



Mary Ann Leary Boon

May 17, 1942 - June 11, 2018

Gloucester Point: Mary Ann Leary 'Molly' Boon, 76, passed away on June 11, 2018, at her home in Gloucester Point, Virginia, following a protracted illness. Born in Springfield, Massachusetts, the daughter of the late James Francis and Catherine Germain Leary, she attended Cathedral High School and later graduated from ELMS College in Chicopee, Massachusetts, to begin her love of teaching, first to elementary school students in Springfield and later to pre-school students at the Grace Episcopal Day School in Yorktown, Virginia. After retiring from teaching, she opened the Deja Vu consignment store on Main Street in Gloucester Village with fellow retired teacher and business partner, Virginia K. Lynch. A life-long Democrat, Molly took great pride in her civic duties, including grand jury service. In addition, she served for more than nineteen years as the first female appointed to the Gloucester Social Services Board. She also served as a volunteer with the Gloucester-Mathews Free Clinic. She made a positive difference in the lives of many of Gloucester's citizens, particularly those most vulnerable to the social problems within our society.

Molly was predeceased by her son Matthew Leary Boon. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Dr. John D. Boon, III, of Gloucester Point, her son and daughter-in-law, Drs. John D. Boon, IV and Catherine Clayton Boon, of Gainesville, Florida, and her two granddaughters, Mary Ashton Boon and Sarah Elizabeth Boon. She is further survived by seven of her nine brothers and sisters and many nieces and nephews.

The family would like to thank the wonderfully supportive CNA's who devotedly cared for Molly with special thanks to "Molly's Buddies", a group of extraordinary women who continued to support Molly and John through visits, meals, and outings; and the supportive and dedicated staff of the Riverside Walter Reed Hospice Program, 7358 Main St, Gloucester, VA 23061. Donations in Molly's memory may be made to either the Hospice Program or the Gloucester-Mathews Free Clinic, P. O. Box 385, Gloucester, VA 23061. The family will receive friends from 5 until 7 p.m. Saturday, June 16, 2018, at Hogg Funeral Home, Gloucester Point. A celebration of Molly's life is planned at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Hogg Funeral Home and Crematory, Gloucester Point. Please visit <http://www.hoggfh.com> to share condolences and memories.

Events

JUN Visitation 05:00PM - 07:00PM

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Hogg Funeral Home & Crematory

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Comments



“ Dear John and family, We are so sorry for your loss. The world has lost a beautiful person who had the ability to make us laugh, and often laugh at ourselves. We are sorry that we did not get to visit Molly lately but we both have to use walkers and have a hard time with walking any distance or navigating steps.

We are sure Molly is up there somewhere making the angels laugh and spreading cheer as she did here on earth. We thank God that He shared Molly with us and know she is now in a better place. Ann Quinn & Judy Allen

Ann Quinn/Judy Allen - June 20, 2018 at 10:36 AM



“ Once you've seen Molly Boon's big smiles and sparkling eyes, you know you've seen Love. We've sat in the Boon kitchen sharing stories and laughing. And we felt honored.

Molly, we shall close our eyes and see your Love always.
Helen and Sandy

Helen Quinby - June 15, 2018 at 01:07 PM



“ Sorry For Your Loss
Jesus Loves Me
You Are Special



Thomas & Libby Widgeon - June 13, 2018 at 06:42 AM