



## Norma J. Stohler

July 30, 1928 - March 12, 2014

Norma J. Stohler  
Bonita Springs, FL

Norma Stohler died peacefully and at home on March 12th, 2014 with her loving family at her side. She was 85.

Norma was born July 30th, 1928 in New Castle, Indiana to the late Doris (Marlatt) and Eugene Brown of Hagerstown, IN. She graduated from Butler University in 1950 where she was a member of the Tri-Delta sorority. After graduation, she married her high school sweetheart and fellow Butler graduate L. Gene Stohler on June 18th, 1950.

Norma and Gene were married for over 63 years and lived in Bloomfield Hills, MI for the last 45. They have resided winter months in Bonita Springs for 20 years and are blessed to have made many dear and cherished friends across the country.

Norma was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother who loved her family and the happiness and smiles they brought her. She is survived by her husband Gene, and her two daughters - Catherine and her husband Rick Beer, and Shelley and her husband Bill Risma. Norma was preceded in death by her son Mark, who passed in 2009. She is also survived

by her brother Dick Brown and his wife, Gerri, and her brother Max Brown and his wife, Lennie. Norma was blessed with four adoring grandchildren - Mia, Justin and his wife Kayla, Tyler and his wife Katie Jo, and Cameron and his wife Alythea, as well as five beloved great grandchildren - Nolan, Mark, Kate, Parker and Penelope.

Norma was a passionate golfer and active member of Orchard Lake Country Club (Orchard Lake, MI) and Bonita Bay Country Club in Bonita Springs, Florida. She loved competitive sports and was a passionate player and partner in all her pursuits. Among her many proud accomplishments was posting not one, but two 'Hole In Ones' at OLCC, much to her husband's chagrin. But perhaps her greatest love over the years was her daily runs, and later walks with a beloved dog. Her loss will be deeply felt by her golden retriever, Clover.

Norma was loved for her quick wit, crazy antics and contagious sense of humor. She loved using her artistic abilities to draft creative verse for friends, draw cartoon caricatures and oil paint. Norma never failed to make you smile whether on the fairway, tennis court, or among pals. She was a dear friend to many, and will be missed by all those that knew her.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association of Greater Michigan, 25200 Telegraph Road, Suite 100, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48033 or online at [www.alz.org/gmc](http://www.alz.org/gmc).

A memorial service in celebration of her life will be held in Bloomfield Hills, MI at a date to be announced in the near future.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Norma J. Stohler*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *I was very fortunate to have had the pleasure of being Norma's daily companion these last two years. She always had such a pleasant smile, sense of humor and the best hugs to give. I miss seeing her every day as well as Gene and Clover whether it was in Michigan or Florida but they gave me the gift of hanging out with them and all the fun we had together! Thank you for the wonderful memories and my sincerest sympathies to the entire family as I know how difficult and unexpected her passing was. With love and respect,*

*Mary Quarles*

**Mary Quarles** - March 27, 2014 at 11:20 AM



“ *Many years have past but I fondly remember Norma's laugh, creativity and kindness. My sympathies are with the entire family during this difficult time.*

**Ralph Senst** - March 18, 2014 at 06:48 PM



“ *Peg and I are deeply saddened to learn of your loss of Norma. She was such a wonderful person and we had so many great times.*

*Peg and Tom Walbridge*

**Peg & Tom Walbridge** - March 18, 2014 at 04:25 PM



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“ We have fond memories of our Mascotech and wild game dinners. Norma was the perfect hostess and had a knack for making everyone feel welcome and comfortable. Norma and Gene were a great team and earned the respect and affection of entire Automotive Industry. Mike and Kathy OBrien

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**Mike and Kathy OBrien** - March 18, 2014 at 03:13 PM

JD

“ Always full of life, kind to everyone.

*We will be missed,*

*Jane and John Doddridge*

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**Jane Doddridge** - March 18, 2014 at 01:07 PM

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“ I will always remember the wonderful morning walks that I shared with Norma and Clover. Her smiling face and sweet personality started off each day in the best way. Since we have moved to CA I have missed her but will always remember her. Rest in peace. Carol Roberts

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**carol roberts** - March 18, 2014 at 10:00 AM