



# Helene Theresia Bridges

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**M**rs. Helene Theresia Bridges of Leesburg, VA passed away on Friday, November 23, 2012 at Capital Caring Hospice in Arlington, surrounded by loved ones.

Helene was born on March 15, 1926 in Vienna, Austria. She was a daughter of the late Viktor Kasperger and the late Anna Gruen Kasperger.

Helene worked as a Technician for Hazelton Laboratory until retiring in 1988. She was predeceased by her husband of 60 years, Quincy Thomas Bridges, in 2008.

Helene leaves to cherish her memory her four children: Charlotte Duvall of Haymarket, VA; Erika Martin of Buford, GA; Quincy Victor Bridges and wife Diana of Purcellville, VA; and Melissa Cross and husband Joe of Hamilton, VA. She is also survived by 12 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 pm on Monday, November 26, 2012 at the Loudoun Funeral Chapel, 158 Catoctin Circle, SE, Leesburg, VA.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Tuesday, November 27, 2012 at 10:30 am at St. John the Apostle Catholic Church, (Old Church) on the corner of King and Union Street, Leesburg, VA. Interment will follow in Stonewall Memory Garden in Manassas, VA.

Memorial donations may be made to Capital Caring, 2900 Telestar Court, Falls Church, VA 22042.



## Events

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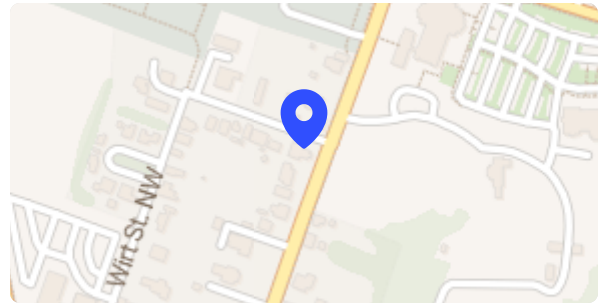
### Service

 **Tuesday**, November 27, 2012

 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM ET

 **St. John the Apostle Catholic Church/ Chapel of the Immaculate Conception**

231 N King Street, Leesburg VA



### Cemetery Details

 **Stonewall Memory Gardens**  
12004 Lee Highway, Manassas VA





## Tribute Wall

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**Loudoun Funeral Chapels** shared a **Tribute Video**.

November 22 at 8:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

November 28 at 4:38 AM



**Danielle Barahona** November 28 at 9:06 AM

Mrs. Bridges was a wonderful lady and I'm glad to have known her and her family. She will be missed by all. Danielle (MSH)



**Sharon Searl** lit a candle in honor of Helene.

November 28 at 4:27 AM



**Deborah Jackson Truscott** posted:

I was such a little girl -- first or second grade I think -- when I first knew Mrs. Bridges. Ricky was my best friend and I spent many happy days and weekends at her house where her wonderful mom treated me as one of her family. I remember Mrs. Bridges piling us into the car and taking us to the drive in, and how, as she tried to watch the movie, we created noise and general havoc in the back seat. She was fun and kind and my memories of her are sweet and bright.

November 27 at 8:15 PM



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DS

**Dagmar Seifert** posted:

It was so sad for us to hear that "Tante Helly" has passed away! We will always remember her visits in Austria, and the funny time we had together! In 1995 we had the chance to stay a few days at her house in Leesburg and it was so great to see how she tried to teach us "the american way of live"- cooking typical american food and enjoying speaking german with us! Even in her last years she loved to talk to her cousin (my mother) on the phone... She was always a part of our thoughts and our family! Even if there are 1000 of kilometers between us...we pray for her and we'll lit a candle in our church! So let`s say it in our/her language: "Tante Helly, geh mit Gott und finde deinen Frieden!"All our love to the family during this sad time,best wishes from AustriaDagmar & family, & Cousine Theresia "Reserl"

November 27 at 1:34 AM

SS

**Samantha Sweitzer** posted:

I am deeply saddened to hear of Mrs. Bridges' passing. I first met her after my family moved into the house a few doors down (2000?). Though we were new to the neighborhood, she welcomed us with open arms, kindness, and of course, her famous hospitality (no visit was complete without an ample snack!). She told wonderful stories about her children and grandchildren, and with such exuberance that you couldn't help but get excited with her. She loved animals, and always got a kick out of meeting our various pets when we would bring them to visit. She was a compassionate and gracious person who treated me and my sister as if we were her own grandchildren. I remember that she would often give us presents - and once gave us a giant drum of jellybeans on Easter that was way too big for ten people, much less two kids! Such generosity and thoughtfulness is a rare thing. She will be deeply missed; my most heartfelt condolences to her family.

November 26 at 5:31 PM

AM

**Amy Miller** lit a candle in honor of Helene.



November 26 at 12:20 PM

AM

**Amy Miller** November 26 at 12:22 PM

It seemed as though every time I would run into Mr. and Mrs. Bridges it would be in McDonalds. I loved to watch them interact with each other as you could just see how much they loved each other so much even after so many years. I'm so sorry for your loss. Love you!



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JE

**Judy, Amy & Emily** sent a Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers to the Bridges family.

November 26 at 12:17 PM



MC

**Maureen Clarke** lit a candle in honor of Helene.

The residents and staff of Morningside House are deeply saddened to hear about Helene. Always a happy lady with only kind words for everyone. We have had the pleasure of knowing Helene for over three years and she will be missed by all. How she met her husband Quincy will always be one of our favorite stories. Our thoughts are with her family and friends during this sad time. Maureen Clarke Morningside House

November 26 at 6:22 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Floor Basket to the Bridges family.

November 26 at 6:07 AM



MC

**Maureen Clarke** lit a candle in honor of Helene.

November 26 at 6:06 AM



KS

**Ken & Darcy Searl** sent a Pink & White Sympathy Floor Basket to the Bridges family.

November 26 at 5:32 AM





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BM

**Beverley Cross Mccauley** posted:

It is with fond memories that we bid Helene God speed to Heaven to be with her beloved Quincy who has been waiting patiently for her arrival. We each will carry with us loving memories but her family is left to carry on. We wish you all our thoughts and prayers that wonderful memories will fill that void and last you until you meet again. With much thanks for sharing your gracious mother with the world. Love Beverley & Chip (Cross) McCauley and family

November 25 at 2:24 PM

BO

**Barbara Jean Oliver** lit a candle in honor of Helene.

Aunt Heli was much loved by her sister-in-law, Mary Helen, and by her niece Barbara Jean and family. We will miss her smiling face and wonderful hugs. God bless you all. We will keep you in our prayers. Aunt Mary Helen & Barbara Jean



November 24 at 1:30 PM

CM

**Charles Mclane** posted:

Dear Family, Your dear mother was, along with your father, always the "Life of the Party." Whenever Aunt Patti and I came to visit, we always had plenty to eat, and a lot of good laughs. I shall never forget the wonderful loving relationship I had with Heli. I shall miss her. My prayer is that God will give you comfort and peace as you get through this very sad phase in your life. Love and Prayers, Uncle Charlie

November 24 at 7:04 AM

CD

**Christina Davis** posted:

A very special lady. She will be missed.

November 24 at 5:28 AM

**GM** **Ginger Miller** November 24 at 9:17 AM

Dear Family, We will miss Heli she was a wonderful woman. Our families had so many good times, All our thoughts and prayers are with you Love, Ginger & Roger



## Media

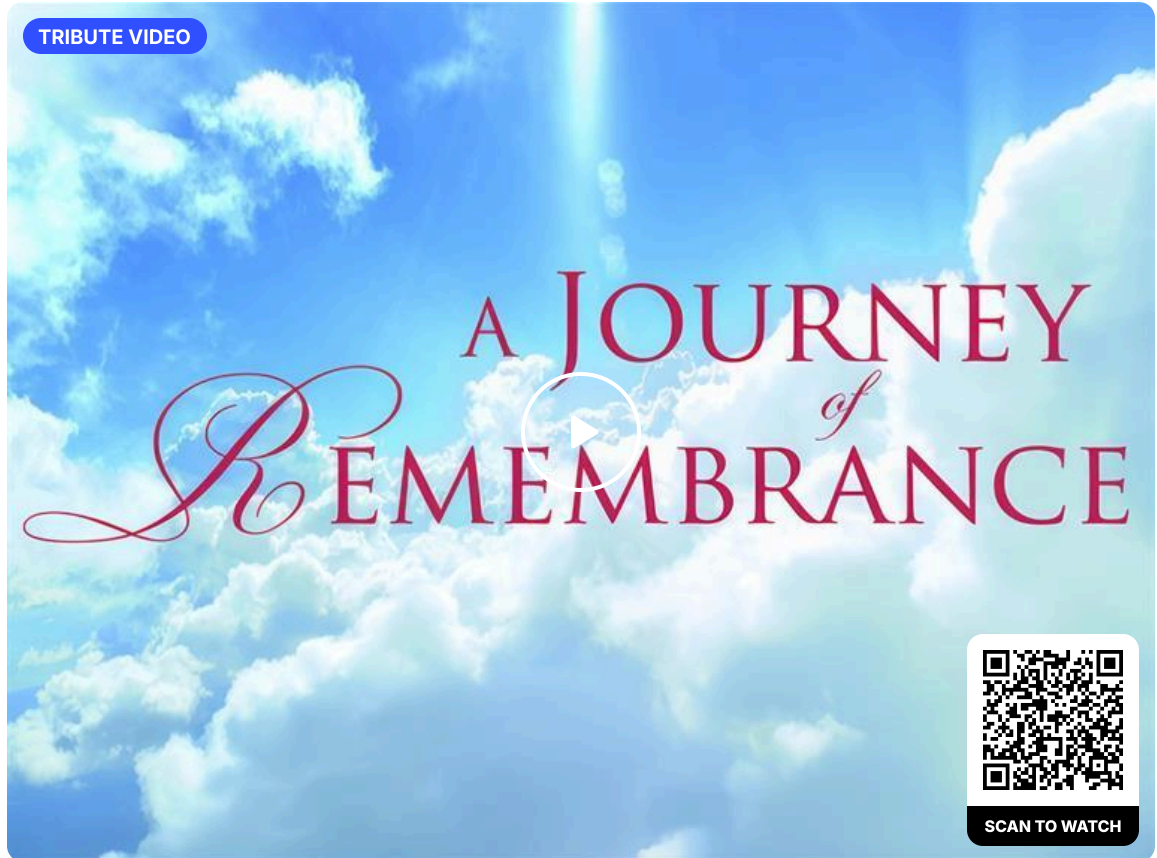
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# Memories only last if you share them

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