



Margaret "Peggy" Ann Buchwald

July 26, 1944 - April 4, 2025

Margaret "Peggy" Ann Buchwald, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, aunt and friend, died peacefully surrounded by her husband and children on April 4, 2025, in Jupiter, Florida, at the age of 80, following 35 years of residence at Jupiter Cove Condominium.

Peggy was born on July 26, 1944, in Elmira, New York. She was the devoted wife of Bucky Buchwald, the love of her life, with whom she shared a lifetime of adventures, laughter, and unwavering partnership. Together, they raised two children, Bob Buchwald and Meg Grebe, and were blessed with four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, all of whom brought her immense joy and pride.

Peggy earned her bachelor's degree from New Mexico State University and went on to receive her master's degree from the University of Southern California. She dedicated 33 years of her life to education, passionately teaching English to middle and high school students. Her love of literature, sharp wit, and deep care for her students left a lasting impact on countless young lives.

As the wife of an army officer, Peggy embraced a life of travel and discovery, living in various places across the United States, as well as in Germany and South Korea. Her spirit of adventure and zest for life grounded in her

knowledge of literature and love of family was only matched by her planning and meticulous preparation...whether going on a cruise, a cross country road trip or a family vacation in Cocoa Beach or Seneca Falls. No matter where she called home, she brought warmth, grace and a deep sense of community to those around her.

Peggy was a voracious reader, a fierce bridge player, and a high school cheerleader at Mynderse Academy, an early glimpse of the energy and spirit she carried throughout her life. She had a remarkable gift for giving, always finding the perfect present and wrapping it with care. Her thoughtfulness and generosity knew no bounds. Peggy was deeply loved for her kindness, sense of humor, wisdom, and her boundless heart. She leaves behind a legacy of love and a family who will forever cherish her memory.

Peggy is survived by her loving husband, Clarence "Bucky" Buchwald Jr., son, Clarence "Bucky" Buchwald III, and his wife, Maria Dee-Buchwald, daughter, Margaret "Meg" Grebe and her husband Carl Grebe, In-laws, Sarah and Frank Vergamini and Jon and Debbie Buchwald, grandchildren, Courtney Buchwald-Schoots, Carey Buchwald, Catie Grebe-Cushatt and Jon Grebe.

Peggy is predeceased by her parents, Margaret Fox Husband and Malcolm Fay Hawxhurst, brother, Malcolm "Pete" Fay Hawxhurst and her In-laws Clarence "Bucky" Buchwald Sr. and Helen Hadley Buchwald.

No service is planned at this time. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Peggy Buchwald's Memory to Tunnel to Towers Foundation, <https://t2t.org>.

Tribute Wall

MM

“Peggy, you will truly be missed by many. It was truly an honor to work with you. I will always remember your kindness and pride for your children and grandchildren. You had such a very special heart.

Monica McKenna - April 14, 2025 at 11:31 AM

PK

“When Jon and I were inseparable friends in high school, and Peg and Bob were at Bucks Tavern, she always treated me as family. I'll miss her hugs.

Paul Kronenwetter - April 10, 2025 at 11:51 AM

GM

“Bob, She impressed me very much in my encounters at MA and at reunions as bright, a dedicated teacher, a devoted mom, and completely in love with you. I'm sorry for your loss. Garry Mount

Garry Mount - April 09, 2025 at 04:54 PM

BB

“Peggy and Bucky were introduced to us by a dear friend. We immediately bonded with them and became close friends. This friendship has continued throughout the past 35 years. The trips, parties and times together will be remembered for the rest of our lives! I was fortunate for knowing Peggy professionally as well as socially. She was a teacher in the true sense of the word. Schools would not be in the condition they are today if there were more teachers like Peggy Buchwald. She was what was referred to as a Star Teacher! The positive influence she had on so many boys and girls will go far into the future. She was an extraordinary teacher, extraordinary friend and an extraordinary person! She will be missed. Love and condolences to her family,
Bud and Bonnie Moore

Bud and Bonnie - April 09, 2025 at 04:00 PM

GE

“I first met Peggy the summer before we both started kindergarten in Seneca Falls, NY. Her mom and my dad worked closely together at the Sylvania plant. She was a very popular and active person all the way through our high school years. My deepest condolences to Bob and all the Buchwald family.

Gary Evans

Gary Evans - April 08, 2025 at 02:31 PM

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Art - April 08, 2025 at 03:03 PM

ME

I too remember the Hawxhurst family. I worked with Peggy's brother when we were in high school, and one summer, I painted their house I think maybe on Clinton Street. My dad and Peggy's mom worked closely together at Sylvania and Dad had the most respect for Margaret. I also knew Bob, his parents, and his sister, Sarah. My condolences to you all.

Michael Evans in NH Class of 1960.

Michael Evans - April 09, 2025 at 01:32 PM

RN

“*Peggy will be missed by all who knew her or who had any contact with her. You could not help but admire her strong will, love of teaching, and unending curiosity. I met Peggy in the early 70's at Ft. Lee, Virginia where Bucky was best friends with my brother... Their close relationship has lasted a lifetime and through that relationship I was able to get to know both Peggy and Bucky. Love of country and family epitomized their relationship, and through the years it was always a joy to see them, catch up and chat about life and all things in general. I was consistently amazed at Peggy's positive, upbeat attitude and a love for everything she did. Losing a friend is never easy, but remembering a lady with the grace and character of a Peggy Buchwald will be easy. Pat and I send our sincere condolences to you, Bucky and the entire Buchwald family. There is no doubt this lady is resting easily knowing she had a life well lived.
RIP*

Robert (Bruv) Nash - April 08, 2025 at 01:12 PM