



Bridghet Rose Fisher

November 29, 1949 - January 8, 2021

Bridghet Rose Fisher, 71, of Bristol, VA passed away on Friday, January 8, 2021 in the Ballad Hospice House, Bristol, TN following an extended illness. She was born in Philadelphia, PA on November 29, 1949, a daughter of the late William J. Golden and Margaret Hester Mace Golden. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one brother, William J. Golden Jr.

Bridghet was a loving wife, mother, sister, grandmother and aunt. She spent most of her life living in Pennsylvania, spent the last twenty years living in Hawaii and had moved to the Bristol area just recently. She had many jobs throughout her life but the most notable ones was her service as a crossing guard for the Hawaii Police Department, and being the first female postal carrier in Langhorne, PA. Bridghet loved animals and spending time with her friends and family.

Bridghet is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, Robert A. Fisher Sr.; five sons, Robert A. Fisher Jr. and wife Rita of Churchville, PA, John Frederick Fisher and wife Kimberly of Levittown, PA, Paul William Fisher and fiance Guy of San Diego, CA, Patrick James Fisher of Philadelphia, PA, Christopher David Fisher and wife Taryn of Bristol, VA; three daughters, Tabetha Kimberly Ann Guindon and husband John of Warminster, PA, Heather Margaret Rose and fiance Carlos of Levittown, PA, Bridghet Elizabeth Sarah Fisher Donato of Dublin, OH; one sister, Margaret Hester Byrnes and husband Brian of Mishawaka, IN; fifteen grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. The family would like to express a special thank you to the nurses and staff of both Ballad Hospice House and Bristol Regional Medical Center for all the love and care shown to Bridghet the last few months.

"God, grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can, and wisdom to know the difference."

There are no services planned at this time. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made out to your own personal choice of a charity. Condolences for the

family may be sent and viewed by visiting <http://www.BlevinsCares.com>. Mrs. Fisher and her family are in the care of Blevins Funeral & Cremation Services, 417 Lee St., Bristol, VA 24201; ph.#: (276) 669-6141.

Comments



“Bridget Rose I miss you. So here I got tearing up again but I'm not going to do that I'm going to write. I miss our phone conversations. When I first would call you would seem a little gruff but then as we spoke it was just you and me and we just talked. I knew when I saw you last at Heathers home that I would never see you again. I just felt it in my bones. I hated that you lived so far away but I didn't see you enough when you lived in Feasterville. I think you got this out of order Bridget. I'm older and younger cousins aren't supposed to go first. I've started the last few morning without thinking about you as soon as I get out of bed. I remember the day you were born and now I remember the day that you died. I think of family things like having to go with Howard and Marge if they were taking Pam somewhere for the day. We were their plus one or plus two. But mostly I think of when you were little and you lived in Philly. I remember your dogs Topsy and Turby. I know when you moved up to Langhorne I felt like you moved to the moon. We didn't see each other much but I always knew that you were there. You helped me out in so many ways with Heather and Laurie. I'm supposed to be writing something to comfort your family and I'm not sure how comforting this is? We all just miss you being here and words don't help just time does. Those five years between us were bigger when we were younger but not as bad as the seventeen years between your mom and I. I think of our family get together from years ago and everybody is gone. I hope you are up there with your mom and Auntie Peg and my mom and dad and my Nana. It makes me feel a little better thinking of you that way. Save a place for me Bridghet. I'm not in any hurry to get there but I look forward to seeing you again when I do.

Sandy Hargrove - January 30 at 03:19 PM



“Hugs

Heather Fisher - February 05 at 08:39 AM



“ Things I remember about my Mom:

- * I was very sick with Ulcerative Colitis as a child and spent most of my childhood with doctors or getting procedures. My Mom was always in the room with a doctor for examinations so I didn't feel uncomfortable.
- * My mom had very long and healthy nails. She enjoyed filing her nails and painting them with nail polish - typically red.
- * She didn't enjoy cooking much and when my Dad traveled overseas for the military; my siblings and I have many stories of grapes & cottage cheese....needless to say, we didn't particularly like this dish
- * She didn't wear makeup except for lipstick, which was still pretty rare
- * She let me use her as an excuse when I didn't want to do certain activities with friends or felt bad when I didn't want to hang out with certain kids I felt were bad influences
- * Her love for animals allowed my siblings and I to see many litters of kittens born; many bunnies on our property; chickens, geese, dogs, birds, fish and probably many other pets that we had over our childhood. Many of my friends never experienced this many pets or animals.
- * I went to a college that allowed me to study abroad. I never thought I'd even get to go to college. My Mom supported me in this. When my Dad was in jeopardy of losing his job my freshman year of college, I went to my Mom about dropping out to save her money. She told me I was to finish college and she would figure out the finances. My experience abroad forever changed my life
- * She was very flexible even as she got older. She would show us how she could touch her toes and almost do a split even as the youngest of us got older and she was overweight.
- * My mom was very good with a budget and always allocated to various expenses for 8 kids. She showed me how to write a check and balance a checkbook.
- * My mom was proud of her Irish heritage and her unique spelling of her name. As her namesake, she's the ONLY other person I've met with the same spelling, even AFTER going to Ireland.
- * My mom made time for each of us kids and spent one-on-one time with us growing up. Sometimes she would make an excuse to go somewhere and only bring one of the kids to talk to them. This was her way of getting to know us. As I got older, I asked a lot about my Mom and why she did things. I didn't always agree with them, but I respected her growing up for all her effort.

My Mom brought many memories to all of us. And each of us could list different things we remember about her. Some were sad and some were happy. Some brought stability and others taught us not to repeat them. This is the life of any family. There are good, sad, happy, and bad memories. I'm so grateful that the last 6 months were in Virginia where we all got to spend some quality time with her before her passing. I'm grateful to have stories to share with my kids and they met the person behind them. I did love her even when our relationship was a challenge. -
Bridghet Elizabeth Sarah



“ 5 files added to the album Memories Album



Paul - January 12 at 02:25 PM



“ Things I remember:

Sock Day
the Golden Rule
Sitting in the back of the Suburban
Everybody UP UP UP
Her voice over the intercom
"these are Mom's weeds"
Foot and back massages
the red bathtub
laundry day for each of us
Karo
Chocolate covered cherries
Red Roses
Barbie, Betsy

PAUL FISHER - January 18 at 12:13 AM



“ Great memories :)

I still avoid the “Everybody UP UP UP” with my kids but I do tell them about it!

Bridghet Donato - January 23 at 10:02 AM



“ She loved luau's

Heather Fisher - January 12 at 12:51 PM



“ Yes, went to 2 with her & Dad!!!

Bridghet Donato - January 12 at 07:07 PM



“ I think I was just in the 10th grade when I came to the house in Feasterville. I remember walking through the front door and meeting Mr & Mrs Fisher for the first time. I remember thinking Tabetha was right- she loves the color red!! You all welcomed me in and we had some real good and fun times. I don't think you all know how much I loved being a part of the family.

I am praying you all find peace in your hearts and strength during this difficult time.

Love,
Diana

Diana Fleury Farides - January 12 at 11:34 AM



“ Marie Harris lit a candle in memory of Bridghet Rose Fisher



Marie Harris - January 11 at 12:10 PM



“ Thank you for thinking of her

Bridghet Donato - January 23 at 09:56 AM



“ Bridghet was my big sister.

Growing up we spent many nights sitting on our beds talking, crying, and just being big and little sisters.

Something I will never forget what happened when I was very sick with rheumatic fever. In an effort to lift my spirits, Bret promised we would play a game of "Crossword Cubes" every day when she came home from work, she kept that promise. She also never came home without something to brighten my day. Just a small package of cookies or crackers but it meant the world to a sick little girl.

I've kept that game in my closet all these years. Just seeing it brings back happy memories from that time in my life. Growing up she was the best big sister any little sister could wish for.

Alas, years and distance have a nasty habit of changing people. Despite all that, I will always love my big sister.

Well Bridghet, give Mommy, Daddy and even Billy a hug from me, I'll see y'all later.



Meg Byrnes - January 10 at 11:38 PM



“ Love you Aunt Meg...just beautiful :)

Bridghet Donato - January 12 at 11:26 AM



“ Great story Aunt Meg. Love you :)

Paul - January 12 at 02:03 PM



“ I remember the fun times we had in Neshaminy High School and going on double dates, going roller skating on a Friday night at the Mammoth Casino. I remember the times when we dyed each other's hair several different colors! I remember when you went camping with me and my family in the White Mountains in New Hampshire and we successfully hiked up Mt. Washington after several toiling hours, but we were young and could do it back then. I remember that we stood as bridesmaids for each other's wedding! We had some great times back then, but our busy families and distance kind of made us drift apart. Now we both have grown older and have our ailments, but God decided to take you first. It's very sad, but I have many wonderful memories of you from the times we were teenagers. My sincere condolences to Robert and your entire family. May God give you all strength. Praying for you and sending love. Mrs. Suzanne (Leach/Reif) Witwer Lancaster, Pa.

Mrs. Suzanne Witwer - January 10 at 11:31 PM



“ Aunt Suzanne - thank you :)

Paul - January 12 at 02:05 PM



“ We heard many stories about you growing up. Glad you and Aunt Meg are able to keep in touch!

Bridghet Donato - January 23 at 09:58 AM



“ One of Bridghets happiest moments feeding the giraffe



Robert - January 10 at 03:50 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Heather Fisher - January 10 at 12:39 PM



“ Judy Mers lit a candle in memory of Bridghet Rose Fisher



Judy Mers - January 10 at 10:43 AM



“ Dear Aunt Bridghet, thank you for all you've done. You have given me some of my most fondest moments as a child, and as a young man. As you know, growing up was a little tuff for me, but you as well as uncle Robert and my 8 wonderful cousins (who are more like brothers and sisters to me) have always accepted me as one of your own. You will be truly missed by all of us as well as Aunt Meg, who I know misses you so terribly at this moment. The only thing that keeps my head up, is knowing your with your family, more mom, Popeye, and of course your brother lol, and many more. I know you will continue to watch over all of us from the heavens above. I love you and I thank you for everything. . We will all be sure to keep an eye on Uncle Robert and let him know just the same.

Your Nephew,

Billy

william Golden - January 10 at 07:52 AM



“ You made me scrub the kitchen floor after throwing orange juice on me!!! 🤔. Love ya cuz!

Bridghet Donato - January 23 at 10:00 AM



“ She gave us the best memories any family could ask for...



Heather Fisher - January 09 at 07:30 PM