

MARGARET "PEGGY" HOLDCROFT



Peggy Holdcroft, 91, of McCandless, passed away at The Remington Senior Living in McCandless on Monday, March 18, 2024, with her family and caregivers by her side.

Peggy was born on February 27, 1933, in Cleveland, OH to Edward and Margaret Gribben. She was a graduate of Bellevue High School, the College of Wooster, and the University of Pittsburgh School

of Nursing. On July 12, 1958, Peggy married the boy next door, Robert B. "Bones" Holdcroft.

A lifelong caregiver, Peggy began her nursing career at Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh and retired from the Allegheny County Health Department after 25 years.

Peggy was a member of the Pittsburgh Ceili Club, St. Aiden's Catholic Church, and volunteered for Meals on Wheels and Riding For The Handicapped.

She enjoyed time spent with her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, taking long hikes in North Park, and her favorite activity, Ceili dancing EVERY Tuesday night with her dear friends at Mullaney's Harp and Fiddle.

Peggy and Bones made more than a dozen trips to Ireland where she fiercely networked the countryside to reestablish family connections and make new friends.

Peggy is survived by four children, Bob Holdcroft (Melissa), Margie Claffey, Tim Holdcroft (Michele), and Michael Holdcroft. She is the proud grandmother to eight grandchildren, Jake Holdcroft, Lindsay Holdcroft (Maggie Kennedy), Sam Holdcroft, Annie Claffey (Abhay Sofsky), Steven Holdcroft (Alisha), Rob Holdcroft (Lexi), Jill Yahiro (Jordan), and Jessalyn Holdcroft; and ten great-grandchildren, Brodie, Levi, Eden, Metta, Van, Vera, Rose, Flynn, August, and James.

Friends and family will be received on Friday, April 5, 2024, from 2-4 and 6-8 PM at the **GEORGE A. THOMA FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 10418 Perry Hwy., Wexford, PA 15090. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, April 6, 2024, 10 AM in St. Alexis Church/St. Aidan Parish, Wexford. Interment to follow.

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