



Mary Jane Boorom

February 13, 1946 - September 1, 2017

Mary Jane Boorom (1946-2017)

CEDAR FALLS – Mary Jane Boorom, 71, of Cedar Falls died Friday, September 1, 2017 at the Cedar Valley Hospice Home in Waterloo from complications of kidney disease.

She was born February 13, 1946 in Waterloo, daughter of Carl and Agnes (Hanus) Luze. She married Richard Boorom on October 24, 1970 in at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Traer. He died April 3, 2010.

She graduated from Mercedian School of Practical Nursing in 1965; earned her Associate Degree of Nursing in 1970 from North Iowa Area Community College (NIACC); and completed the Parish Nurse Program at NIACC in 1992. She was employed as an RN at St. Francis Hospital in Waterloo and Mercy Hospital in Mason City. She taught in the Practical Nurse Program at Hawkeye Tech; was Administrator at Cedar West Nursing Home in Cedar Falls; and was an office nurse for Medical Associates in Cedar Falls and Black Hawk County Public Health. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Cedar Falls, where she served as Parish Nurse, Deaconess, and Sunday School Teacher.

Survived by: three sons, Jeff (Andrea) Boorom of Minneapolis, MN, Tim

Boorum of Cedar Falls, and Jon (Melissa) Boorum of Burnsville, MN; three grandsons, Oliver Boorum, Jasper Boorum and Hendrick Boorum; a brother, Dwayne (Lana) Luze of Dysart; a brother-in-law, Robert (Karen) Boorum of Merville, IA; a sister-in-law, Linda (Bob) Blich of Cedar Falls; a foster brother, Robert (Bonnie) Hamer of Cedar Falls; several nieces and a nephew.

Preceded in death by: her parents: two brothers-in-law, Lyle and Roger Boorum; and two sisters-in-law, Peggy Boorum and Jenna Mae Boorum.

Services: 10:30 a.m. Friday, September 8, at Richardson Funeral Service with burial in Fairview Cemetery, both in Cedar Falls. Visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, September 7, at the funeral home and also for one hour prior to the service on Friday.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice, 4-H Camp Scholarship, Western Home Pastoral Fund, or the Cedar Valley Food Bank.

Condolences may be left at www.richardsonfuneralservice.com.

Mary Jane served as a 4-H Youth Leader and was a Patient Advocate for Permanent Planning Agency. She was a member of the Civil War Round Table & 31st Iowa Civil War Reenactors Group and "Happy Stitchers" group at Windridge. She volunteered at the Western Home Communities.

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

12th and Division Streets
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 273-8628

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 8. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I was very saddened to learn of Mary Jane passing. Many happy memories of NICWA and events over the years. My deepest sympathy.
Dick Pohorsky

Richard Pohorsky - September 06, 2017 at 11:20 AM

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“ You have our condolences, You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Rich and Jennifer Hunt

Rich Hunt - September 06, 2017 at 10:57 AM

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“ Arlo Williams & Sandra Briggs lit a candle in memory of Mary Jane Boorum



Arlo Williams & Sandra Briggs - September 06, 2017 at 10:16 AM

BS

“ Betty Stocker lit a candle in memory of Mary Jane Boorum



Betty Stocker - September 04, 2017 at 04:17 PM

BS

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Mary Jane's family. She was a wonderful friend and will never be forgotten.

Betty Stocker - September 04, 2017 at 04:18 PM



Thoughts and prayers on the passing of Mary Jane. I always knew her as Mary Jane, our next door neighbor girl with the neat playhouse, my classmate at Dysart School, friend on the trips over to Traer for catechism. Was glad she was able to make our 50th class reunion. May memories of her sustain you and the blessings she brought. -

Sharon Carpenter - September 06, 2017 at 02:22 PM

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Our thoughts and prayers are with you all today.

Bob and Joyce Hansen - September 08, 2017 at 07:28 AM