

Barbara A. Kaiser (née Yingling), 79, of Alpharetta, Georgia, peacefully entered into the presence of her Lord and Savior on Saturday, February 4, 2023, at her home surrounded by her loving family.

Barbara was born August 1, 1943, in Bellevue, Ohio. A middle child, Barbara was raised with her two sisters in a happy home where they learned to follow Jesus from a young age. After graduating from Ohio University in 1965 with a BS in Education, Barbara married Mac Kaiser, her college sweetheart and the love of her life. She taught elementary school briefly, before setting aside her work to focus on supporting her husband in his business career, raising their son Andrew, and serving through the church.

Barbara was always involved in her local church, singing in the church choir, hosting neighborhood Bible studies, and serving for many years in leadership in women's ministries—including over a decade working with Jill Briscoe at Elmbrook Church in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. When Barbara and Mac moved to Alpharetta over 30 years ago, they joined Perimeter Church, where Barbara was actively involved as a leader in both the women's ministry and with Mac in the church's marriage ministry. The Wisdom for Wives and The Marriage Hour classes that she helped lead blessed many.

Barbara and Mac made many trips overseas to visit their son and his family, enjoying rich times with their two granddaughters in China, Hong Kong, Scotland, and Thailand. In their retirement, they travelled extensively with family and friends from church. When not travelling, she enjoyed gardening and hosting neighborhood groups and Bible studies in her beautiful home on the lake—always with delicious food and lots of laughter. Ever the patriot, Barbara always looked forward to their annual Fourth of July party.

She was preceded in death by her parents, J. Leonard and Helen Yingling, and is survived by her dear husband of 57 years, Mac Kaiser; son and daughter in-law, Andrew and Heather Kaiser; beloved grandchildren Sophia Kaiser and Rebekah Kaiser; sisters, Jeanette (Jerry) Kantzer and Mary (David) Jones; as well as a host of nieces and nephews to whom she loved being Aunt Barbara.

# A CELEBRATION OF THE LIFE OF

## Barbara Ann Kaiser

*August 1, 1943 – February 4, 2023*



February 24, 2023

11:00 am

Cecil B. Day Chapel of Perimeter Church

In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in Heaven.

Matthew 5:16 NIV

## *A Note of Thanks*

Our family is deeply grateful to the wonderful family of faith that has blessed us so richly these past two years through Barbara's battle with cancer. We cannot thank you enough for the many generous acts of service that ministered to Barbara in practical ways. Your delicious meals have sustained us, your cards and calls encouraged us, and your prayers have carried us. Barbara was so thankful for each of you and was so touched that she was loved so well by so many.

## *In Lieu of Flowers*

Donations may be made to  
Strong Marriages  
In Memory of Barbara Ann Kaiser  
5999 Summerside Drive, Suite 106  
Dallas, TX 75252  
[www.strongmarriages.com](http://www.strongmarriages.com)

## *A Note About the Reception*

Outgoing, generous, and hospitable, Barbara loved to entertain, and she was so sad that her fragile immune system kept her away from beloved friends. At the reception luncheon, please be sure to try one of Barbara's favorite party recipes, her corn and bean salsa, made by her faithful prayer group, as well as the ice cream sundae bar, one of her favorite desserts. Please also choose one of Barbara's signature scarves to keep as a memento of her vibrant personality.

## **Order of Service**

Prelude	Cameron Bible
Processional Congregational Hymn <i>Blessed Assurance</i>	Cameron Bible Michelle Swift
Welcome and Prayer	Rev. Bob Carter
Images of Life Slide Presentation	
Psalm 23 (KJV) John 10:11-15 (NIV) Remembrance	Alaina Engdahl, Niece Susannah Engdahl, Niece Allyson Engdahl, Sister-In-Law
Congregational Hymn <i>He Will Hold Me Fast</i>	Cameron Bible Michelle Swift
I Corinthians 15 (NIV) Remembrance	Bekah Kaiser, Granddaughter Sophie Kaiser, Granddaughter
Congregational Hymn <i>A Mighty Fortress is Our God</i>	Cameron Bible Michelle Swift
Words of Thanksgiving	Mac Kaiser, Husband
Revelation 21:1-5 (NIV) Revelation 22:1-4 (NIV)	Andrew Kaiser, Son
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Bob Carter
Benediction	Rev. Bob Carter
Congregational Hymn <i>And Can It Be</i> Family Recessional	Cameron Bible Michelle Swift

*All are invited to the Ministry Center  
to join the family for a reception.*