



## Phyllis Torchia- Brabender

February 20, 1950 - August 22, 2017

Phyllis Torchia-Brabender of Hudson and lifelong resident died Tuesday August 22, 2017 at her home. Born in Hudson on February 20, 1950, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Martha (Gardinier) Torchia. Phyllis was an active member of the former Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church in Hudson where she taught bible study, was a member of the Columbia County Sons and Daughters of Italy #659 and served as treasurer, also a member and treasurer of the Zonta Club of Columbia-Greene, and was a 1991 recipient of the Democratic Committee Thomas Jefferson award and the 1992 recipient of the Young Women of America Award.

She will be greatly missed by her son Todd and his wife Phyllis Brabender, grandsons; Thomas and Ryan Brabender of New Castle, Delaware, her brother-in-law William Fisher Sr. of Hudson NY, and nephews; Thomas and (Maria) Fisher, William Jr. and (Diane) Fisher, nieces; Joan Fisher and Lynn Fisher, great nieces: Caterina and (Mark) Pullen, Julianna Fisher, great nephew Antonio Fisher and several cousins. In addition to her parents she was pre-deceased by her dear sister MaryJane Fisher as well as an infant sister Janet Torchia.

Visiting will be on Tuesday August 29, from 11:00am -1:00pm at the Sacco-McDonald-Valenti Funeral Home 700 Town Hall Drive Hudson. Memorial service will begin at 1:00PM at the funeral home. Burial of ashes will follow in the family plot at Cedar Park Cemetery.

Memorial contributions are requested in her memory to: Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance 801 Roeder Road Suite 750 Silver Springs, Maryland 20910

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

AUG 29. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Sacco Funeral Home  
700 Town Hall Dr  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-5000  
smvfh700@gmail.com  
<https://www.saccofuneralhome.com/>

## Memorial Service

AUG 29. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Sacco Funeral Home  
700 Town Hall Dr  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-5000  
smvfh700@gmail.com  
<https://www.saccofuneralhome.com/>

## Committal Prayers

AUG 29. 1:40 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Cedar Park Cemetery  
20 Columbia Tpke.  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-0517

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Phyllis Torchia-Brabender.*



September 04, 2017 at 06:05 PM

GF

“ *Grimaldi Family lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia-Brabender*



**Grimaldi Family** - August 29, 2017 at 09:34 AM

TF

“ *The Grimaldi Family lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender*



**The Grimaldi Family** - August 29, 2017 at 09:33 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender.*



August 27, 2017 at 09:49 PM



“ *Bed of Pink Roses was purchased for the family of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender.*



August 27, 2017 at 09:42 PM

JB

“ I worked with Phyllis at NUBK, and she will be missed.  
Jane Bemiss  
E. Chatham NY

Jane Bemiss - August 26, 2017 at 04:28 PM

TB

“ Todd Brabender lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia-  
Brabender



Todd Brabender - August 26, 2017 at 02:28 PM

EV

“ Elizabeth Viscusi "Sending my sympathy and prayers in memory of my friend,  
Phyllis Torchia-Brabender".

Elizabeth Viscusi - August 25, 2017 at 12:23 PM

AK

“ Allen Krom lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia-  
Brabender



Allen Krom - August 25, 2017 at 10:04 AM

GW

“ George & MaryLou Washburn sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Phyllis Torchia- Brabender



George & MaryLou Washburn - August 25, 2017 at 07:25 AM

RW

“ *Richard H. A. Washburn lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender*



Richard H. A. Washburn - August 25, 2017 at 07:23 AM

CA

“ *On behalf of Hudson High School Class of 1968, we offer our deepest sympathies to Phyllis's family. We know she was looking forward to our 50th Reunion next year. We also know she will be with us in spirit!*

Christine Abitabile - August 24, 2017 at 10:02 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender.*



August 24, 2017 at 07:18 PM

ST

“ *Steve And Beth Tell lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Torchia- Brabender*



Steve and beth tell - August 24, 2017 at 08:40 AM

TB

“ *Love*



Todd Brabender - August 24, 2017 at 08:21 AM