



## Mrs. Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez

August 25, 1930 - February 26, 2026

Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez, 95, of Plant City, Florida born Marjorie Marquardt on August 25, 1930, in Berlin, Wisconsin, entered into eternal rest on February 26, 2026. She moved to Florida with her husband Angel Gonzalez in 1953. She loved golfing, being a member of the Women's Club, The Elks, and entertaining friends in her home. Margie took up golf in her mid 50's and managed to earn 5 Hole in Ones. She is survived by her husband of 75 years, Angel Gonzalez; son and daughter-in-law, Michael and Beverly Gonzalez; daughter, Susan Rind; and three grandchildren, Jennifer Rind, Jonathan Gonzalez, and Christopher Gonzalez. One of her proudest accomplishments is at the age of 87 she walked 87 miles for Operation Smiles raising funds to support 21 surgeries for children born with Cleft Palates. A funeral service will be held Tuesday, March 10 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 South County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Operation Smiles at <https://operationsmile.donorsupport.co/> Expressions of condolences at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Hopewell Funeral Home  
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Plant City, FL 33567  
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## Funeral Service

MAR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez



Hopewell Funeral Home - March 17 at 11:38 AM

BK

Our years of friendship will be with me forever. God is watching over you. 🙏

Beverly Keelor - March 17 at 12:05 PM

SR

“ I just watched the video and it brought tears . Tears of joy realizing how blessed my mom's life was. She loved her family and just as much loved her friends. We were all blessed to have had her in our lives. Most importantly...I was so blessed to have her as my mom. I miss her every day. Love you so much MOM

Susan Rind - March 23 at 11:16 AM

JK

“ Robert and I were blessed to get to know Margie over the years through my mother in law, Beverly Keelor. I always loved her beauty along with the feistiness in her. 😊 God rest her soul.

Julie Keelor - March 17 at 11:41 AM

LF

“ Love Carol, Tracey, Scott & Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs. Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez.



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Love Carol, Tracey, Scott & Family - March 10 at 07:16 AM

NB

“ If something fun was happening in Walden Lake, Margie Gonzalez was probably at the center of it all. She was the swizzle stick that stirred our drinks. Her mission was to ensure that all of her friends always had a great time. Her popcorn parties had the packed Gonzalez house busting at the seams. Organizing golf trips to Sebring or holding court Wednesday nights at the Elks Club, she never seemed to run out of energy.

Margie had a story or a joke for every occasion, and she was never shy about taking center-stage. She loved to tell, or rather perform, the story of the man who is conned by a slick haberdasher into buying a grossly-oversized suit. Margie would contort her body to mimic those of the poor man, as he followed the salesman's crazy instructions. Nobody could tell the story like Margie, and nobody ever dared to try. We saw the performance dozens of times, but we always begged her to do it one more time - it was that good!

Margie has a new audience now, and she's in top-notch form as she has 'em rolling in the aisles in heaven. We miss her dearly but take comfort in the memories of all the wonderful times we shared and a life well-lived.

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Nick Brown - March 09 at 02:18 PM

TK

“ Toni K. purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mrs. Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez.



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**Toni K.** - March 09 at 08:55 AM

CS

“ You were more than just a Great Aunt, you were a gentle light in our family. Your kindness, warmth, and the way you made everyone feel loved will never be forgotten.

*We will always remember your laughter, your wisdom, and the way you could make even ordinary moments feel special. You had a beautiful heart, and the love you shared with us will live on in every memory and every story we tell about you.*

*Thank you for the comfort you gave, the lessons you shared, and the love that surrounded us whenever you were near. You will always have a special place in our heart. Rest peacefully---you are deeply loved and forever missed.*

*Charleen & Michael Seaman*

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**Charleen & Michael Seaman** - March 08 at 06:18 PM

PB

“ Pam Blank purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Marjorie "Margie" Gonzalez.

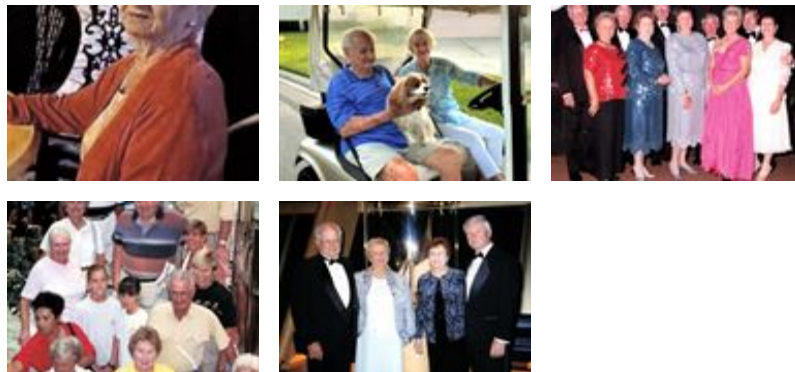


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**Pam Blank** - March 05 at 08:34 PM



“ 46 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Hopewell Funeral Home** - March 05 at 10:40 AM

MS

“ *I love you, Aunt Margie, Queen Matriarch, and I will miss you dearly. I love how you embraced life, how you loved people, laughter, good stories, and good parties. Your spirit lives in the most joyful moments life has to offer. Thank you for teaching me this, and for all you did for our family. I love you. Love, Shel*

**Michelle Seaman** - March 04 at 01:15 PM

PU

“ *Dear Angel, Michael and Susan. Our prayers are with you and Margie.*  
*Carmen and Frank Putrow*

**Putrow's** - March 04 at 10:45 AM

AC

*Angel and Family, We extend our deepest sympathy to you. We remember all the good times and parties in Laurel Lake. Angel and Margie were such wonderful and very special neighbors.*

*Al and SueAnn Collinge*

**Al and SueAnn Collinge** - March 05 at 01:41 PM

MN

*There is a world above  
Where parting is unknown  
A whole eternity of love.  
Form'd for the good alone,  
And faith beholds the dying here  
Translated to that happier sphere.*

*Angel. Mike, and Susan She'll be front and center  
to welcome each of us when we enter that sphere.*

*Mary and Mark Nighbor*

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**Mary Nighbor** - March 07 at 08:38 PM