



2004 HOF Speech

Jane Barbieri Presenter - Judy Wolstenholme

I had the joy of being one of Jane Diamond Barbieri's coaches along her journey.

Her maiden name was Diamond and she truly was a diamond. It is every coach's dream to have such an exceptional athlete, person and spirit all in one classy young lady. Her teammates loved her; not only for her pristine skills and pinpoint shooting, but her enthusiasm, influence and ability to blend as a great team member.

She was a joy to coach, absorbing every word I said. We were lucky to have her at West Chester, because after the advent of Title 9, a player like Jane would have been a scholarship athlete anywhere.

So, Jane, enjoy your moment in the sunshine tonight. You deserve it!

It is with respect and affection I present to you Jane Diamond Barbieri, the greatest attack player I ever coached.