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Barbara L. (Lawrence) Bacharach, 80, of Farmington, widow of Andrew Bacharach, died on Saturday (April 1, 2017) at her residence at Brookdale of Farmington. Barbara was born on July 10, 1936 in Ridgway, PA and was a daughter of the late Fredrick and Dorothy (Dougherty) Lawrence. She was raised and went to school in Johnsonburg, PA. She then went on to college and received her Bachelor's Degree in Nursing. After graduation, she worked as a nurse and flight attendant for TWA. She met and married Andrew and they moved to Westport. There, she raised her two sons and continued to Nurse part-time in long-term care facilities and hospitals in Fairfield County. She retired to Sarasota, FL where she lived for 22 years before moving back to Connecticut and settling

in Bristol. Barbara was an avid tennis player and enjoyed all sports (with the possible exception of golf). For many years, she was a true Steelers fan but as time went by her allegiance passed to the Patriots. As her boys were growing up, she volunteered at their schools (Balloon Day!) with their leagues and teams. She was a mom to many and created a home that was open, warm, loving and fun. She possessed a keen wit, could see the humor in any situation and could be both sarcastic and sensitive simultaneously. She was a lifelong avid reader, but her greatest passion was for New York Times Crossword puzzles-there are few she could not defeat. She only needed coffee, chocolate and crosswords to truly be happy. A Roman Catholic, the parishes she attended over the years were Assumption Church in Westport, St. Michael the Archangel Church, Sarasota, FL, and St. Matthew Church, Bristol. She was predeceased by a sister: Martha Jeffries. Barbara leaves her two sons and daughters-in-law: Tom and Debbi Bacharach of Bristol and Dave and Deb Bacharach of Victoria, BC, Canada; a brother, Charles Lawrence; a sister: Nancy Duncan; four grandchildren: Daniel, Maggie, Sydney and Samantha Bacharach; two great-grandchildren: Mackenzie and Oliver Bacharach and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services and burial will be private and at the convenience of the family. Funk Funeral Home, 35 Bellevue Ave., Bristol, is assisting the family. Please visit Barbara's memorial website at www.FunkFuneralHome.com

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