

**SOME WONDERFUL THOUGHTS BY HER CLOSE FRIEND AND NEIGHBOR
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IF YOU WERE LUCKY, YOU MET THIS LADY....A CASUAL IMPRESSION WAS A LITTLE OLD LADY WITH A BIG SMILE, A SMALL CAR, AND LIVING IN THE OLD HOUSE DOWN BY BIG ROCK CREEK.

THE TRUTH WAS ANOTHER STORY. HIGHLY EDUCATED, AN AMAZING MIND, SHE COULD QUOTE 16TH CENTURY ENGLISH HISTORY, THE LEWIS AND CLARKE SAGA, OR THE CAST OF DOZENS OF BROADWAY SHOWS.

NAME A FOLK SONG, SHE KNEW THE WORDS...CRUISED TO EUROPE WHEN SHE WAS 9, SHE VISITED EVERY STATE, AND MANY LANDS AROUND THE WORLD.

SHE NEVER PASSED A BABY WITHOUT GIVING A SMILE.

DURING WW-2, SHE SANG IN A NITE CLUB IN BOSTON, DID AN AUDITION FOR A SHOW IN NEW YORK, LIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO, WORKING FOR THE U.N.

SHE MET HARDSHIPS HEAD ON: HEALTH AND FAMILY PROBLEMS WERE OVERCOME WITHOUT FAIL.

INDEPENDENT, COURAGEOUS, SHE NEVER MET A CHARITY SHE DID NOT HELP.

SHE ENRICHED MY LIFE FOR 25 YEARS: THANKS, BARBARA.

GODSPEED.
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