



## Barbara Jean Manzon

January 28, 2023

The staff at Heishman Funeral Home Inc. sends condolences to the family of Barbara Jean Manzon.

Barbara Jean Manzon, 95, of Woodstock, VA, passed away on January 28, 2023, after a brief illness and a life well-lived.

Barbara was born in Chicago, IL to Frank M. Manzon, Sr. and Rose Manzon. The family moved to Washington, DC when she was a young child. She was an excellent student and athlete and graduated from McKinley Tech High School in 1945.

Barbara lived a full and vibrant life and her smile was always the brightest in the room. She was independent and adventurous — she went hot-air ballooning and aeroglider, owned a power boat and water skied, golfed, bowled, and rode a motorcycle. However, few things gave her more pleasure than spending time with her family. She was generous with her time and gifts and she delighted in organizing adventures for family and friends, including white water rafting, snow skiing, and horseback riding trips. She enjoyed celebrating her birthday with family picking crabs and sipping champagne.

Barbara loved animals. After retirement, she had time to pursue her love of horseback riding, eventually owning her own horse named Montana. She rode

throughout the Shenandoah Valley and was a member of the Cedar Creek Mounted Guard.

Barbara is survived by her sister, Donna G. Beard (Alton), of Lanham, MD. She was a beloved aunt to several nieces, nephews and their families, and a dear friend to many. She was preceded in death by her parents, and brothers Frank M. Manzon, Jr. and Phillip H. Manzon.

Family and friends may pay their respects and share their memories of Barbara during visitation on Friday, February 3, 2023 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm at the Valley Funeral Service Chapel, 14116 S. Middle Rd., Edinburg, VA 22824. Inurnment will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society of Shenandoah County, P.O. Box 173, Woodstock, VA 22664 ([www.hsscva.org](http://www.hsscva.org)) or the Wounded Warrior Project ([support.woundedwarriorproject.org](http://support.woundedwarriorproject.org)).

Online condolences may be left at [www.valleyfs.com](http://www.valleyfs.com)

Arrangements by Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Valley Funeral Service Branch, Edinburg.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 3. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Valley Funeral Service  
14116 South Middle Road  
Edinburg, VA 22824  
(540) 984-3700  
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<https://www.valleyfs.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Manzon.*



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January 31, 2023 at 05:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Manzon.*



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January 31, 2023 at 05:10 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Manzon.*



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January 31, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara Jean Manzon.*



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“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of  
*Barbara Jean Manzon.*



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