



Barbara Childs

October 31, 2014

Funeral services for Barbara C. Childs, 71 of Anniston, will be Monday, November 3, 2014 at Saint Michael and All Angels Church of Anniston. The service will begin at 6 pm with a visitation from 4-6, all at the church. Mrs. Childs passed away on October 31 at RMC. In addition to her husband, John Childs, and son, John Childs III(Robin), Mrs. Childs is survived by her two sisters, Catherine Simpson of Dover, Delaware, and Mary Chlebowski of Boston, Massachusetts, and brother, John Chelbowski of Sun Valley, Idaho. Mrs. Childs served as co-publisher of The Oxford Independent working with her husband, John A, Childs. Mrs. Childs served in a number of organizations, including the Matrons Study Club, the Junior League, the Anniston Library Board, and as a member and later president of the Anniston School Board. She also formerly served as Junior Warden at Grace Episcopal Church, where she led a very successful capital improvements campaign. Before retiring to be a full time mother to her son, John A. Childs III, she enjoyed a career in working a number of legal firms, including Anniston law firm Rutledge, Williams, Williams, and Norton. She had earlier worked in similar position with the Washington, D.C. firm of Wilmer, Cutler, and Pickering which served as General Counsel to President Jimmy Carter. She had also played a significant role in the campaign of vice-president candidate Edmund Muskie. Mrs. Childs was a loving and caring wife, mother, sister and friend and will be deeply missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing her.

Tribute Wall

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“ John, I am so sorry to hear of Barbara's death. I remember as a young reporter at *The Anniston Star*, you and Barbara were always so kind to me. You taught me how to be a real journalist, and I will always remember you both.

Veronica Kennedy - November 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ John, I am praying for you and your family. I am in shock over her passing, but God needed another rose to join in the garden with my daughter Nancy.

Claudetta Morgan - November 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ John, I extend to you and family, deepest sympathy in the loss of Barbara, I enjoyed serving with her on the *Anniston City School Board* as well as her *Postal Carrier*.

Nathaniel Davis - November 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ John, Mande and I were heartbroken to learn of the death of your wife. We always enjoyed being with her at *International House* functions as well as *Rotary*. Special prayers to you and your family...K.L. and Mande Brown

November 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM