



## Barbara Ellen McElligott

December 22, 1934 - February 11, 2017

Barbara Ellen McElligott, 82, of Bonita Springs, passed away on Saturday, February 11, 2017. Formerly of East Setauket, LI, NY, she had been a resident of Southwest Florida since 1996. She was born December 22, 1934 in New York City, the daughter of George R. and Gertrude V. (McGuire) Hinckley.

Barbara was a graduate of Lenox Hill Nursing School, received her B.S. at Stony Brook University and went on to attain her M.S.W. at Adelphi University. After she retired as a school nurse from Hiawatha Elementary School, she began her second career as a therapist in private practice. Barbara was a devoted wife and mother who enjoyed taking care of her family. Her desire to travel was evident in the many trips she took overseas. She was also an avid reader and an active member of a book club. Her curiosity, generosity and sense of humor will be missed.

Mrs. McElligott is survived by her loving children, Denis (Susan) McElligott of Smithtown, LI, NY; Thomas (Jenny) McElligott, M.D. of Atlanta, GA; Robert (Margie) McElligott of Magnolia, DE and Jennifer (William) Dee of Syracuse, NY. She is also survived by her brothers and sisters, Ann (the late Buddy) Walsh of Deer Park, LI, NY; Walter (Patricia) Hinckley of Chapel Hill, NC; Virginia (the late John) Comiskey of Westerly, RI; Gerard (Marianne) Hinckley of Walnut Creek, CA and Clare (Robert) Kearns of Naples, FL. Barbara was also grandmother to five cherished grandchildren, T.J.; Michael; Molly; Rob and Vivienne. She was a beloved aunt of many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 43 years, Thomas J. McElligott in 2001; and by her sisters and brother, Dolores Stover, George Hinckley, Joan O'Neill and Grace Dowling.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:00 AM Monday March 6, 2017 at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, 5130 Rattlesnake-Hammock Rd., Naples. Inurnment will follow in the church columbarium.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to St. Matthew's House in Naples.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Peter the Apostle Columbarium

5130 Rattlesnake-Hammock Rd.  
Naples, FL 34112

# Previous Events

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church  
5130 Rattlesnake-Hammock Road  
Naples, FL 34113

# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Ellen McElligott*

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October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Take good care.*

*-Tracy Stivers*

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**Tracy Stivers** - October 23, 2020 at 10:50 AM



“ *I worked with Barbara at Hiawatha Elementary School for many years. She was a wonderful school nurse who had a beautiful smile which provided security and warmth to the children for whom she cared so much in our nurse's office. We also enjoyed many laughs in the faculty room during lunch or breaks.*

*I was very sorry to hear from Maureen Bigham that Barbara had passed away. You have my sincerest sympathy at this difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

*Mary Ann Lang*

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**Mary Ann Lang** - February 20, 2017 at 02:14 PM