

Sue Barrett-Bullitt

1952-2018

Sue Barrett-Bullitt, 66 years, of Little Britain, PA, passed away suddenly on December 27, 2018.

Sue was born in Glen Mills, PA. She grew up sailing and skiing with her family. Their family vacations often involved camping on their small sailboat in the waters from the Chesapeake Bay, to Rhode Island, to Nova Scotia, and once on a larger boat, to Catalina Island, CA.



She learned horsemanship when she attended the Treehaven Academy in Arizona for a few years during her elementary school years. Horses became a lifelong passion that showed up repeatedly in her work with the local Devon Horse Show, her work at a breeding and training facility in Gainesville, FL and through the work she spent much of her life doing at the New Bolton Center in Chester County, PA.



Sue graduated from the West Chester Area School District, followed by the Washington College in Chestertown, MD, which included a term at the University of Guadalajara studying the Spanish language, and later a Veterinary Technician degree from Harcum Junior College in Bryn Mawr, PA.

Sue met James (Jim) Bullitt at a dog training class, and they later married in 1999 and moved to their farm in Little Britain, PA. During their 19 years of marriage, Sue and Jim bred and raised many litters of Labrador Retrievers. Sue enjoyed showing their dogs in obedience training trials, and later worked with the Lancaster County Training Club to help organize trials. She was also an active member of the Lancaster County Kennel Club and the Philadelphia Dog Training Club.

In addition to her passion for dogs, Sue also enjoyed horse shows, science fiction conventions, renaissance fairs, gardening, trips to Nova Scotia and an unquenchable thirst for reading. However, her strongest passion was for her time spent with and caring for her extended family. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Sue is survived by her husband, James Bell Bullitt III, her father, Larry Barrett, her sister, Martha Barrett (Scott), her brother, Jon Barrett (Ann), as well as four step-children and their spouses, seven step-grandchildren and three step-great grandchildren. Sue was predeceased by her mother, Nancy.

Services were held on Saturday, January 5th, at Christ Church in Media, PA. Donations in lieu of flowers should be directed to the Brookline Labrador Retriever Rescue or another animal charity of your choice. Arrangements by J. Nelson Rigby Funeral Home. Condolences: jnelsonrigbyfh.com

