Margaret Park swam in the 1960s with two successful marathon swimming brothers – IMSHOF Honorees Tom and George. In the 10-mile Hamilton Marathon Swim, 41 swimmers started and only 9 finished: Margaret was the first woman and both her brothers also finished. Her other major swims were 28 miles in the Saguenay River (twice – once in each direction), 10-mile Quebec City swim, Lac Simon and Lac St. Clair. In a two-person relay race at the Expo 67 Montreal in Canada, Margaret was the only woman and paired with a stranger. Her teammate vanished after the second hour and Margaret completed the remainder of the 24 hours solo. Unusually Margaret was a mother of three children during her marathon career.

Expanded Biography (Openwaterpedia)

Long Swims Database (Marathon Swimmers Federation)