

Birth and Deaths

Card of Thanks, In Memoriams, Engagements

DIED

ALLEN, Ernest - At the Valleyfield Hospital on February 11, 2003, aged 72 years. Beloved husband of Margaret Laurin. Also survived by his children Nancy (Danny), David (Wendy), Bill and Jimmy, his mother Margaret Allen, his sister Dora and his brothers Harold (Cora), Bert (Rita) and his grandchildren Dustin, Jamie, Jessica and many nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his son Frederick. Rested at J.M. Sharpe Funeral Home, Franklin Centre. The funeral service was held Friday, February 14 at 8:30 p.m. in the J.M. Sharpe Funeral Home Chapel.

DOUGLAS, Isabella (née Wills) - At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown on February 20, 2003 in her ninety-ninth year, beloved mother of Joan (Brian). Also survived by her granddaughter Dawn (Stan Kirchoff), great-granddaughters Stephenie and Melanie, relatives and friends. Predeceased by her grandson Stephen. Special thanks to Helen and Peter Barrington. A funeral service was held from the chapel of the McGerrigle Funeral Home Inc., Ormstown on Monday, February 24. If so desired, donations to the Women's Auxiliary of the Barrie Memorial Hospital would be appreciated.

MASON, Mona Elizabeth (née McDougall) - Born March 30, 1914, passed away after a long illness at Centre Haut St. Laurent, Ormstown, on February 24, 2003, wife of the late Everett Mason; loving mother to Marion (Gordon), John (Rosemary) and Douglas (Elizabeth); grandmother to Vicky, Joy, Holly, David, Robert, William, Richard and Glenn and 14 great-grandchildren. Also survived by her sisters Enid, Audrey, Wilma and Florence, brother-in-law Frank Mason, relatives and friends. Pre-deceased by her sisters Frances, Kathleen, Helen and Jonete and brother Ewen. The family will receive condolences on Wednesday, February 26 in St. Paul's United Church, Ormstown at 12 p.m. followed by the funeral service at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations to the Women's Auxiliary of the Barrie Memorial Hospital would be appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to McGerrigle Funeral Home Inc., Ormstown.

DIED

NESS, Ruth Margaret (née Merrill) - Left this earth to join her husband, the late Mitchell Ness, on the afternoon of Monday, February 17, 2003. Beloved mother of Alan, Andy and Chris. Dear mother-in-law of Sandy, Donna, Janet and Barb. Will be sadly missed by her 8 grandchildren, Tonia, Andrea, Mitchell, Laura, Katie, William, Todd and Trevor and her 2 great grandchildren Darby and Jenna Nicole. Loving sister of Roger Merrill. Long-time sincere friend of Frances LeBaron of North Hatley, Quebec, Janie Brusch of Cambridge, Mass., "Hutch" Hutchison of Toronto, Gladys Wilson of Oakville and Ruthie Ness of Ormstown, Quebec. The family wishes to thank the nursing staff of RVH 3 North B for all their care and support over the last six months, and in particular these past 3 weeks. We are fortunate to have such competent, caring and empathetic nursing at work at our Royal Victoria Hospital. A memorial service will be held at Central United Church, 54 Ross Street, Barrie, Ontario on Saturday, February 22 at 11:00 a.m. Lunch reception to follow in the church hall. In lieu of flowers, donations made to the Royal Victoria Hospital in support of the Palliative Care Unit or the new Regional Cancer Care Centre in Ruth's name would be greatly appreciated and may be made through the Steckley-Gooderham Funeral Homes, 30 Worsley Street, Barrie, Ontario L4M 1L4. Condolences may be forwarded through www.steckleygooderham.com

WINTER, Nancy Dene - Passed away at the Guelph General Hospital on Monday, February 3, 2003. Nancy Dene Winter, in her 57th year was the beloved mother of Ian Brown of Baysville and Julie Brown of Guelph. She is survived by her mother Marion Winter and her sister Holly Moneypenny (Harry). A memorial service was held in Guelph on February 8 followed by cremation. In Nancy's memory donations made to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Gérard Côté, we would like to sincerely thank everyone who shared our sadness with their gestures of sympathy. And our special thanks to Dr. Marc Héту, Faye and the nurses of the CLSC and Amy Tolhurst for their devotion and wonderful care.

His wife Kathleen and family

We, the family of the late Ernest Allen, wish to thank each and every one for your sympathy, kindness, flowers, cards, foods and donations. All was deeply appreciated.

Thank-you from wife Margaret Children Billy, David, Nancy & Jimmy

The family of the late Dan Darragh would like to thank everyone who sent cards, flowers, food, donations and who paid their respects. Many thanks to the staff of the Centre d'Accueil, Ormstown for the excellent care given to Dan. All these kind thoughts and good wishes will not be forgotten.

BORN

SUTTON, GRAHAM - Kevin and Karen are thrilled to announce the birth of their daughter Kristin Isabella born February 22, 2003 at the Anna Laberge Hospital, weighing 7 lb. 3 oz. Proud grandparents are Melvin and Verna Graham and Isabel Sutton.

Died

December 16, 2002

Georges P. Duquette at the age of 45 years, eldest son of the late Helene Sharpe and late Ovilla Duquette, formerly from Hemmingford. He leaves to mourn his wife Diane Kruchak, his son Deni, his brothers Fernand (Juliette), Marcel (Joan), his sisters Fernande, Rolande, Pierrette, Rita (Eugène), Irène, Thérèse (André). Many nephews and nieces and their children. Funeral was held in Winnipeg on December 30 2002, at 2:30 p.m.

Georges P. Duquette
1957-2002

May the Lord greet Georges in his home of peace and light.

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