



## John Raymond Barney

November 21, 1930 - May 21, 2016

### Obituary of John Barney

Mr. John "Ray" Barney went to be with our Lord and Savior. His living wish was to die peacefully in his sleep. His wish was granted on May 21, 2016. John was born in Bombay, New York to the late Alfred and Agnes Lapierre Barney on November 21, 1930. He worked as a truck driver for many years in Northern N.Y. When he retired he obtained a license to be a real estate inspector in Tyler, TX. John was very active in the KofC Council 1502 in Tyler, TX where he served as treasurer for many years and he was also a member of the 4th degree Assembly, 1119 Tyler, TX. He married Fran Lent on May 7, 1955. They had 61 wonderful years together. He and his wife, Fran Barney, fully retired and moved to Webster, Florida in 2008. They had eight children: daughters: Maureen Barney Hiliger, Karen Barney Osoway (deceased), Michelle Barney Weller, Lauri Barney Flint (deceased), Susan Barney, sons: Kevin Barney, Larry Barney (deceased), Stephen Barney; 12 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; and brother, Roger Barney (Pam), Stafford, VA. He was preceded in death by half-brother, Harold, and sisters: Margurite and Madeline. As a loving tribute to his daughters, Karen and Lauri, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Visitation

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 2016 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel, Bushnell, Florida.

### Service

A Mass of Christian Burial will be on Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, Bushnell, Florida and interment will follow at Garden of Memories, Webster, Florida.

# Tribute Wall

JJ

“ *My thoughts and prays are with you Fran and all of your family.*

Julie Jagoe - May 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ *We are sorry to hear of Mr Barney's passing. Our son-in-law (Brad Francis and good friend Mickey Weller) are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

Renee and Daniel Marcum - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Fran & family, We are so sorry to hear of Ray's passing. He will be missed. May you remember all the good times you had together. Take care, Steven & Linda*

Steven & Linda Rumpf - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *Sorry to hear of Ray's passing, but happy for all that he went so peacefully. My Mom and Dad enjoyed their times with Fran and Ray....Ray can catch up with them in heaven. God bless you all.*

Marcia Christman Lee - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ *I never had the pleasure of meeting Mr. John Barney, but I'm a friend of his son Steve in Santa Rosa and he is a great man, so thank you John for being a great man and role model and raising a great son among many other wonderful things done in your life. RIP.*

Jason King - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ We feel as we have lost a very important member of our family. So many memories good and bad but especially good. We have so much in common over the years and cherish every one of you. Sending our love to all.

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**Jim and Jeanette Spencer and family.** - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BO

“ To a wonderful family of which the memories I have are too plentiful to share in this short condolence. Our thoughts and prayers will always be with all of you today and always as you live on with the memories of your precious family members-Ray, Lauri, Karen and Larry. God Speed and may the sun always shine on your side of the street and if not surely in your hearts and souls.... Lovingly, Beth and Bill O'Connor

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**Bill and Beth O'Connor** - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ fran, please accept my condolences in the loss of this wonderful man , so so sorry to hear. unfortunately im up home in N.Y. and will not be able to attend the service. i am there in spirit, hugs to you and family . again so sorry

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**shelly shepard** - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Our thoughts and Prayers to Fran and the Family. Ray was very friendly and the best Neighbor we could ever have ! He will be truly missed by all who knew him. Rest in Peace, and God Bless and Comfort all of the Family. Sheila &Hinson

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**Sheila and Hinson Calder** - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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Sheila and Hinson Calder - May 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Rest in peace Dad. Thank you for all you sacrificed for your family. We will miss you dearly but will hold you close in our memories and in our hearts.

Micki Weller - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Joe and Susie Bartley send our deepest thoughts and prayers to the family may God heal your hearts in time and know that he will always be smiling down all of you Kevin and Sue we love you guys God Bless

Joe Susie Bartley - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Rest in peace Dad. Thank you for all you sacrificed for your family. We will miss you dearly but will hold you close in our memories and in our hearts.###GESTURE###

Micki Weller - May 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Our deepest condolences to the fsmily. Only knew Fran and Ray a short time through the Knights of Columbus at St. Lawrence Church.

Don Stamford - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ We are filled with a deep sadness yet also an uplifting joy in knowing that Ray loved the Lord and has been welcomed to the great table in heaven. Our lives were greatly enriched and completely blessed by knowing Ray who served as our children's surrogate grandfather and a faithful friend to us. We have so many happy, funny, sad, memories of our time together and our hearts are united with all the Barneys as you celebrate and come to terms with your life on Earth without his strength and gentleness. We are filled with thoughts of his reunion with Larry, Karen and Lauri, as well as his parents, brother and other family. We know that Brionne prepared a place for him at the table and he is basking in the presence of the Lord. Love you all, grieve with you and rejoice with you - Greg and Shelley Clary

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**Greg and Shelley Clary** - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CI

“ I will be thinking about you ALL

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**Cindy** - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Our thoughts and prayers are being sent to Fran and the family. Ray will always be remembered as a wonderful family man and a special friend to us. I wish we could be there with you all during this time. RIP Ray. You have left many great memories. We will miss you. Love and hugs Garth and Sharon

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**Sharon and Garth Goodfield** - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BP

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**Bob & Toni Pentino** - May 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM



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