



Mary Jane Long

April 11, 1943 - May 29, 2024

Mary Jane “Bonnie” Long sadly passed away on Wednesday, May 29, 2024, at the Inova Fairfax Medical Campus in Virginia. She was born in Westminster, Maryland on April 11, 1943, to Weldon Bowers, Sr., and Ruth Bowers. Her husband, Ronald Harrison Long, died on June 3, 2023. After their first date in 1965, Bonnie told her mother that “she had just met the man she would marry.” She was right, they wed on a sunny June day and would have been celebrating their 59th anniversary this year. They later named their beautiful daughter Monica Sue, who tragically passed in 2003. Bonnie graduated 1961 from Westminster Senior High School and taught at Apple Tree Pre-School in Manassas, Virginia. Even after many years of retiring, her walls were still decorated with apple knick-knacks and certificates of accomplishment. She was also a dedicated member of the Park West Lions, volunteering countless hours for various events. Bonnie loved hamburgers, half-sweetened iced tea, Debbie Macomber novels, and Hallmark movies, and she was the most meticulous recycler you’d ever meet. She had also recently mastered drink Boomerangs. #BoomieswithBonnie

Bonnie is survived by seven siblings, Robert “Speedy” Bowers and his wife, Laura, Ruth “Tiny” Edwards, Linda “Twinkles” Nelson, John “Mickey” Bowers, Carroll “Skeeter” Bowers, Gene “Skip” Bowers, (yes, everyone in their family had nicknames,) and her grandchildren, Anna-Leigh, Garreth, Gracelyn, and Harrison Moore. She was preceded in death by her siblings, Weldon “Billy” Bowers, Timothy “Buck” Bowers, and Preston “Buster” Bowers. Funeral

services will be held on Monday, June 10, 2024, at Pierce Funeral Home in Manassas, Virginia with the viewing at noon, service at 1:00 pm, and funeral at 2:00 p

Cemetery Details

Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 10. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I just read this, not knowing Bonnie had passed.
Only the fondest memories of Bonnie at Apple Tree Pre-School.
Hard working, kind, loving, considerate, loyal and trust worthy.
Bonnie was one of a kind; she was selfless. Rest in peace, Bonnie
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Camille Filling - October 06, 2024 at 04:50 PM

TB

“ I had the pleasure of being Mary’s hairdresser since 2017. She was
a sweet lady who spoke loving and in great detail about her family,
past and present. It was an honor to have known her. My
condolences to her family.

Tina Bauch - September 23, 2024 at 04:28 PM

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“ Andrea Fravel purchased the Country Basket Blo
oms for the family of Mary Jane Long.



Andrea Fravel - June 08, 2024 at 04:27 PM

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“ Andrea Fravel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary Jane Long.

Andrea Fravel - June 08, 2024 at 04:27 PM

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“ *Lorraine Counihan lit a candle in memory of
Mary Jane Long* ”



Lorraine Counihan - June 06, 2024 at 02:54 PM