



Margaret Ellington Bordelon

August 2, 1934 - December 6, 2021

A graveside service will be held for Mrs. Margaret “Mikki” Ellington Bordelon with her immediate family in attendance. Burial will take place at Greenwood Cemetery under the direction of John Kramer & Son. Officiating at the service will be Deacon Michael Young, a close friend of the family. A Memorial Mass at Our Lady of Prompt Succor Catholic Church will take place at a later date.

Mikki was born on August 2, 1934, in Alexandria, LA. She received the Last Rites and peacefully left her earthly life for her eternal reward on December 6, 2021. She was surrounded by her loving family. It is possibly no coincidence that this humble servant of God who gave so generously from the heart, in so many ways, left us on the feast day of St. Nicholas, the patron saint of generosity.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Francis A. Bordelon, her parents, Tillizelle G. and

John Edward Ellington, and many other family members.

Mikki is survived by her only sibling and best friend, Elizabeth Jane “Bey” Ellington, as well as her children who adored her, Jane Neal (Barry), Fran Aucoin (Dale), Michael Ellington Bordelon (Jan), and Elizabeth “Lissa” Barrett. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Megan Ellington Aucoin, Katherine Aucoin Devins (Sean), Elizabeth Neal White (Jimmy), Caroline Kyle Neal, Kennon Francis Bordelon, and Erin Bordelon Wilson (Chase), and her great-grandchildren, Evelyn, William, Ellington, and Emory White. Her office manager, Beverly Mooney, who was also a wonderful friend, held a special place in Mikki’s heart after many pleasant years of working together.

Mikki was a strong supporter of education and had a special appreciation for the Sisters of Divine Providence Academy where she began her education and continued to SLI (ULL) and Louisiana College.

She went on to achieve a successful career as a commercial Real Estate Appraiser, following in the footsteps of her grandfather, Edward Moreland Ellington. In this professional area of her life, she was recognized as the recipient of awards, but more importantly, was held in high esteem by her colleagues for her work ethic, always continuing her education, and for her respectful treatment of others.

Mikki had a never-ending love for the friends of her children and grandchildren, even into

their adulthood. Always a gracious hostess, with an open door to her home, she took great delight in seeing every child, and she even got away with not cooking. She was hilariously funny and quick-witted, enjoying every minute of telling funny stories and listening to everyone. To each and every one of you who crossed her threshold, over the years, "Thanks for the memories." We love you all for enriching our lives.

Mikki enjoyed traveling with family and friends, reading, and playing golf and tennis. She loved watching her grandchildren participate in their sports and activities. Her greatest joy was living life and loving others as a child of God.

We would like to thank Christus Hospice, especially Patty Bridges and Sarah Hassell. We also want to thank Mikki's devoted caretakers throughout the last two years. She always had a smiling face for them.

Family members serving as pall bearers are Dale Aucoin, Kennon Bordelon, Sean Devins, Christopher Ellington, Patrick Ellington, Barry Neal, Dr. James White, and Chase Wilson.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Mikki Ellington Bordelon Scholarship Fund for Holy Savior Menard High School C/O The Catholic Foundation of North Louisiana, P.O. 12833, Alexandria, LA 71315, or Louisiana Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 4196, Monroe, LA 71211.

We sincerely thank our family and friends for their unending prayers and support. We love and appreciate you.

In closing, please allow us to say that while we cannot imagine the world without this special person of grace, we can better imagine heaven with the presence of this beautiful soul.

Tribute Wall

RL

“ *Not a better person can be found, always a smile and sincere greeting. You will be missed, robert leavines*

Robert leavines - December 26, 2021 at 07:25 PM

JG

“ 🙏 *MAY HER SOUL R.I.P. OUR DEEPEST OF CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY*

JULES and OSA R. GREEN - December 20, 2021 at 11:14 PM

AM

“ *I met Ms. Margaret one time, and found that she had the same gleam in her eyes as her daughter Lissa...a gleam that showed she was full of love and caring for others. As it has been said the eyes are the windows to the soul, and she was living proof that her soul is large. For many years in working with Lissa I heard many stories of her mother's goodness and caring, and that her mother was her best friend, and that she loved her so much. Not only Lissa and her siblings have lost a wonderful Mom, but the world is a sadder place, for not having her in it! Heaven is now the haven for her saintly soul. Tears now, but much joy to come in the reliving of great memories Lissa and her siblings were endowed upon by this special Mom!*

Andrew Menard - December 15, 2021 at 10:01 PM

EB

*Thank you Andrew for such loving and kind words I truly appreciate your kindness dearly.
And thank you for your continuing prayers after the past years. I very much appreciate your care and support. 🙏❤️*

elizabeth barrett - December 16, 2021 at 05:41 AM

AM

You are Quite welcome Elizabeth, and many prayers will continue for You and Your Family to find strength, comfort and peace in the coming days! 🙏💕

Andrew Menard - December 16, 2021 at 10:35 PM

KR

“ *She is in a beautiful place now . She will be looking down from heaven on all .*

Kourtney Rush - December 14, 2021 at 09:09 PM

LB

Thank you Kourtney for the kind words 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 10:00 PM

JM

“ Jane, Fran, Mike, and Lissa,
Please know we are keeping you all in our prayers. I will always remember your Mom with her beautiful smile. I have very fond memories of her.
Johnny & Jeanne Mathews ❤️

Jeanne Mathews - December 13, 2021 at 01:41 PM

LB

Thank you 🙏

lissa barrett - December 13, 2021 at 08:48 PM

SN

“ Jane, Fran and Mike and family,
Our deepest condolences to all of you for the loss of your mom. She was such a sweet person.
Will always remember her warm and friendly smile.
Sending prayers for comfort.
Stephanie and Eli Novakovich

Stephanie Novakovich - December 12, 2021 at 12:49 PM

SC

“ She will be greatly missed. So for the families lost.

Sonny Cataldie - December 12, 2021 at 10:30 AM

LB

Thank you 🙏

lissa barrett - December 13, 2021 at 08:50 PM

BO

“ Fran, I am so sorry for your loss. I did not know your mother. But I do know that she did a great job raising a family that has remained close over the years as you always have good stories about her or your siblings or their children. To me, that is a wonderful accomplishment! Such a close family will help you get through this.
Again, I am so sorry. Barbara

Barbara O'Neil - December 12, 2021 at 10:16 AM

ML

“ My cousins, Mikki & Bey Ellington, and their parents, were so much fun to be with! They all had big beautiful smiles. Our families had camps at Fishville for many years. We spent time visiting, swimming, but mostly laughing & teasing, enjoying life in the woods. I'll never forget those relaxing summer days with my cousins. Myra Ellington Lawrence.

Myra Ellington Lawrence - December 11, 2021 at 12:02 PM

PJ

“ Dear Jane and entire family, I'm very sorry for the tremendous loss of your precious mother. Her obituary is beautifully written and gives a glimpse into the loving, kind, wonderful person she was. She clearly lived a selfless life devoted to her family and friends. Her sweet smile speaks volumes of her personality and the beautiful soul she was. She was blessed by the loving, devoted care of her children, and grandchildren. May your many years of your cherished memories sustain you and bring peace to your hearts during this difficult time. You will all continue to be in my thoughts and prayers. Your sweet mother is now at peace in her heavenly home. Our Lord is embracing her for a job well done as His true and faithful servant. God bless you all! Love, Patti

Patti Justice - December 11, 2021 at 08:24 AM

LB

Thank you for your very kind words 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 02:53 AM

AV

“ Mike, and Lissa, and Bey

How sorry we are to learn of Mikki's passing. She was a warm and wonderful woman, clearly a God-lover. One can't be surprised to read of the love and generosity that she poured out to family and friends over many years. It is good that Mikki is now with St. "Nikki," another notoriously generous soul. Tidings of comfort and joy to you and all of your family.

Ann Vanderslice - December 10, 2021 at 06:05 PM

LB

Thank you Ann as Mama always loved you 🙏

lissa barrett - December 13, 2021 at 09:00 PM

DE

“ Mikki generously gave of her time and money to provide GREAT party bags for each of my Kindergarteners for every party for ten years! You can't imagine the joy her kindness brought to so many children. I bet that pic is what she looked like when she was picking out the noisemakers that she included in each of those party bags!! 🥳 I will deeply miss my fun cousin ❤️

Dee Ellington - December 10, 2021 at 03:16 PM

LB

Thank you cuz! We will all miss Mama dearly 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 02:56 AM

LB

Thank you very much Cuz Mama will be sadly missed 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 02:57 AM



“ Mikki was always laughing, smiling and loved hanging out in Fishville. All the Austin's had so much fun with Jane, Fran, Mike and Lissa. So sorry for your loss and know that our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. Kathleen Austin Powers 🥰🙏

Kathleen Powers - December 10, 2021 at 11:34 AM

LB

Thank you for the kind Memories 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 02:59 AM

PR

“ Mikki, was always a pleasure to work with and her smiling face will not be forgotten. May God's grace, mercy and strength be yours in your time of sorrow. Prissy Reap



Prissy Reap - December 10, 2021 at 09:30 AM

LB

Thank you dearly 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 03:01 AM

DT

“ Fran, I am so sorry for your loss of your mother. Please know that I have been praying for you and your mother's extended family. May God provide consolation through His Holy Spirit, directly, and indirectly through the prayers and other outreach of some of those with whom He has intertwined your lives.

May God continue to bless you all abundantly,
David Thiels

David Thiels - December 09, 2021 at 07:57 PM

RL

“ I'm sorry for your loss of such a beautiful person. Mikki was always so pleasant to talk to.

Randy LaFleur - December 09, 2021 at 06:58 PM

LB

Thank you for your kind words 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 03:02 AM

KW

“ What an angel on earth...and now in heaven. I remember so many stories of how loving she was. God bless you all and may the loving arms and hearts of your friends embrace you ❤️👼

Kathy Turpin Watt - December 09, 2021 at 03:14 PM

LB

Thank you my best friend Kathy and John for the kind words that mean so much to us 4. 🙏❤️

lissa barrett - December 14, 2021 at 03:05 AM