

# BIRTHS & DEATHS

## CARD OF THANKS, IN MEMORIAMS, ENGAGEMENTS

### BORN

**BENOIT-BOUCHARD** - Jean-Rémi and Kimberley are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Francis Gérard Arthur Benoit on August 1, 2001, weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz. Proud grandparents are Arthur Bouchard, Virginia Grant Bouchard, Jeanne Bouchard of Toronto, Auréa Benoit of Vaudreuil and Gérard Benoit smiling down from above.

**RANKIN-VINCENT** - Matthew and Anne-Marie joyfully announce the birth of their twin daughters at the Valleyfield Hospital on Monday, August 20, 2001. Catherine weighing 4 lbs. 12 ozs. and Genevieve weighing 3 lbs. 13 ozs. Delighted grandparents are David and Jean Rankin of Huntingdon and Madame Henriette Poirier and Jean-Paul Benoit of Valleyfield.

### DIED

**DRESSER, Kenneth** - With deep sorrow we announce the passing of Kenneth Dresser on August 29, 2001 at the Barrie Memorial Hospital at the age of 79 after a courageous battle with cancer. Born in Coaticook. He leaves to mourn his wife Annette of fifty years, brother Howard, sister Leatrice, niece Tracy, nephews Bobby and Peter. Cremation and private funeral held.

**LITTLE, Florence Margaret "Tony" (née Nussey)** - Peacefully on Wednesday, August 29, 2001 in Kingston, Ontario at the age of 96 years. Beloved wife of the late Lorne Little. Dear mother of Bill Little of Ottawa and Gary Little (Carole) of Harrowsmith, Ontario. Predeceased by her son Wayne. Cherished grandmother of 6 grandchildren, Shawn, Jason, Pamela (Charlie), Angela (Shawn), Christina (Craig), Kendra (Richard). Great grandmother of Taylor, Emma and Brandon. Survived by her 3 sisters Phyllis Nussey, Beatrice Gunnell and Edith McAllister and one brother Kelly Nussey. Predeceased family members include Myrtle, William, Harold, Johnny, Avey, Thelma, Leslie, Muriel & Clifford. Funeral was held at West Chapel of Hulse Playfair and McGarry in Ottawa on September 3, 2001. Interment at Norway Bay United Cemetery. Those wishing may make memorials donations to the Alzheimer's Society or a charity of your choice.

**RANEY, Muriel (née Nussey)** - Passed away peacefully at Les Centre d'Accueil Dollard des Ormeaux on August 29, 2001, at the age of 89 years. Beloved wife of the late John Raney, loving mother to Donna (Ken Ekins), Diane (Pierre Lessard) and the late Jimmy. Dear grandmother of Kelly, Andy, Sarah, Nadine, Lindsay and Megan. Dear sister of Edith, Phyllis, Florence, Beatrice and Kelly. Predeceased by Myrtle, Thelma, Johnny, Avey, Clifford, William, Harold and Leslie. A private family service was held in the chapel. If desired, donations in Muriel's memory may be made to the Douglas Hospital Brain Bank, 6875 LaSalle Blvd., Verdun, QC, H4H 1R3.

**ROYAL, Robert** - In Huntingdon on September 5, 2001 at the age of 64 years passed away M. Robert Royal, husband of Mrs. Rachel Ricard. Besides his spouse, he leaves to mourn his children Jean-Louis (Claudine Gauthier), Louise, Denis (Chantal Hurteau), Francis (Maryse Haineault) and Luc, his grandchildren Jacob, Josianne, Patrice, Emilie, Eli-Anne and future baby Maxime, his brothers and sisters as well as several relatives and friends. Predeceased by his children Jacques and Sylvie. There was visitation on Friday, September 7 at Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc. Funeral Home. Funeral was held Saturday, September 8 in St-Joseph's Church, Huntingdon at 11:00 a.m. Interment St-Joseph's Cemetery, Huntingdon. Donations to the Quebec Heart Foundation would be greatly appreciated.

**TAILLEFER, Shirley McGowan** - In Huntingdon on September 9, 2001 passed away Mrs. Shirley Taillefer (née McGowan) aged 63 years. Beloved wife of Mr. Laurent Taillefer and dear mother of Diane (John MacLeod), Carole (Tony Patenaude) and Marc. She leaves to mourn her 3 grandchildren Catherine, Sara and Trevor, her 3 sisters Helen Shand, Mary Renaud and Stella Brunette and many relatives and friends. Predeceased by her sister Edith and her brothers Johnny, Jimmy, Herbie and Rupert. Visiting hours will be held Wednesday, September 12 from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m. and Thursday, September 13 from noon. Funeral service will take place Thursday, September 13 at 2 p.m. in St-Joseph's Church. Burial at St-Joseph's Cemetery. Funeral arrangements by Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc.

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for the help I received at the accident. A special thank-you to Herb Larocque and Betty and Gilles Riel for their special care. Thanks also to Richard and Sheila and Sonny and Denise for their help. Thanks to all who visited and called after the accident, it was very much appreciated. Thanks again.

Bert Allen

Yes my friends! I've decided to retire. I would like to thank my loyal customers who gave me their support during 28 wonderful years. I'm now looking forward to enjoy my new life with my beautiful wife and son.

Sincerely,  
Claude Bouassa  
Huntingdon Florist Enrg.

The family of the late Donald F. Doe would like to express thanks to those who made telephone calls, visits, brought food, sent cards, letters, made charitable donations, sent flowers, called at the parlor, and attended the service - with a special thank-you to the Rev. John McPhadden.

We would like to thank all of our friends and family for all the warm wishes, cards and gifts we received for our 50th Wedding Anniversary. A special thanks goes to the Huntingdon Legion (Leon Robidoux, Ruth McIntyre), The Woman's Auxiliary (Betty Roleri, for the lovely lunch), Beverly Cocher (beautiful cakes), Mrs. Marguerite Hayes (for the wonderful photo display), William Jr. Hayes for the photos, Lori-Jean Hayes (decorations) and everyone who helped us celebrate this special occasion. Please accept this as our personal thank-you.

Winnie & Lawrence McDonagh

### Thank-you



### Jocelyne St-Onge Castagnier

August 10, 1954 - August 10, 2001

Her husband André Castagnier, her daughters Mélanie (Tommy Lacasse) and Sonia (Simon Bélanger) as well as the Castagnier and St-Onge families would like to thank everyone who expressed their sympathy at the time of Jocelyne St-Onge Castagnier's death at the age of 47 years, whether by donations, mass offerings, flowers, cards, visitations, or attendance at the funeral. Please consider this thank-you as personal.

A special thank-you to Doctors Vador and Rajan as well as the nurses and staff of the Barrie Memorial and Montreal General Hospitals for the outstanding care given to Jocelyne.

Everything was greatly appreciated.

"I am not gone, I am just next door"

**Wedding Reception**  
in honour of  
**Letty Donnelly &  
Jimmy Elder**  
**SATURDAY SEPT. 15, 2001, 8:00 pm**  
Huntingdon Legion  
Come help us celebrate!

**Wedding Reception**  
for  
**Scott Barr &  
Cheryl Stanger**  
**SATURDAY SEPT. 15, 2001, 8:00 pm**  
Festivities will be at  
Arthur's Orchard in Rockburn

**Wedding Reception**  
in honour of  
**Stacey Morley &  
David Bryson**  
**SATURDAY SEPT. 22, 2001, 9 pm**  
L'Hermine  
212 Rang St-Charles, St-Chrysostome  
Everyone Welcome  
Best Wishes Only