



Mary Barabas Vitale

August 17, 1928 - October 4, 2018

Mary Barabas Vitale died peacefully in her home on October 4, 2018 at the age of 90. She was born August 17, 1928 in McKeesport, PA to Andrew and Theresa (Karanich) Barabas. She was raised on a farm with her siblings; Andrew, John, Steve, Paul, Joseph, Elizabeth, Barbara, Theresa, and Juliann who all preceded her in death. Her first job was within the family business as a secretary at Castro Convertible. She met Alfred Vitale on a blind date and married in 1959. They welcomed a daughter Maria (Mia) in 1966. They travelled from Pittsford, New York to Northbrook, Illinois, then finally settling in Fort Lauderdale, Florida in 1971. Mary's husband was the Chief Financial Officer for STP. They moved from Fort Lauderdale to Jupiter, Florida in 1987. Mary was an avid golfer, winning multiple club championships in both Illinois and Florida. Mary is a devote Roman Catholic and a current member of St. Jude's Catholic Church in Jupiter. Mary lost her husband of 53 years in 2012. She was a loving grandmother of 2 - Brian (20) and Kristin (16). A memorial service will take place on Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at 10:00 AM at St. Jude Catholic Church, 204 US-1, Tequesta, Florida (561) 746-7974. She will be laid to rest on Thursday, October 11, 2018 at 11:30 AM in St. Peter's Cemetery in Danbury, Connecticut.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter Cemetery

Danbury, CT

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **9**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Jude Catholic Church
204 US Hwy. #1
Tequesta, FL 33469

Interment

OCT **11**. 11:30 AM.

St. Peter Cemetery
Danbury, CT

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Barabas Vitale*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *I would like to express my thoughts and prayers are with the Vitale family at this time.
Mary was wonderful to be around, always a smile on her face, and I loved playing golf with her.
Funny sense of humor, and will be sorely missed by all. Lived a full life, a caring family which she adored, and my memories will always be fond of her 😊*

*Bill Davis
PGA Professional
Jupiter Hills-26 yrs*

Bill Davis - October 07, 2018 at 11:59 AM