



## Susan Michelle (Bentley) Mullikin

September 18, 1960 - October 2, 2021

Susan Michelle (Bentley) Mullikin, 61, of Bonita Springs, Florida formerly of Hummelstown, Pennsylvania passed away on Saturday October 2, 2021 at her residence.

She was born September 18, 1960 in Knoxville, Tennessee. Predeceased in death by her mother, the late Mary Sue Bentley (Sharp), and her husband J. Michael Mullikin.

Michelle is survived by her loving father, William Roy Bentley, sister Donna Bentley-Petty (Stephen); nieces Bentley Petty, and Aynsley Petty; bonus children Christopher Mullikin (Asia) Michelle Cottingham (Jason) and Aimee Scullin (Bill); grandchildren: Johnathon Cottingham, Brianna Cottingham, Liam Scullin, Raegan Scullin, Kuhio Mullikin and Amara Mullikin; bonus mother Peachy Wagner Staley (Alwyn).

Michelle received her BS from University of Tennessee and had a long career with the Hershey Company holding various leadership positions. She served on the board of the Kidney Foundation of Central Pennsylvania and was an advocate for transplant recipients. She enjoyed spending time with family, friends, attending sporting events and golfing. Her greatest success was her love of family and friends. Michelle was a member of Vasari Country Club in Bonita Springs, FL and the Hershey Country Club.

A family gathering with close friends will be held Monday, October 4, 2021 at 11:00 A.M. at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

A graveside service will be held at a later date at the South Lebanon Community Church Cemetery in Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

In lieu of flowers please consider memorial contributions be made to The Kidney Foundation of Central Pennsylvania, Grace United Methodist Church Hummelstown, Pennsylvania, or the American Cancer Society, Inc. Fort Myers Chapter.

To sign Susan's guest book or to leave online condolences, please visit [www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com](http://www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com)

Florida arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home & Crematory Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.

Pennsylvania arrangements are being handled by Hoover Funeral Homes and Crematory, Inc.

Send condolences via the online guest book at [www.hooverfuneralhome.com](http://www.hooverfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Family Greeting

OCT 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Susan Michelle (Bentley) Mullikin*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Michelle was a very sweet wonderful person. She will be missed by all.*

**Janet Lovett** - October 11, 2021 at 07:36 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Nancy Sherman** - October 06, 2021 at 05:11 PM

JL

“Michelle had an extraordinary impact on countless people throughout her life and will be remembered by all those who knew her.

*The Kidney Foundation of Central Pennsylvania will miss her leadership, vision, dedication, and wisdom. We treasure the many fond memories that we experienced with Michelle as she served on our executive board, was a valued mentor with our Patient and Family Partner Program, and chaired for many years our Kidney Classic golf tournament.*

*The Board of Directors, staff and volunteers send our love and sincere condolences to the family.*

*Sincerely,*

*The Kidney Foundation of Central PA*

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**Joan Line** - October 06, 2021 at 04:57 PM

KK

“Mrs. Mullikin was beautiful inside and out. She was such a brave and strong woman. She will be greatly missed by her Vasari family. Rest In Peace and fly high with the angels



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**Kim Kauffman** - October 06, 2021 at 09:27 AM

PS

“Michelle touched so many people with her kindness, her beautiful smile and her desire to enjoy every minute that God gave her. She will be MISSED. Love ya Girl!  
*Patti & Roger Swierbut*

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**Patti & Roger Swierbut** - October 06, 2021 at 09:24 AM

DD

“Michelle was so kind and loving to everyone - she opened her arms to our family like she knew us for decades. We will miss her smile, hugs, and back and forth about Tennessee vs UF. What a special lady ❤️

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**Danielle Downs** - October 04, 2021 at 04:38 PM

BC

“Michelle was a long time friend to many here in Indianapolis....All her girlfriends here remember her big Tennessee smile and accent....her love of Golf and her kitties ! She fought this dreaded disease for so many years but I never heard her complain even once. She accepted this as her battle to bear and was always ready for the next party or golf game ! She will be greatly missed by myself and so many others . I pray she is with her mother, Mike and all the kitties that went before her ! ( CC, Blizzard ) We love you Michelle, you can rest now .

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**Becky Clifton** - October 04, 2021 at 11:49 AM

SD

“Lots of fun memories from traveling to Italy for a cooking class, meeting up in London for drinks, or being neighbors in Hummelstown. I still have our group photo from Italy where I look at it daily reminding me that good friends food and wine are a great combination.

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**scott dickinson** - October 04, 2021 at 10:40 AM

PW

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Pamela Wiedeman - October 04, 2021 at 09:47 AM

BC

“ Michelle was a dear friend to many people here in Indianapolis. She was always ready for the next party or golf game and I never heard her complain once about this vicious disease that fought her for so many years. She will be greatly missed by all !

Becky Clifton - October 04, 2021 at 09:46 AM

PM

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Pauline Mulcahy - October 04, 2021 at 08:54 AM

KU

“ Michelle was a beautiful gal ...so brave with so much spirit..she will be missed by all her many friends❤️

karen uebelhart - October 03, 2021 at 07:02 PM

KU

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**karen uebelhart** - October 03, 2021 at 06:56 PM

DN

“ *Our Dearest Michelle. We will always cherish and never forget the wonderful memories we have made. We will miss you always and love you forever. Love, Dianne and Rich.*



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**Dianne Nespoli** - October 03, 2021 at 05:43 PM

RZ

“ *Michelle possessed the fiercest spirit & zest for live of anyone that I have known. She fought valiantly to survive a most vicious attacker and held her own for many years against all odds. May she rest in peace & grace. We will always cherish the priceless memories that we have of Michelle & Michael.*

*Love to the Bentley & Mullikin Family , Ro & Sandy Zdrojewski*

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**Rosemarie Zdrojewski** - October 03, 2021 at 05:34 PM

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**mary lennox** - October 03, 2021 at 04:44 PM

MC

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**Mary Cornies** - October 03, 2021 at 02:53 PM

MC

“ We are so very saddened by Michelle's passing....she was a beautiful soul with a heart of gold...we were lucky to call her our friend...she will be missed dearly and remembered always ...rest in peace Warrior Princess!...love you!

*Please accept our deepest condolences  
Sincerely, Mary & Grant Cornies*

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**Mary Cornies** - October 03, 2021 at 02:51 PM