, but the big brother I never had. I'm going to miss our evening calls and the wisdom, and laughs we shared. You always were positive, even when struggling, rest in peace my friend, your memory will live on. Kathy

November 26 at 10:01 AM

SB

Susan Barker February 23 at 12:18 PM

I am so sorry to have heard about Bruce's passing. Condolences to the family members.

SS

Sue Syvertsen posted:

I am in Florida now, or I would be at the memorial service. I hired Bruce to work for Acosta about 12 yrs ago. We quickly became great friends. He came to my family functions, and became part of my family. We talked 2-3 times a week, right up to his passing. Bruce had the biggest heart, always wanting to make sure the school kids had books to read. I edited his book for him, we talked about his illnesses, and the doctors and hospitals daily. He isn't in pain, the struggle is over. Fly high my dear friend, you deserve peace. You were a good man Bruce, we were all blessed to call you our friend

November 25 at 12:47 PM



Mike Gabriel posted:

Grew up 2 houses down from the Barker family on Byron Drive. It was a Great Neighborhood. The one memory I have of Bruce and I picture it in my mind. Young Bruce walking through the neighbors with his dog, a boxer named Ginger. They were always side by side. I imagine she greeted him in Heaven Rest in Peace Bruce 😞

November 21 at 5:01 PM

NL

Noreen Latina posted:

I have known Bruce for the past 7 or 8 years and he had been an awesome friend to me. I know he was having health issues. To say I am going to miss him and his friendship does not begin to cover how I'm feeling knowing he lost his struggle with his health. I hope Jazz is with someone who will care for her. My deepest condolences to his family.

November 17 at 9:50 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Bruce by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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