



## Bridget Lyons McGuire

February 24, 1975 - February 2, 2017

### Life Legacy

Bridget Lyons McGuire, 41, passed away Wednesday, February 2, 2017 surrounded by her loving family at her home in Framingham, Massachusetts. She fought a courageous battle against cancer with grace, dignity, and above all, hope. Bridget was the loving wife of Conor McGuire, originally of Longford, Ireland.

Bridget is survived by her devoted parents, James and Kathleen Lyons of Darien, her sister Mary and husband Sean Sorohan of Pearl River, New York, sister Celia and husband Michael Beluk of Stamford, brother Jim Lyons of Bridgeport and brother John Lyons of Darien. Bridget adored her nieces and nephews - Lauren, Michael and Matthew Beluk, Bridget and Sean Sorohan, and Conor and Rachel McNamara. Bridget was blessed with a large family and leaves behind many aunts and uncles in the U.S. and Ireland and, while predeceased by two cousins, she had 47 first cousins, all of whom thoroughly enjoyed each other's company. Bridget also had a close relationship with her in-laws, James and Carmel McGuire, Angela and Pdraig McNamara and Kevin McGuire.

Bridget was raised in Darien, Connecticut and stayed in touch with many Darien High School friends. In her adolescence, she was known for her impressive talents as an all-state gymnast and Irish step dancer, winning

several New England Oireachtas titles and competing at the World Championship level. Bridget graduated from the University of Delaware with a degree in Elementary and Special Education where she forged a life-long bond with her college roommates. She later received a Master of Arts in Education from Sacred Heart University. Most recently, Bridget was employed in the Human Resources department of International Data Group, and our family would like to extend our thanks for their support.

One of Bridget's most captivating qualities was her immense kindness toward others. She sincerely cared for everyone who had the good fortune of being a part of her life. Bridget was always so thoughtful and made sure you knew you were loved. She had a passion for country music and would rarely pass on an opportunity to attend a live concert with family or friends. "In the end, it is not the years in your life, but the life in your years" – although we are so heartbroken over the loss of our dear Bridget, her inspiring presence will live on through treasured memories. We now have the most beautiful angel watching over us.

Family will receive relatives and friends at the Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Avenue in Stamford on Sunday, February 5th from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. A mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, February 6th at 10:30 a.m. at St. Thomas More Church, 374 Middlesex Road in Darien. Burial will follow at Spring Grove Cemetery in Darien.

If you would like to leave an expression of sympathy for the family online, please sign the guestbook at [www.bosakfuneralhome.com](http://www.bosakfuneralhome.com) or visit the funeral home Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome](http://www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome) to share memories with her family.

# Tribute Wall

AB

“ Sleep tight Bridget! Love you forever Love your cousin: AnneMarie, Sean, & Katie xoxo

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**AnneMarie Boyce** - February 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Jim and Kathleen and family, We send our deepest sympathies and prayers. Condolences to Bridget's husband.Jim and Pat Moran and Family

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**Jim and Pat Moran** - February 16, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ I am so sorry to just hear of Bridget passing away. She was so nice and friendly and will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May she rest in peace.

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**Judy Callahan** - February 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ I just recently heard of Bridget's passing. I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Bridget and enjoyed hearing stories of her big Irish family. I have a great-granddaughter named Bridget and would share my Bridget stories with your Bridget. She was a wonderful person and fought a courageous battle. I will miss her.

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**Janet Ward** - February 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

FK

“ Kathleen and Jimmy - no words can comfort at this time but thinking of you all and wish I could take away the pain. Francy Keegan

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**Francy Keegan** - February 09, 2017 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ *My deepest condolences on the loss of such a beautiful and brave lady. We will pray for you all tonight at Mass in Newtownforbes, Co Longford being held to remember Bridget.*

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**Eileen Sorohan** - February 07, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Rest In Peace Bridget, thinking of you Conor at this sad time.*

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**James Clarke** - February 06, 2017 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ *James, Kathleen & all The Lyons, Keegan & Mc Guire Families, Relatives & Friends of Bridget, we extend our deepest sympathy. Thinking of all at this very sad time. Sincerely Eddie & Angela Walsh.*

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**eddie** - February 06, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Thinking of you Connor at this sad time Karen & Ivan Whyte*

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**Karen Whyte** - February 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ *Lighting a candle in memory of Bridget (Lyons )McGuire. May God grant you the glory of Heaven . Lovingly remembered by Lyons cousins in Williamstown, Co. Galway - Barnsley, Yorkshire + Derry Nth Ireland xx*

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**Margaret I O** - February 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Our condolences to the Lyons family from the Reilly family in Ballymahon, Easton and Bridgeport CT, and Newton MA. Our prayers are with you. Dia trócaire ar a hanam

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**Donal Reilly** - February 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ We were deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Bridget, sincere sympathy to everyone, she was a wonderful lady & COUSIN, may she RIP amen.

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**Michael Keegan** - February 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ you are in our thoughts and prayers take care Liz and cathal sorohan

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**liz sorohan** - February 05, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Rest in Peace my dear sweet cousin Bridget. Our Loss is Heaven's gain .Until we meet again cousin .God Bless Love xx

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**Margaret** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

VN

“ So sorry for your loss taken so young RIP Bridget

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**Vinnie and Tracey Noonan** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RT

“ Unfortunately, I never had the pleasure to have Ms. McGuire. However, it appears she was an incredible, loving person on so many levels, and will greatly be missed. Condolences to her family and friends. God bless her and as well as you all.

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**Rob Trout** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Sleep tight Bridget.always in our thought & prayers.rest in peace.xx

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**Lesley McNamara** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ Mary, I'm so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers to you and your family.

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**Cari Nizolek** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ Soo sorry Kathleen, Jimmy, sisters, brothers, and all the Lyons/Keegan family, Carmel, Jimmy , Conor and all the mc guire family, tinkin of Ye all, Rip Bridget Soo glad to have joined u for a drink and a goodbye when u were in Ireland last, ?

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**Martina Keegan** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ A pleasure to have met you Bridget. May you rest in peace. Teresa (Soroan) Mulleady and family, Longford.

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February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ my condolences to the family

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**rodney brown** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *Rest in peace sweet angle. Your smile will never leave our hearts.*

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**Elaine Mitchell** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ *Celia and Michael we are so sorry to hear about your sister, Bridget. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Mr** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Rest In Peace cousin Bridget. Will remember your smiling face as you danced at competitions My deepest sympathy to Conor and your Mom and Dad Jimmy and Kathleen Lyons*

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**Margaret Stanford** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Rest in peace Bridget. A battle fought with great dignity. You will be in our thoughts and prayers always. Love : your cousin Mary, Kevin, Conor, Kevin Jnr and Anna xx*

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**Mary Moran** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Rest in peace Bridget. You will be forever in our thoughts and prayers xxLove: Aunt Maureen and Packie xx*

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**Maureen Campbell** - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Rest in peace Bridget. What a courageous young woman. We will miss and love you.xx You will be forever in our thoughts and prayers. Your cousin Breege, Mark, Glenn and Sean xx

Breege Watson - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ My heartfelt sympathies go out Bridget's family and friends during this difficult time. I hope that the promise in 1 Thessalonians 4:14 can bring comfort. Knowing that there is a hope for the ones we have lost in death can be so reassuring.

February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ Rest in Peace beautiful Bridget

Laura Sorohan - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Rest in peace Bridget, the Whyte Family, Clonave, Coole, Co. Westmeath, Ireland.

Sharon Whyte - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ RIP. So sorry for your loss.

Daphne Reilly Duncan - February 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

FE

“ Rip Bridget (Bidly) miss you and love you alwaysxxx Love your cousin Fiona,Pat,Patrick,Liam &MollyBridget xxxx

Fiona Egan - February 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ So very sorry about the passing of your beautiful daughter. Kathleen I worked with you at Walgreens in Darien years ago.my name is Gail Schonning Feder and I'm living in Wilmington NC. Now. -I always enjoyed talking to you when.My so David Feder is in Wilmington also and I think he knew you son. Again I'm deeply sorry about your daughter. Gail Feder &family

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**Gail Feder** - February 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM