



# **Madeline T. Rodriguez**

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**M**adeline Theresa Brown Rodriguez, beloved wife, mother, and grandmother, fell softly into God's waiting arms on Friday, February 24th. Her years of pain would be no more and she is now able to reunite with her beloved husband in heaven. "Madge", as she was lovingly called by her many friends, was born September 20th, 1932, in Roaring Spring, PA, the daughter of Palmer Brown and Mabel Miller Brown of Roaring Spring, PA. Madge graduated from Hollidaysburg High School in PA in 1949 before marrying William Ceasor Rodriguez of Hollidaysburg, PA on July 18, 1953. The two of them lived in Memphis, TN where they raised four sons. She was a member of Underwood United Methodist Church in Memphis and was very active in the Jackson Doll Club as her collection of dolls was special to her. After her husband Bill's retirement, the two moved to Bells, TN where they became members of Forest Heights United Methodist church in Jackson. She lived out her life spoiling her ten grandchildren rotten, teaching them how to bake, walk outside barefooted in the grass, the joys of shopping, and sharing stories about the family growing up. Bill was her only love and they were able to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary in 2015 with all of their children, grandchildren and faithful friends. Their four wonderful sons are, William III (Karleen), Randall (Beth), Bret (Lisa), and Brooke (Suzanne) and they have ten very special grandchildren, Christina, William, Daniel, Amanda, Rachel, Alexander, Nathaniel, Isabel, Brooke and Colin. Madge is predeceased in death by her parents, sister Joanne, and husband Bill. She also leaves to cherish her memory sister Joyce (Jack) Yingling of Claysburg, PA; brothers Palmer (Carolyn) Brown Jr. of Duncansville, PA; and Daniel (Linda) Brown of Duncansville, PA. Her faithful caregivers, Cindy Roe and Deborah Evans, were always there for her and will miss her dearly. She was a "mother" and "grandmother" to many, always treating everyone as family. Madge loved her family with all her heart. We will miss her jovial laugh when she was telling a funny story and the tight



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hugs we all got each and every time we visited. The family will receive friends from 12:00 noon until service time at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, March 2 at Memorial Park Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to St Jude Research Hospital in Memphis Tennessee in the memory of Madeline T Rodriguez. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5668 Poplar Ave., Memphis TN 38119 (901) 767-8930. "Celebrating Life....Behind the Stone Wall."



## Tribute Wall

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DE

**Deborah Evans** posted:

Deborah Evans purchased the Believe Digital Music Box for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

May 19 at 11:22 AM

DE

**Deborah Evans** posted:

She and your family will be embedded in my heart forever. She was deeply loved by us that made contact with her and Mr Bill.the times we shared I knew she loved Cindy and myself very much and we her as well.

May 19 at 10:12 AM

BM

**Bridgette Moore** posted:

Randy thank you so much for that.I love/loved her SOOO MUCH. I'm having a hard time right but I know she would not want me to be sad. I pray God comfort you all today and many days after.  
Bridge

March 2 at 1:40 PM

RP

**Rick Pope** posted:

The Pope Families would like to send our deepest sympathy to our cousins on the passing of Aunt Badge. We all cherish the memories of our visits at Gram Brown's. We hope you will find comfort in your own memories you made as a family. We all loved her very much and will miss her. Please know you are all in our thoughts & prayers. We have made a donation to St. Jude's in Aunt Badge's name.With much Sympathy & Love to all of you,Dave & Sharon Pope, Debbie & Steve Patterson, Steve &Eva Pope, Rick & Lisa Pope& Families

March 1 at 1:30 PM

MP

**Memorial Park** posted:

Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

March 1 at 1:00 PM



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RR

**Randall Rodriguez** posted:

Bridgette, my mother depended on your care and true friendship more than you know. We were fortunate to have you as one of the care givers and hope that you and your daughter are blessed with many lasting good times. Randy Rodriguez

March 1 at 6:23 AM

MB

**Miko, Ana And The Boys** posted:

Miko, Ana and the boys purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

March 1 at 6:18 AM

AD

**Ann Delise** posted:

Sending lots of love and positivity to the entire family throughout this difficult time!

February 28 at 1:26 PM

AS

**Armed Forces Medical Examiner System** posted:

Armed Forces Medical Examiner System purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

February 28 at 7:58 AM

BF

**Bridgette Moore/Caregiver/Friend** posted:

Bridgette Moore/Caregiver/Friend purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

February 27 at 12:57 PM



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BM

**Bridgette Moore** posted:

My deepest sympathy goes out to The Rodriguez Family. Thank you for allowing me to take part in caring for Ms.Madge.She taught me a lot and I will cherish them a lifetime. I was honored when she told as the years went by that we were best friends.I'm gonna miss us telling each other I Love You, but one thing for sure wenough knew our love was real. Rest In Peace My Elderbabies. Love, Bridgette Moore/Comfort Keepers

February 27 at 11:26 AM

MP

**Memorial Park** posted:

Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Madeline T. Rodriguez.

February 27 at 10:00 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Madeline by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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