



# Mary Agnes "Mab" Valois

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**M**ary Agnes Borck "Mab" Patin Valois, 79, of Covington passed away on April 24, 2014 in Hammond, LA. She was born on October 17, 1934 in New Orleans. She was the youngest child and only daughter of Thomas Clifton Patin, Sr. of New Roads and Mary Agnes Borck of Oaks Plantation in Port Allen. Mab spent the early part of her childhood in the Carrollton District of New Orleans. The family later moved to Hammond where Mab finished her elementary education at Holy Ghost School. She went on to board at St. Scholastica Academy in Covington. She then went on to earn her B.A. at Southeastern in Hammond. She married Marcel Laurent Valois of Covington at Holy Ghost Church in Hammond on May 11, 1958. They spent their entire married life in Covington. Mab spent a few years teaching in the St. Tammany Parish Public School System before retiring to stay home with her children. Later in life she was a founding partner and manager of The Armoire, a ladies fashion boutique on Lee Lane in Covington. She closed the shop in the mid 90's to spend more time with her grandchildren. Mab was preceded in death by her parents, her oldest son Thomas Todd Valois, and her brother Thomas Clifton Patin, Jr. She is survived by her husband Marcel; her sister-in-law Beryl Trenchard Patin of Covington; her daughter Mathilde Valois McCann (Brent) of St. Francisville; her younger son Walter Abbott Valois (Jenny) of Lafayette; and six grandchildren: Preston Catledge Valois and Turner Catledge Valois of Covington; Brenna Lane McCann, Walter Bennett Souther, and Ruth Amelia McCann of St. Francisville; and Walter Aiden Valois of Lafayette. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a Memorial Service at 11:00 AM on Monday, April 28, 2014 at E. J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 West 21st Avenue Covington, LA 70433. Visitation on Monday from 9:00 AM to service time. Interment in Garden of the Pine Mausoleum, Covington, LA at a later date.



## Events

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### Visitation

 **Monday**, April 28, 2014

 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

 **E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services**  
2260 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433



### Memorial Services


 **Monday**, April 28, 2014

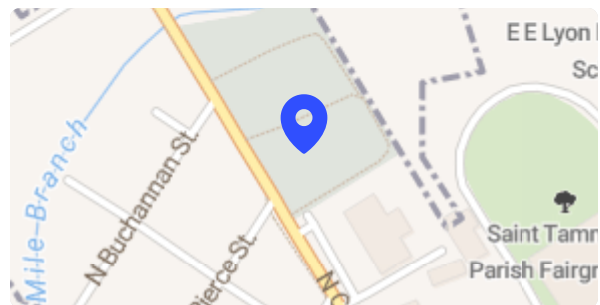
 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT

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### Cemetery Details

 **Garden of Pines Mausoleum**  
1400 N. Columbia St., Covington LA





## Tribute Wall

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RM

**Ruth Mccann** shared a photo to the **Memories Album** album.



March 21 at 4:01 PM

HL

**Hester Thompson Leblanc** posted:

Dear Family---Mrs Valois was my first grade teacher at Covington Elementary. I am 56 years old!!! She was so wonderful !! Even in the last several years when In would run into her---She remembered me & everything about me. I know your loss is great ! Sincerely, Hester Thompson LeBlanc

May 6 at 11:40 AM

GT

**George-Ann Stokes-Townsend** posted:

Dear Mr. Marcel, We were all so sorry to learn of Miss Mary's passing, she was a lovely person that made my visits to the Armorie while living in Covington, La while at St. Scholastica Academy in the 70's. My beloved mother and I loved the Armorie and her friendly fun loving manner. She was an amazing women, mother as well as a very talented and creative business woman. May your cherished memories give you and your family peace and comfort now and forever. George-Ann (Stokes) - Townsend Atlanta, Georgia

May 5 at 2:33 PM

DD

**Deborah Deweese** lit a candle in honor of Mary.

Dear Marcel, we were all so sorry to hear of Mary's passing away.....She worked so hard in Physical therapy, and we all enjoyed her so much. hope to see u in Sam's again soon. love, Deborah DeWeese PT



April 29 at 8:50 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Marcel and Family, Our heartfelt sympathy to you and your children. She always had a uplifting spirit until she became ill. I know she appreciated your loving care. Bettie and Ronnie Pogue

April 27 at 7:00 PM



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**Susan Carter** posted:

My visits with Mab on Lee Lane will remain some of the most joyous memories I have ever experienced! I enjoyed her company as she did mine. I loved her beautiful blue eyes and most of all her laughter....I'm so thankful that she was part of my life in friendship not only to me but to my family as well! God Bless you, sweet Mab

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Shannon Scott** posted:

My prayers are with your family! I have always loved your mother and will miss her visits with us at the camp!!!

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Becky Schoen** posted:

Mab was one of a kind, she will be greatly missed. Love and prayers.

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Elaine** posted:

I'm so sad to hear about Mabita. She was not only a good friend but will always be considered my "sister"...

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Joan Mire Hisler** posted:

Our deepest,deepest sympathy to Marcel and the family.Mab and I shared a friendship many years ago as students at St.Scholastica,Southeastern, and until now.I haveso many wonderful memories I will treasure forever, I will miss you,Peach.! I will miss you Peach. Joan Mire Hisler and Family

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Tudi - So sorry for your loss. Just know that she is at peace. Hold on to the memories. Love you, Heidi Pittman

April 24 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Mab has always been considered a "sister" of the Mire girls - Marilyn, Joanie, Janice and Elaine. We loved her like a sister and will miss her the same way. We are heartbroken...

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Marilyn Geddes** posted:

dear MARCEL, I am 'celebrating' all the "Happy Days" memories of Mab, and visiting her at the "ARMOIRE"---- she and all those who gathered there with her became the center of a unique and special 'universe' in Covinton! I will forever have the 'sweetest' of memories of Mab. With my sympathy and love, Marilyn Carter (Rougelot) Geddes

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Marianne Ducros Gonwa** posted:

May perpetual light shine upon her. And may God hold Mab and her beloved family in the palm of His hand.

April 24 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

we send our heartfelt condolences Fred and Aline Seal

April 23 at 7:00 PM



**The Staff Of E** posted:

Offering our deepest condolences during this difficult time.

April 23 at 7:00 PM



## Media

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To my loving grandma. You are still in our hearts and will always be.



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Mary by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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