



## Barbara Seibert

January 2, 1930 - September 17, 2009

Barbara A Seibert January 2, 1930- September 17, 2009 Barbara A (Simmons) Seibert, 79, Green Bay, WI passed away on September 17, 2009 at Birch Creek Assisted Living Facility in DePere, WI from the complications of cancer. Barbara was born January 2, 1930 in Reading, Pennsylvania to the late Elsie and Arthur Simmons. She graduated from Mount Penn High School in Reading in 1947. Barbara married Richard Albert Seibert in 1951. Over the fifty six years of her marriage she efficiently managed the hectic life of homemaker and mother; raising two children and a sales executive. Barbara was a bright spark to all who knew her. One of her passions in life became sailing on the Great Lakes with her husband. Though it was not love at first sail; her reluctance to "take to the high seas" was gradually overcome with patience and a much larger boat. Crewing a series of boats that culminated with the beautiful Swan Song, a Pearson 33. She became an excellent sailor, a dedicated First Mate and a magnificent hostess at the dock. Barbara and Dick also traveled extensively abroad after Dick's retirement. Barbara's gift for striking up conversation with people of all backgrounds ensured that they made friends along the way whether in St. Petersburg, Russia or at Foxy's in Jost Van Dyke, British Virgin Islands. A couple of decades ago, Barbara warned her son that, "You'll miss me when I'm gone." And it's true. We all miss you. May you find smooth sailing and a sunny shore with your beloved husband Dick. Preceded in death by her husband Richard Seibert. Survived by two children daughter Lynn Daniels (Peter) of Shawano, WI, son Rick

Seibert (Kristi) of Boulder, CO, and grandsons Ben Daniels of Madison and Matt Daniels of Shawano. In accordance with Dick and Barbara's wishes, there will only be a private family ceremony in a quiet bay of the North Channel. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her name to Unity Hospice, De Pere.