



Naomi Ruth Bryson

April 14, 2026

Naomi Ruth Bryson, 92, of Lititz, PA, passed away at Luther Acres on Tuesday, April 14, 2026. Born in Pottstown, PA to the late Carroll and Dorothy M. Bewley. She was the loving wife of Barry L. Bryson for 69 years.

Naomi was an active member of Highland Presbyterian Church.

For many years, Naomi worked at St. Joseph Hospital in Lancaster, PA, as a devoted Registered Nurse.

During her free time, she enjoyed reading, baking, and traveling. As a family, they visited Hawaii, Alaska, Scotland, and Ireland. Naomi was devoted to her family and she cherished their time together.

In addition to her beloved husband Barry, Naomi is survived by her sons, Jay (Margaret) Bryson of Charlotte, NC, James (Ann) Bryson of Lancaster, PA, her daughter Susan Bryson of Lancaster, PA, her sister, Linda A. Bewley of Gilbertsville, PA, and six grandchildren: William "Carter" Bryson, Caroline Bryson Bass, AnneMarie Commins Bryson, Emma Victoria Bryson, Emily Ann Bryson, and Andrew James Bryson.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Family and friends are invited to attend a Funeral Service at The Groffs Family

Funeral Home, 528 W. Orange Street, Lancaster, PA, on Sunday, April 26, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. A Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Naomi's memory may be made to Lancaster's Food Hub, <https://lancasterfoodhub.org/donate/> or a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LH

“ Dear Bryson Family,
I wanted to share how thankful I was to have worked with Naomi at SJH. She was an excellent role model for me as a new nurse on 3 East. I'll always remember her smile and positive influence.
God Bless your family during this time of loss.

Lynne Houck

Lynne Houck - April 29 at 01:25 PM

JB

Lynne :
This is Jim Bryson - Naomi's youngest son. I'm putting together a fundraising page in Naomi's honor on non-profit Rekindled Nurse Web site. May I use your comment with or without your first name ?
Rekindled Nurse is a (501-3C) who's Mission to help nurses dealing with burnout and help them stay in the nursing profession.

James Bryson - May 20 at 09:28 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy to the family of Naomi Bryson. I worked with Naomi at SJH. When I first met her in the early 80" I was a nurse aide. Soon after I started working at SJH I met her, we worked together with multiple patients. I learned SO much from Naomi! She encouraged me with my studies and kept influencing my clinical education. In 1987 I finally graduated from nursing school. Later in 2004 graduating with 2 nursing degrees from Immaculata Univ. I often thought of how much encouragement I received from Naomi.
Nancy C. Groff, RN / BSN.

Nancy C. Groff, RN/BSN - April 25 at 09:42 AM

JB

Nancy, thank you so much for the inspirational words about my mom Naomi and her passion for nursing. As a Mother she was the same way me and my other siblings.

Would it be ok to share your comments with or without your name on a fundraising page Rekindled Nurse non profit in honor of Naomi. This non profit helps nurses dealing with burnout to heal them emotionally and help them stay in the nursing profession

James Bryson - May 20 at 09:48 PM

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“ *To Barry and the family, from Craig and Linda:*

Barry, so sorry to read in the paper about the loss of Naomi. As friends at work it was so nice to get to know the rest of your family and visit in your Bimini Dr. home. It was always a great visit to exchange keys for OCNJ, knowing that you and Naomi could be there to celebrate! Our most heart felt condolences to you and the family. Best regards to you and the family.

Craig Coble - April 20 at 10:28 AM