



## Babette Smith

June 11, 1927 - October 4, 2013

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Event.observe(window, 'load', googleTranslateElementInit);
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function googleTranslateElementInit() {  
  new google.translate.TranslateElement( {pageLanguage: 'en',  
    multilanguagePage: true}, 'google_translate_element');
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  if (navigator.userAgent && navigator.userAgent.match(/Firefox/)) {  
    // This is a terrible terrible hack, Google Translate blows away the sound on  
    Firefox.
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    // Calling reboot seems to bring it back.
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    soundManager.reboot();
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  }
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}
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Babette Ann (Barber) Smith, born on June 11, 1927 and passed away on Friday, October 4, 2013. She was preceded in death by parents, Joseph and Vivian Barber; and her husband, Richard Smith. Babette is survived by children, William (Michele) Keyser, Becky (Tom) Ryan, Vicki Alters, Pamela (Michael) Begley, Richard (Annette) Smith, Sally (Tom) Maticka, Bobbie (Ed Shaw) Strickland, Pat (Janice) Smith, and Tammy Smith; 29 grandchildren; 42 great grandchildren; 5 great great grandchildren; three sisters, Patricia Foltz, Joan Barber, and Jacqueline Dailey; her loving pets; and numerous other relatives and friends. The family would like to thank her caregivers and CCICU staff at Kettering Hospital. Family will greet friends on Tuesday, October 8th from 4:00-8:00 p.m. at Reis Legacy Center Meyer-Boehmer Funeral Home, 6661 Clys Rd., Centerville. A Prayer Service will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 9th at the funeral home. Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 10:00 a.m. on October 9th at St. Joseph Church, 411 E. Second St., Dayton. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Babette's memory to The Alzheimer's Association Miami Valley, 31 W. Whipp Rd., Centerville, OH 45459.

# Tribute Wall

BD

“ Mom , Sittind here thinking about ya. Miss you so much , just the sound if your voice always made me feel safe. I just want you to know that I Love and miss you . Wish you were here but I know your in a better place ( home ) . Never stop thinking of you. Your daughter...Bobbie Jo.



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**Bobbie Shaw. Daughter** - October 05, 2015 at 09:43 PM

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“ Bobbie Shaw. Daughter sent a virtual gift in memory of Babette Smith



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**Bobbie Shaw. Daughter** - October 05, 2015 at 09:37 PM

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“ Bobbie Shaw. Daughter lit a candle in memory of Babette Smith



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**Bobbie Shaw. Daughter** - October 05, 2015 at 09:35 PM

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“ Mom. I just want you to always remember how much I Love You. You are missed so much. I think of you everyday. Thank you for all of the memories. Love your daughter, Bobbie Jo

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**Bobbie Jo Strickland - Little Elm, TX - daughter** - November 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *Bobbie was my Mother-in-Law on Becky's (daughter) side of the family. I think what I remember most fondly is my time with Bobbie when we both worked at Grandview Hospital in Dayton. Bobbie was an admitting and emergency room receiving clerk and I worked in the Admitting Office as a part time job while in college.*

*We had many nice discussions when we could. Bobbie was a very hard worker and handled incoming emergency cases with speed and compassion. She was very good at her job.*

*Continued discussions ultimately led to Bobbie introducing me to her daughter Becky which led to my long and happy married life.*

*Thanks, Bobbie...I'll miss you.*

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**Tom Ryan - Raleigh/Wilmington, NC - Son-in-law** - October 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *Keeping all of you in my thoughts and prayers through this difficult time. Thinking back when Becky & I were growing up and all the memories we shared on Kenwood & Fernwood and in Trotwood, driving your Mom and my Mom crazy trying to keep up with us. And will hold dear our recent trip to the casino with your Mom. Becky, I am so glad I did have that special time with your Mom and sisters. May each of you find peace and comfort in the days to come with holding your Mother's love within your heart.*

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**Barb Balazs Waymire - Englewood, OH - Friend** - October 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ To the entire family my deepest sympathy, you are all in my prayers and thoughts. So many memories, spending the night and now wondering how in the world did you survive the house on Kenwood with just one bathroom????? Lol. And it always seemed like your mom was ironing something for someone in the kitchen, thank goodness for permanent press now, but oh my goodness all those uniform blouses and uniforms, plus shirts for Dick (this was before Pat and Tammy). I can remember going to see her when she worked at Donenfeld's, really thought I was hot s---, sure couldn't afford anything there. The good old days, so many memories. Becky know that I love you and you were and always will be part of my family. I will see you tomorrow.

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**Linda McIntosh - Dayton, OH - Friend** - October 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ We Love You and Miss You , and will never forget You. You will always have a special place in OUR hearts.We Love you grandma . Love K.J and Myles

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**K.J. and Myles Dorsey - Vandalia, OH - grandsons** - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Mom, I will never forget all the wonderful things you did for me and the boys. You were the best mom ever. Love, Tammy

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**Tammy Smith - Vandalia, OH - daughter** - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mom, I miss you so much. Last night we all had your favorite cocktail "WHITE RUSSIAN" & watched your favorite team "OHIO STATE & knew you were watching with us. I love you & will always keep you in my heart & thoughts !! Love, Becky

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**Becky Ryan - Raleigh/Wilmington, NC - Daughter** - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Mother, I Love You and Miss You so Much. You will always be in my Heart.*

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**Bobbie Jo Strickland - Little Elm, TX - daughter - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM**