



Bridget Browne

September 16, 1937 - January 20, 2021

Bridget 'Bridie' Browne, 83 of Manalapan, New Jersey passed away on Wednesday, January 20, 2021, at Care One Center in Wall.

Born Thursday, September 16, 1937, in the small community of Carrownakilly, in Ballinrobe, County Mayo, Ireland, Bridie was the daughter of the late Thomas and Nora Horan.

Raised in Carrownakilly, Bridie graduated from high school and would marry the love of her life, Martin Browne. Together, they started their life in London, England where they were married on February 15, 1957. The couple would then start their family in London before immigrating to the United States in 1960. The family would live in Queens, NY and Jersey City, NJ, before settling in Manalapan in 1985. Bridie was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She loved spending time with her children and grandchildren, and never missed an opportunity to be at a grandchild's sporting event.

Bridie was predeceased by her beloved son Martin and grandson Christopher.

Bridie is survived by her beloved husband of 63 years, Martin, by her loving children, Joseph and wife Leslie, Kathleen Donato and husband Stephen, and Mary Zamarra and husband Joseph, by her caring sister Nora Heaphy, by her cherished grandchildren, Tarrah, Joseph, Stephen, Victoria, Lauren, and

Anthony, and by her great grandson Liam.

A private Funeral Mass will be celebrated, in memory of Bridie. Please remember to keep her and her family in your prayers.

Entombment will take place at St. Gabriel's Cemetery, Marlboro, NJ.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.HegartyScaliaFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Saint Gabriels Cemetery

549 County Road 520
Marlboro, NJ 07746

Tribute Wall



“ *Bridget Browne*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Our deepest condolences to my brother Martin, his family, Mary, Kathy and Joseph and their families on the sad passing of a dear sister-in-law Bridie.*

We remember fondly the many times our families got together when they came home annually to Mayo over her lifetime. The most precious time we got to spend with Marty and Bridie was on the occasion of the sad events of 9/11 and they were not able to fly home. We were delighted to be able to have them stay with us and it was probably the longest time we got to enjoy their company on trips to Connemara, Co Clare and around Galway. We had many laughs and we treasure these memories now in our grieving. We never got to visit her and Marty in the States despite the many warm, persistent invites over the years.

We trust and pray that God will keep you strong during your bereavement and that the warm memories of Bridie and the caring person she was will comfort you during this lonely time without her. You are in our thoughts and prayers. May her gentle soul rest in eternal peace.

Thomas J. and Eileen Browne, Galway.

Thomas J. Browne - January 28, 2021 at 09:31 AM

SC

“ *Deepest Sympathy to Martin, the Browne and Horan families on the death of Birdie,
May she Rest In Peace.
Sean Conroy & Breda Sheridan, Ballinrobe/Castlebar .*

Sean Conroy - January 26, 2021 at 08:41 AM

PC

“ *Sincere sympathies to Marty, Joseph, Kathy, Mary, and all the extended Browne family in New Jersey and Ireland, on Bridie's sad passing.
When we visited Bridie many years ago in New Jersey
She was so kind and hospitable to us.
We are with you all in our thoughts and prayers.
May Bridie's gentle soul rest in peace.
Amen.
Phil Browne Chambers and Frank Chambers, Newport, Ireland.*

Phil & Frank Chambers - January 26, 2021 at 08:40 AM

LC

“ *Our deepest sympathies to Uncle Marty and Cousins Joseph, Kathy and Mary and their families. I was so very sad to hear about Auntie Bridie. Bridie had a heart of gold. I remember my holiday in America in 1986, when she and her family gave me a great holiday. She made the journey to England with Uncle Marty and Cousin Martin for our wedding and many the holidays in Ireland when she visited the Browne families. But most of all when my father Frank entrusted my brother to Aunty Bridie's care when our mother was so very ill. She was a very special person. May she rest in God's peace and our dearest love Liz, Paul and family (Cockerton)*

Liz Cockerton - January 23, 2021 at 05:59 PM

SF

“ Our deepest sympathy to Marty, Joseph, Kathy, Mary and all your families on your great loss.
Bridie opened her heart and her home to us all on our many visits to N.J. She left no stone unturned to make our stays enjoyable and memorable.
Bridie loved Ireland and booking a trip home was always top of her agenda. They never failed to come for weddings and family occasions, adding greatly to the events. Bridie was kind, caring, generous and hardworking; a wonderful sister in-law. I have no doubt she is now reaping the rewards of her well spent life. " Í nGairdín na nAingil go gcastar sinn."
Always in our prayers, forever in our hearts.
Seán & Kathleen + family.

Seán & Kathleen + family - January 23, 2021 at 07:15 AM

AW

“ To Marty, Joseph, Kathy, Mary and family, our condolences on Brides passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. We remember her kindness, generosity and her fun nature on her many visits to The Neale and the warm welcomes we received in New Jersey. May Bridie rest in peace. Elizabeth, Seamus and family.

Amanda Walsh - January 23, 2021 at 04:24 AM

DB

“ We worked with Bridie for 18 years. She was one of the hardest working, kindest and caring women you would ever meet. The love she had for her family was undeniable. May her memory be a blessing. Rest In Peace Dear Bridie.

Marsha and David Bloomberg

David & Marsha Bloomberg - January 22, 2021 at 11:53 PM

JH

“ To Marty, Joseph, Kathy, Mary and all of your beloved families on Bridies passing. We have very fond memories of Bridies generosity, spirit and energy in life and ever welcoming hospitality during our time with you all New Jersey that remains always in our hearts. You are all in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time. May she rest in peace. John, Shirley & family

John & Shirley Hackett - January 22, 2021 at 06:03 PM

CE

“ Auntie Bridie to me I feel was my second mother. My dad entrusted her to care for when I was very young when my mother was ill in hospital.

She will always have a special place in my heart, my fondest memories were her great big Irish welcomes be it in Ireland, England and the US. She was very kind, caring and generous and with a great big heart. I am saddened to hear about Auntie's passing.



Ni maith liom do thrioblod
At adheis De go raibh a hanam

Chritopher and Assumpta Emary - January 22, 2021 at 04:44 PM

BH

“ To Marty, Joseph, Cathy and Mary we send our sincerest sympathy. A life ending hurts now but the relationship never ends. We cherish the memories we have of Bridie. We remember her in our prayers. Teresa, Brendan & John

Brendan Hackett - January 22, 2021 at 04:05 PM

CB

“ *Deepest condolences to all of you on Bridie's passing. We all have great memories of Bridie throughout the years from annual visits to Innishcogue & meetings at the Ballinrobe races. In more recent years we have great memories of Bridie and Marty flying back to Ireland for family weddings. May Bridie rest in peace.*
The Browne's (Innishcogue)

Carmel Browne - January 22, 2021 at 03:36 PM

CB

“ *To Marty, Joseph, Kathy, Mary and extended family. Sending our sincerest sympathies and condolences to you all. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.*
May Bridie's gentle soul rest in peace.
Richie, Colette, Sarah and Caimin,
Kilkenny
Ireland.

Colette Browne - January 22, 2021 at 03:11 PM

MC

“ *Mr Browne, Kathleen, Mary and Joe, as well as the entire Browne family.*
My condolences to you all for Mrs Brownes passing. Its been awhile but the memory of her for me will forever be what a warm and welcoming woman she was. Each and every time I had the pleasure of being in her company, it was as if we had just seen her. She couldn't be nicer in every setting.
May she rest in peace. She is resting after a great life and difficult battle.
God bless her and all of you.

Mike Connors - January 22, 2021 at 12:00 PM

MM

“ Aunt Bridie was a wonderful sister to our mother. We will always remember her kindness and her great sense of humor. She will be missed by all! Our deepest sympathy to Uncle Martin, her children and grandchildren.

Love from her nieces Kathleen and Mary

Mary Morrin - January 22, 2021 at 11:57 AM

FL

“ Our deepest condolences on the very sad passing of Aunt Bridie. We are thinking of you Uncle Marty, Joseph. Kathy, Mary and your families at this distressing time. I have so many fond memories of Aunt Bridie on the many visits to the Neale, Mayo and Galway during my childhood. We usually met at weddings, which was always a great backdrop of happiness and occasion to be together. It is in stark contrast with today and you all are very much in our thoughts and prayers and trust God will support you in your grief as you lay her gentle soul to rest on Saturday. Go dtuga Dia suaimhneas shíoraí da hanam agus solas na bhflaitheas uirthi. With our deepest sympathies from Thomas J & Eileen Browne, Fiona and Séamus & Lennon family, Deirdre & Pauline Browne, Galway.

Fiona Lennon - January 22, 2021 at 11:33 AM

EB

“ Ellen Browne lit a candle in memory of Bridget Browne



Ellen Browne - January 22, 2021 at 09:13 AM

EB

“ Sincere sympathy to her devoted husband Marty, family Joseph, Kathy, Mary, grandchildren and her extended family. as my sister in law she was more like a loving sister to me to whom she was extremely loving and generous. I enjoyed many many wonderful holidays with her both in Jersey City and Manalpan. We always looked forward to her frequent visits with Marty and in earlier years with family. Her last visit to Ireland for which she yearned was over 2 years ago for her nieces wedding accompanied by her husband and son Joseph. Ar dies De go raibh a hansom Solis. May she reap the rewards of her great life. Lovingly Ellen

Ellen Browne - January 22, 2021 at 09:11 AM

 Helen
O Toole

“ sincere symphony to browne family on passing of bridie may she rest in peace. remember bridie marty visiting my mum and dad peter and mary kelly she was lovely lady .

Helen O Toole - January 22, 2021 at 06:29 AM

NL

“ *RIP Aunt Bridie*
We are Kathleen and Nora twin nieces of Bridie we have fond memories of Bridie as children both in Ireland and London and also on trips to the USA where we were always welcomed into her home. Martin and all the family are in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time.

Nora and Kathleen Loughlin - January 22, 2021 at 06:14 AM

PC

“ *My condolences to the family.*

Philip Gazzale- Hudson Catholic - January 21, 2021 at 04:53 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Bridget Browne.*



January 21, 2021 at 02:06 PM



“ *My name is Frank Loughlin Bridie's nephew , when I was about a year old my parents went to London to work, and I was left with my grandparents, Bridie's parents, in Ballinrobe, so Bridie was more like a big sister rather than an aunt, so we spend about 6 years together there, and then when she arrived in London first she stayed with my parents, when Bridie and Mattie got married they lived about 600 yards away from us.*

I was also godfather to her son Martin, who I used to babysit occasionally before they moved to the USA.

We met many times over the years and often we used to recall the old days.

I will miss Bridie greatly and I'm sorry that due to the dreaded COVID I will not be able to attend her funeral, and maybe who knows we may meet again in the future where we can recall the good old days and the many memories we shared.

RIP

Frank

Frank Loughlin - January 21, 2021 at 01:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Bridget Browne.



January 21, 2021 at 11:51 AM