



## Edward J. Barber

March 3, 1928 - September 26, 2013

Edward J. Barber, 85, of Livingston, passed away Thursday, September 26, 2013 at Columbia Memorial Hospital.

Born March 3, 1928 in Hudson, he was the son of the late Arthur J. and Mary T. (Ganley) Barber.

Ed was predeceased by a brother, Arthur J. Barber, and his first wife of 24 years, Evelyn Plass Paterson Barber.

He is survived by his wife of thirty five years, Beth I. (Traver) Barber; two step-daughters, Carole A. Starr and Sandra M. Lazzara, both of Columbiaville, one step-son, Wayne Holt of Valatie, and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Ed graduated from Hudson High Class of 1945 and enlisted in the US Maritime Service during the closing months of WW II. Ed served on three different troop ships making trips to Italy, France, and Belgium. Ed received an honorable discharge from the US Coast Guard for this service. He also served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict being attached to the Army of Occupation in Europe. He was stationed in Germany for two years and returned to the states for four more years of active service in the reserve.

Ed returned to his railroad career of 41 years with NY Central System, Penn Central Railroad, Conrail, and Metro North Commuter Railroad. Ed held many positions in tower and station service retiring in 1990 from his final position as station agent at Poughkeepsie, NY. He liked to vacation in South Carolina in the winter months.

Calling hours are 4-8 pm Sunday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Services will be held at 10 am Monday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Cedar Park Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Bryon & Kim Cook lit a candle in memory of Edward J. Barber



Bryon & Kim Cook - September 30, 2013 at 06:24 PM

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“ Love, Pinky and Sandy



carole starr - September 30, 2013 at 04:08 PM

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“ Wayne Holt lit a candle in memory of Edward J. Barber



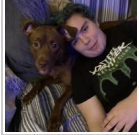
Wayne Holt - September 29, 2013 at 06:43 AM

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“ J.H. lit a candle in memory of Edward J. Barber



J.H. - September 29, 2013 at 06:40 AM

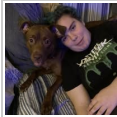


“ *Deborah Watson lit a candle in memory of Edward J. Barber*



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**Deborah Watson** - September 28, 2013 at 11:09 PM



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