



## Barbara R. Knipple

February 6, 1947 - September 21, 2017

Barbara Rita Knipple, 70, beloved Wife, Mother, Grandmother, and Sister, completed her journey home to be with the Lord, our God, on September 21, 2017. She lived a life of unmistakable devotion to her children, family, and friends. There is no greater evidence of this than her 50 plus year marriage to Ronald J. Knipple, the seven children she lovingly raised, the 17 grandchildren she adored and doted on, and the 4 great grandchildren that were born over the last several years. Family and friends will tell you that she was sometimes quiet, always had a smile, and the first to lend a hand in every situation. She was known to many and loved by all.

She is preceded in death by her Mother and Father; her brothers John Joseph Cordova and Patrick John Cordova, Sr.; her sisters Linda Cordova and Lorraine Cordova. She is survived by her loving husband, Ronald Knipple, Sr.; her children Ronald Knipple, Jr. , Robin Reining (Jason Medina), Henery Knipple (Stefanie Knipple), Richard Knipple, Rory Knipple (Desirea Knipple), Rita Knipple, Stephanie Engel (Robert Engel); her grandchildren Christopher J. Spitz, Brittany (Worley-Knipple) Spina (Joe Spina), Kevin Leal, Ashton Worley-Knipple (Katie Worley), Eryne Knipple, Morgan Knipple, Alec Knipple, Richard Knipple, Jr., Angelia Reining, Collin Engel, Quenton Knipple, Hannah Williamson, Jamie Williamson, Chad Engel, Jarit Williamson, Isaiah Knipple, and Jaylin Knipple; her great grandchildren Riley, Adrian, Alivia, and Brooklynn; her siblings Margaret DelaRosa, Ernestine Gonzales, Pita Ariaz,

Dave Asevedo, Jessie Joe Godinez, Natalie Carranco Castillo, Albert Cordova Jr., Timothy Cordova, Roxanne Cordova, Rodney Cordova, Claudette Retana, and Melanie Cordova.

Services will be held at Holy Family Catholic Church, September 29, 2017, 11 a.m. This will be followed by the interment of her ashes at Grandview Cemetery. A celebration of Barbara's life will immediately proceed these services at the Knights of Columbus, 121 N. Meldrum Street, Fort Collins.

A memorial fund has been established in Barbara's name to support the Alzheimer's Association. Thank you to all that have cared for Barbara over the last several years, including the staff at Elder Haus and Golden Peaks Care Center.

Barb Knipple has gone on to be with those that have gone before her and watch over those left behind. In her absence there is pain and longing but comfort and pure joy in knowing she is beside God, our Savior. She will be missed and loved - always.

# Cemetery Details

## Grandview Cemetery

1900 W. Mountain Ave.  
Ft. Collins, CO 80521

# Previous Events

## Memorial Mass

SEP **29**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Holy Family Catholic Church  
326 N. Whitcomb Street Fort Collins, CO US 80521  
Fort Collins, CO 80521

# Tribute Wall

MK

“ *Robin and family,  
So sorry to hear mom's passing, you all are in my thoughts and  
prayers at this difficult time! I was blessed to have worked with your  
mom, she was a kind and gentle soul!*

*Thoughts and prayers,  
Marcia Koski*

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**Marcia Koski** - September 29, 2017 at 02:55 PM

YS

“ *Your ShopGirl family, Kensie, Olivia and Sara  
purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of  
Barbara R. Knipple.*



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**Your ShopGirl family, Kensie, Olivia and Sara** - September 28,  
2017 at 12:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for  
the family of Barbara R. Knipple.*



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September 27, 2017 at 11:40 AM

JG

“ Growing up in the neighborhood she was the one with the kind words and supportive attitude. Her smile is something that will stay with me forever because you knew it was motivated from the heart. Siblings, so sorry for your loss but you have lovely memories to get you through.

Jacquie L Guerrero

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**Jacquie L Guerrero** - September 25, 2017 at 09:56 PM

NR

“ Margaret, Pita, Ernestine and family, I am so sorry about Barbara. Now she is no longer in pain and confused, She is a beautiful Angel in heaven watching over you all. She was a wonderful person and I will always remember her smile.

Nancy Miranda-Romero

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**Nancy Romero** - September 25, 2017 at 04:01 PM

LG

“ Margaret and Ernestine, saddened to hear about your sister Barbara. I had not seen her in many years, but I always remember her always laughing and being such fun. May she rest in peace in JESUS arms.

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**liz Gutierrez** - September 25, 2017 at 02:46 PM

LT

“ Love, The entire W21 team purchased the Sentimental Dreams for the family of Barbara R. Knipple.



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**Love, The entire W21 team** - September 25, 2017 at 12:31 PM

CI

“ *My condolences to the family of Barbara Knipple. Barb was a fun loving woman who could always put a smile on your face. She will be truly missed. Take comfort in knowing she is now longer in any pain or confused. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*  
*Cindie Sanchez*

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**Cindie** - September 25, 2017 at 11:10 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Barbara R. Knipple.*



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September 25, 2017 at 11:03 AM

MK

“ *Robin and family,*

*So sorry to hear about your Mom's passing. Thinking of you and wishing you peace. You're in my thoughts, my heart and my prayers.*

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**Mikki (Hassett) Knight** - September 23, 2017 at 03:19 PM

TS

“ Today it is with a heavy heart that I send my love to my brother Ronnie, my nieces and nephews Ron, Robin, Henry ,Rita, Rory, Rick and Stephanie. .Know that I thought the world of Barbara. Never was there a sweeter more loving person than she was. Barbara was an angel on earth, treating her family with love and being there for everyone. Her laughter and giggle will always be a part of my memory of the good times we had..She will always hold a special place in my heart. Now she is free of the disease that claimed her life and may she rest in peace. All my love Kathy,( Aunt and sister)

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**Tom Schneider** - September 23, 2017 at 02:16 PM