



Marie Bertha Nichols

October 30, 1933 - May 6, 2022

Marie B. Nichols, 88, of Venice, Florida passed away peacefully at her home May 6, 2022 with family by her side. Marie was born October 30, 1933 in Northfield, VT to Joseph and Grace Dukette. She was preceded by her brothers, Raymond Dukette (Inez) and Everette Dukette (Betty) of Vermont. She is survived by her brother Henry Dukette (Jean) of Northfield, VT.

Marie married Lawrence J. Nichols, Sr. of Cabot, VT. They dedicated their life to their 5 children. She managed a housekeeping staff at Howard Johnson, she worked at a nursing home where she managed a house keeping staff and at Merrill Lynch for many years. Lawrence preceded her on September 25, 2020. She is survived by 5 children: Lawrence J. Nichols and his wife Maria Nichols of Woburn, Mass., Barbara Riley of Sanford, Maine, Deborah Trask and Robert Trask of Sarasota, Florida, Janet Heffron and Brian Heffron of Moultonborough, NH, Paul Nichols and Laura Nichols of Burlington, Mass.

Marie has 12 Grandchildren and 23 Great grandchildren. She spent precious time with all of them at one time or another. They adored her and enjoyed her fun personality. She took the family fish trophy for the largest fish caught on Winnepesaukee Lake in New Hampshire this past summer for the second time. She had lots of friends in her many adventures when her husband and she retired, starting with winter trips to Arizona, Vermont and Florida. She loved a good laugh and always surrounded herself with friends that enjoyed

her joking. She could not enter a room without someone picking on her or her picking on them.

Marie and her husband spent many years in Bushnell, Florida. She loved her Florida community and friends. She participated in many activities and was quick to jump in and help in running them. Her quick smile and great sense of humor drew many to her. She was a die-hard Red Sox fan for many years and didn't miss very many games. Along with her love for family and friends Marie adored her pets. If you knew Marie, you knew Emmy, Amber and Sara.

Marie along with her husband will be buried in The Center Cemetery in Hardwick, VT this fall on a date to be determined.

Memorial donation suggestions can be made in Marie's name to the American Heart Association in lieu of flowers.

Tribute Wall

DK

“ ONLY KNEW MARIE FOR A SHORT WHILE BUT SHE WAS ONE OF MY FAVORITE PEOPLE. HER DAUGHTER JANET INTRODUCED US AND WE BEGAN GOING TO THE CRAFT GROUP TOGETHER. SHE, BONNIE, ELAINE AND I BECAME CLOSE OVER A SUMMER. WE HAD PLENTY OF LAUGHS AND SHARED LOTS OF STORIES

HER WIT WAS UNMATCHED AND I ALWAYS ENJOYED LAUGHING WITH HER. I WILL MISS THAT LITTLE LADY. RIP.MARIE YOU WERE SPECIAL

Dorothy Klenke - May 16, 2022 at 08:31 AM

EP

“ So happy that Don and I got to know your Mom💕 Hoping that your family has many great memories 😊

Erin Preston - May 12, 2022 at 09:05 PM



Thank you Erin. I'm glad she did too. You were both so good to her. I really appreciate your caring and making it fun for her.

Janet Heffron - May 13, 2022 at 08:41 PM

MD

I will always remember Aunt Marie for her sense of humor and kind heart. When I was a kid and got my first car, I took her for a ride on Dole Hill. It didn't seem to faze her when the car over heated and kept stalling. It was just an adventure!

Marie Dukette Danis - May 13, 2022 at 10:18 PM

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Laura Nichols - May 12, 2022 at 07:58 PM

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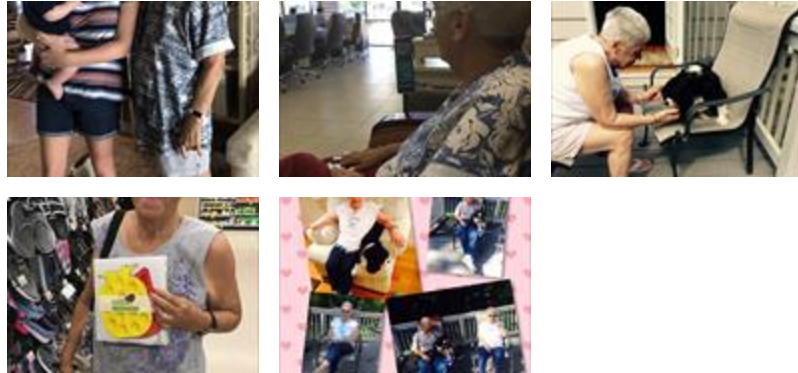
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Laura Nichols - May 12, 2022 at 07:55 PM



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Deb Tee - May 12, 2022 at 07:49 PM

LB

“ I loved listening to Marie and Matty banter back and forth. I felt like I knew her forever when we first met. She had a way of making you feel welcome. She will be missed.

Linda Breen - May 12, 2022 at 07:25 PM



She adored you guys right away. Matty told her he would drive to Florida and pick her up in a convertible. She kept bringing it up over and over again. I think she would have went! ❤️

Janet Heffron - May 13, 2022 at 08:47 PM



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Janet Heffron - May 12, 2022 at 06:59 PM



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