



Mary Catherine "Mickey" Boughton

June 25, 2023

On June 25, 2023, Mary Catherine "Mickey" Boughton passed away peacefully at age 94 surrounded by her family after a brief illness.

Mickey was born and raised in Chicago and graduated from Barat College with her BA in Education.

She married the love of her life, Ace Boughton in 1949 and they remained together for 69 years. While raising her six children, she became a reading specialist and taught elementary students. She played golf until she was 90 and was an active member in both bridge and book clubs. She enjoyed completing Sudoku and the NYT Crossword Puzzle over coffee and spending time with her friends and family. Her Catholic faith was constant, and she found strength in it when challenged in life.

She is survived by her six children; Ann (Tom Davis); Gus Boughton (Genie); Ellen (Tom Fix); Joan (Henry Kleeman); Katie (Barry Burdiak) and Mary (Patrick Kinmartin) and her sister, Joan O'Brien. Mickey was loved by 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

In honoring Mickey's wishes, her Funeral Service and Internment will be held privately with family members.

A Celebration of Life Tea will be held at Tara Golf & Country Club on Sunday, July 23, 2023, from 1:00PM to 3:00PM.

In Mickey's honor, please consider donating to the Muscular Dystrophy Association. You can make a gift online at: mda.org/thankyou

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL **23**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Tara Golf & Country Club
6602 Drewrys Bluff
Bradenton, FL 34203

Tribute Wall

BZ

“ Mickey and I always wanted to be partners at bridge. I will miss playing with her.

Barbara Zimmerman - July 24, 2023 at 09:23 PM



“ What wonderful memories I have of Mickey! She was a caring neighbor, a great bridge player, a lover of a good read, an "opinionated" trivia partner, and fine golfer. I love remembering the fun we had with her in all these activities.

Sally Shuford

Sally Shuford - July 14, 2023 at 05:09 PM

LX

“ Love, From Cheryl and Brian Burdiak xx purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Mary Catherine "Mickey" Boughton.



Love, From Cheryl and Brian Burdiak xx - July 13, 2023 at 07:18 PM

MP

“ Mickey was such a special lady and great friend. Always smiling. A great loss to those of us who loved her. Rest in peace Mickey.
Marge

Margaret DAiuto Palacio - July 07, 2023 at 10:44 AM

KR

“ Mickey and I bonded quickly upon my arrival here three years ago. I loved running book club with her. She brought so much joy to reading. I am so happy we were able to play bingo together last month. You are sadly missed Mickey. I am happy you are with Ace.

Kim Randolph - July 03, 2023 at 01:18 PM

PV

“ To the family of Mickey - Mickey was a dear friend to me as well as your dad. Wonderful woman who I became acquainted with through the Niners and Book Club at Tara. She will now be reunited with her beloved Ace. Condolences from Patti Viani.

Patricia Viani - July 02, 2023 at 05:22 PM

MM

“ Mickey gave and lived her love of family, friends and faith to so many. She will be remembered for the avid golfer , super bridge player and a special lady with a special smile.. Now she rest in peace.

Marian Meyer

Marian Meyer - July 02, 2023 at 02:24 PM

KM

“ Wonderful, intelligent lady. So glad I got the opportunity to know and interact with her. She will be sadly missed.

kay mckernan - July 02, 2023 at 12:45 PM

NR

“ A beautiful lady! She was such a wonderful addition to lunches, bridge games, and book club discussions. She will be dearly missed.

Norma Reardon - July 02, 2023 at 08:54 AM

EF

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Ellen Fix - July 01, 2023 at 09:35 PM

KL

“ So very sorry for your loss. What an inspiration Mickey was, she never quit. At 94 she was so sharp, still had a great game of bridge. I hope to be able to keep going like she. She will be missed

karen lebarre - July 01, 2023 at 04:03 PM

SV

“ Mickey is my inspiration to be just like her! Her positive attitude was one reason I went and got my real estate license, I remember debating if I should and Mickey cocked her head to the side, and smiling as always “Why Not? No one is stopping you!” She said. Her spirit will always be with her kids who she adored! May she rest in peace with her Ace. 🙏 Sharon Viner

Sharon Viner - July 01, 2023 at 03:15 PM

MS

Mickey—a very special friend! Many wonderful memories of Mickey and Ace! Will miss her at our weekly bridge table at Tara! Mary Savage ❤️

Mary Savage - July 01, 2023 at 10:04 PM

BD

My friend Mickey, I am blessed to call her friend, will be missed by many. Our sadness at the loss of our friend is only overshadowed by the joy in heaven as Mickey and Ace reunite. Peace be with you my friend. Barbara DiPalma

barbara DiPalma - July 02, 2023 at 04:43 PM

SS

“*Mickey always had a smile on her face. I only played golf with her a few times but we always had a good time. She knew all the golf rules! She was a lovely lady and she will be dearly missed by many.*”

sue sackman - July 01, 2023 at 03:06 PM

JS

“*I played bridge with Mickey here at Tara We had great fun comparing how many grandchildren and great grandchildren we had. She will be missed greatly at our bridge table so sorry for your loss*” ❤️ *Jeanne Smith*

Jeanne Smith - July 01, 2023 at 02:52 PM

SC

“*Mickey was my mom, mentor and dear friend for 20 years. No more than 2 weeks after we moved in she invited me to join her Thursday Golf Group! She was a loving and loved lady, indeed!*”

Sandy Coffman - July 01, 2023 at 10:27 AM