



## Rosemary Barnes

April 27, 1948 - September 11, 2023

Rosemary Barnes passed away September 11, 2023, in Austin, Texas, at the age of 75.

Rosemary was born April 27, 1948, in New York City. The eldest sister of five siblings, Rosemary grew up in Corpus Christi, Texas, where her father was a prominent orthopedic surgeon. She loved Sunfish sailing around the bay and family car rides along Ocean Drive.

After graduation from W.B. Ray High School, Rosemary earned a bachelor's degree in radio, television and film from New York University and attended Southern Methodist University School of Law.

An award-winning journalist, Rosemary worked as a newspaper reporter for the Corpus Christi Caller-Times and San Antonio Express-News. Before her retirement, she was a writer for city and state government publications in Austin.

Rosemary is preceded in death by parents Hazel and Dr. George Barnes, brother Richard Barnes, sister Barbara Davis and nephew Cameron Davis. Rosemary is survived by brother Philip Barnes and sister Carol Barnes; nieces Emily Davis and Hazel (Jon) Hieftje, nephews Andrew (Bernadette) and Zachary (Leah) Stinson, Trevor Davis and Adam and Aaron (Maple) Barnes; grandnieces Ellie and Georgia Stinson, Eloise Hieftje and Audrey, Wendy and Katie Barnes; and grandnephew Oliver Hieftje.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, her family asks our great God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob to bless Rosemary and give her eternal peace and life

through the Holy Spirit.