



Barbara Altman

February 13, 1942 - October 24, 2018

(nee Jacob) October 24, 2018, age 76, of Fox Point. Preceded in death by dear husband Melvin Altman. Adoring mother of David (Beth) Altman and Dr. Adrienne (Andrew Saletra) Altman. Cherished grandmother of Jake Altman; Brody and Allie Saletra. Loving sister of Richard (Betty) Jacob and sister-in-law of Alfred (Joyce) Altman. Further survived by many relatives and dear friends.

Barbara was an active member in the Milwaukee Jewish community where for over 40 years, she taught Sunday school at Congregation Shalom and Israeli folk dancing. She had an immense love for family and friends and living life to the fullest. She brightened every room she entered and treasured each and every person in her life. Barbara was an amazing woman who made this world a better place. She will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

Funeral services are 2pm Sunday, October 28, 2018 at Congregation Shalom, 7630 N. Santa Monica Blvd., Fox Point, WI 53217, followed by entombment service at Spring Hill Cemetery, 166 S. Hawley Ct. The family will be receiving guests at Congregation Shalom after entombment until 7 PM.

Memorials to Congregation Shalom or a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Spring Hill Cemetery

166 S. Hawley Ct.
Milwaukee, WI 53214

Previous Events

Service

OCT 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

Congregation Shalom
7630 N Santa Monica Blvd
Fox Point, WI 53217

Shiva

OCT 28 (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Altman*

October 06, 2023 at 01:40 PM



“ *So sad to hear about Barbara. We will "dance" together someday!*

Marcy Yavor

Marcy Yavor - October 31, 2018 at 05:20 PM



“ *We loved wonderful, caring and energetic Barbara and will miss her greatly. She was always a vibrant light in our community.
Fondly,*

Chris Paler & Foyd Laber

Chris Paler - October 29, 2018 at 12:06 AM

EB

“ I am still in shock from reading the message about Barbara that was sent tonight from Congregation Shalom. She knew my late parents and brother, and I met her in the mid 1970's when I joined the Kalaniot dance group. She was my teacher and then became a lifelong friend. She helped me through a difficult part of life that dancing helped to heal, and introduced me to an Israeli dancer who became part of my life for a brief time. She and I shared many wonderful and funny memories of those years, having spoken of them again not so very long ago. My heart is heavy with this loss. I send my sincerest condolences to Adrienne and David and their families. May your warm memories offer you comfort in the days ahead. Barbara will be missed by so many.

~Ellen Abrams Blankenship

Ellen Abrams Blankenship - October 26, 2018 at 11:45 PM



“ Barbara befriended everyone. My late Husband, Bob, and I were recipients of her caring.

Norma Zehner - October 26, 2018 at 06:37 PM

MF

“ I will always remember Barb as a wonderful addition to our Congregation Shalom religious school staff. Her love of Israeli dancing was only surpassed by her love for the young students she taught. Barb always had a smile and a kind word for everyone. Both David and I extend our condolences on your unexpected loss.
Marilyn Franklin

Marilyn Franklin - October 26, 2018 at 05:13 PM