



Mary Lou Momper

December 1, 1935 - July 2, 2011

Mary Lou Momper (Balong), 75 of Sugar Grove, passed away Saturday, July 2, 2011 at Provena McAuley Manor in Aurora. She was born December 1, 1935 in Aurora, Illinois.

Mary Lou graduated from St. Joseph School of Nursing and was employed for over 40 total years as a Registered Nurse at St. Joseph Mercy/Provena Mercy Hospital in Aurora on 5th General and in the Behavioral Health Department. She retired in 2004. Mary Lou cherished her family and enjoyed entertaining, shopping and fashion. She was an avid bridge player and loved spending time with her friends and attending bridge clubs. She was a member of Holy Angels Church.

Survivors include her three children, Victoria (Garry) Clark of Plano, Texas, John (Janet) Momper of Batavia and Jeanette (Bob) Clark of Aurora; ten grandchildren: Jacquelyn (Jeff) Clark-Molepske, Jeanette (Andrew) Clark-Johnson, Nicholas, Garrett and Jessica Clark all of Texas, John and Katie Momper of Batavia, and Emily, Abby and Jackson Clark of Aurora.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John R. "Jack" Momper in 1981; and by her parents, Louis P. and Victoria Balong (1981,1983).

Funeral services will be held Thursday, July 7, 2011 from THE DALEIDEN

MORTUARY at 12:00 PM to Holy Angels Church at 12:30 PM. Fr. Randy Fronck will officiate with interment in St. Joseph Cemetery. Visitation will be held Wednesday, July 6 from 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora. 630-631-5500. Visit our new memorial website at www.daleidenmortuary.com where you may leave condolences for Mary Lou's family or sign the guest book. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in the name of Mary Lou Momper to Provena McAuley Manor or to Provena Mercy Hospital, Aurora, Illinois.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery

Corner of Rt. 25 and Indian Trail Road.
Aurora, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Lou Momper



Daleiden Mortuary - July 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Vicki, Jeanette, John and your Families,

I am so sorry to hear of your Mother's passing and I just felt the need to share these thoughts with you all during this sad time...I have such great memories of your Mom, your Dad, and each of you (including the ENTIRE Momper/Balong clan!) from my childhood. Even as a kid, your Mom always made the point to take time to ask me about my life, my interests and dreams and was always genuinely interested in my response. From Circus Performer to Big Leaguer, I felt I had her full support always! Her big, kind Spirit was echoed by all of you. (In a side note that you would never imagine, because of your Mom, early on I acquired a life-long affection for mini ham sandwiches, and some 40 years later, I think of her and of your special family gatherings every single time one crosses my plate!)

Her kind and loving Spirit, along with the bigger-than-life Spirit of father Jack lives on in memory with me, like cherished 8mm movies of very, very happy times shared with you all...

Much Love & Prayers...

*Doug Nagy & Family
(Houston, TX)*

Doug Nagy - July 08, 2011 at 07:55 PM

JB

“*Mary Lou was my oldest and dearest 1st cousin. There were only 3 individuals in our generation that were born with the last name Balong; Mary Lou, Cathy and myself.*

Since she was 12 years older than me, it was natural for her to become my babysitter.

I was 7 when she married Jack Momper in old St. Rita's Church on Lake Street.

The reception was one for family lore--two full sit down meals all prepared by my Aunt Vicky, who was Mary Lou's mother, and her friends. It was a kid's heaven. When I married and my own children began to arrived, Mary Lou and Jack were role models that Carol and I could rely on. Both the Momper's and we shared a commitment to Catholic Education, the expectation of working to potential, and continued prayer that our children would become good people who would be credits to their communities.

After Jack died, Mary Lou created a full life for herself. She enjoyed travel, and she reveled in her children and grandchildren--she was proud of them all. She was a generous, warm, and welcoming person who, along with her parents, taught me the meaning of hospitality. I will miss her.

John Balong

John L. Balong - July 06, 2011 at 07:04 PM