



Mary Therese Culhane

January 14, 1940 - December 3, 2020

Mary Therese Culhane ("Micki" to her friends and family), 80 of Leesburg, Florida, passed away peacefully on Thursday, December 3, 2020.

Born January 14, 1940 in Jamaica, New York, she was the daughter of the late Stanley Lyman Trecartin and Katherine Veronica O'Brien Trecartin. Mary attended nursing school at Mary Immaculate Hospital in Queens, New York where she became a Registered Nurse. After working for many years in a hospital, Mary spent most of her nursing career in private schools in Garden City, New York where she was the school nurse.

Mary was an avid golfer, loved the beaches from Long Island, New York to Juno Beach, Florida and traveled often with her husband and family. Mary loved to decorate her home, shop and try out new recipes which resulted in delicious creations. If you ask her grandchildren, their favorite recipe would have to be the "Grandma Drink" which only Grandma knew the recipe for (it was grape soda and ginger ale but always special to the kids because Grandma made it with love.)

She is predeceased by her children, Mary Katherine and Daniel Matthew; her siblings Richard Trecartin, Stanley Trecartin, Katherine Poggis and Eleanor Saunders.

Mary is survived by her devoted husband of 58 years, David Wray Culhane; three sons, Michael W. Culhane and wife Amy of Longwood, FL, Steven T. Culhane and wife Karen of Lakeland, FL, David R. Culhane of Longwood, FL; five grandchildren, Chris, Liam, Katelyn, James and Kevin; brother, William Trecartin of Hilton Head Island, SC.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, December 9, 2020 at 11:00 AM at the Catholic Community of St. Paul, 1330 Sunshine Ave., Leesburg, FL 34748. Those who plan to attend are respectfully asked to wear a mask and follow CDC social distancing guidelines. The Mass may also be viewed via live stream by following the link below:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzX5qdcFANni8i_gNsJEU4A/live

Her family has entrusted her care to DeGusipe Funeral Home and Crematory, Maitland, FL 407-695-2273. Please visit Mary's Tribute Wall to share your memories.

Tribute Wall



“ Greg Polli purchased the *With Our Deepest Sympathy Gift Basket* for the family of Mary Therese Culhane.



Greg Polli - December 08, 2020 at 05:46 PM



“ Mrs Culhane always made me feel like her 4th son, she was amazing. When I think of her I think about family and love. I spent lots of quality time at their Hicksville home with Mike (late 70's/early 80's) and was always welcomed with open arms, even though she knew we were probably up to no good! One of my great memories will always be vacationing with the Culhane family at Sunnyhill Farms. Mrs C was the best, she helped us become who we are today.
Our prayers are with all of you.
Greg Polli

Greg Polli - December 08, 2020 at 05:32 PM

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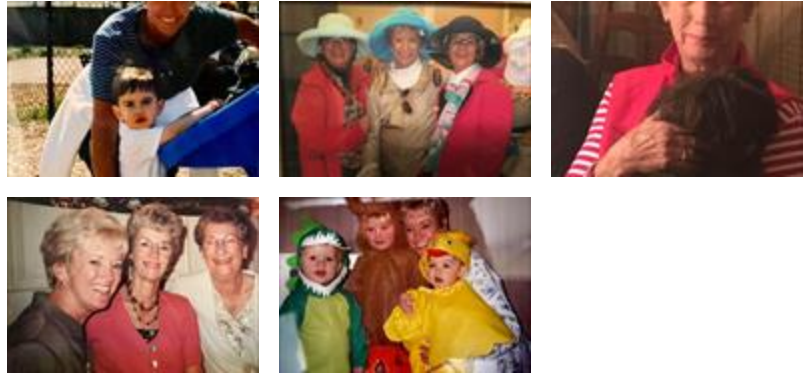
“ Mom used to tease the kids and tell them that when you held a bottle of Heinz ketchup around the number 57 on the label, the 57 would then know it was ok to release the ketchup. LOL!

She also told them that all of the animals at the zoo were drugged so you could take pictures with them :-)

Amy Culhane - December 07, 2020 at 08:36 PM

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“ 17 files added to the album Mary T. Culhane



Amy Culhane - December 07, 2020 at 08:26 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mary Therese Culhane.



December 07, 2020 at 07:40 PM



“ Kenneth Zorovich lit a candle in memory of Mary Therese Culhane



Kenneth Zorovich - December 07, 2020 at 07:17 PM



Thank you Kenneth & Amy

Karen Culhane - December 11, 2020 at 09:03 AM

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“ *Dave and family please accept our heart felt condolences. May the God of all comfort sustain each one of you during this difficult time. We certainly enjoyed knowing and playing golf with you and Nicki and will definitely miss her.*

Jim and Jan

Jim & Jan - December 06, 2020 at 09:28 PM