

OBITUARIES



DEL GUIDICE, Joseph Paul

We are sad to announce the passing of Joseph Del Guidice peacefully on Thursday, October 7, 2021 at the Rockwood Terrace Nursing Home. Joe, in his 83rd year, beloved husband of Mary Del Guidice (58 years). Loving father of Patrick (Helene), Michael (Daniela) and John. Cherished grandfather to Michayla, Gwendolyn, Samantha and Evan. Brother to Albert (Lynn). Joe was a member of the Elgin Little Theatre (St. Thomas), Georgetown Little Theatre, Georgetown Globe Productions and Brampton Music Society playing feature roles in Fiddler on the Roof, L'il Abner and a host of others over a span of twenty-five years. Another highlight was directing, with good friend Fred Marks, the production of, "His Last Days" at Holy Cross Church. He was also very active with his church community in Georgetown and later in retirement participated in a Sunday choir Holy Family Church, Hanover. While rejoicing in his life and gifts, he will be deeply missed by family and friends alike. Services will be held on Saturday, October 16, 2021 at Holy Family Church, 352 10th Avenue, Hanover. The Wake will be held at 9 a.m. with the Memorial Mass at 10 a.m. Family and friends are kindly invited to attend. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions would be appreciated: to Canadian Food for Children, National Office, 1258 Lakeshore Rd. E. Mississauga, Ontario, L5E 1E9, Phone: (905) 274-9239

MILLER-FERGUSON, Audra Denise Nicolle
1974 - 2021



Surrounded by her loving family, Audra lost her courageous battle with colon cancer on Friday, October 1, 2021 at the age of 47. Loving wife to Ben Ferguson, amazingly devoted, dedicated mother to Benjamin and Addyson (and fur baby Ellie). Dear daughter to Allan and Diane Miller. Younger sister to Sherry Waters and predeceased by brother-in-law Steven Waters. Older sister to Shannon Miller (Troy Dunster). Daughter-in-law to Sandra Ferguson and sister-in-law to Rebecca. Auntie to Evelyn. Predeceased by father-in-law Peter Ferguson (Sharon Craigen). Loving niece to Carol and Steve Michalochristas, Pat and Mario Musketa, Marilyn and Rick Krist. Cousin to Alicia, Stephanie and Tyler. Big sister to Kimberly Henley. Sweet friend to so very many. Audra was born on January 18, 1974 in Brampton, Ontario. She grew up there and made hundreds of friends over the years at Goldcrest Public, Greenbriar Senior Public and Chinguacousy Secondary School. She earned her Human Services Counsellor Degree at George Brown College and went on to find her true calling working for the City of Toronto's Women's Residence where she served the City's homeless population

throughout her 12 year career. Audra was a champion for those less fortunate and a voice for those who needed one. She absolutely loved working as a supervisor at Women's Residence (Seaton House and Fort York Residence as well) where she will be deeply missed by her clients and colleagues. Audra also reflected fondly on her bartending/server years at Cambridge Suites, NASA Dance Pub, the Original Steak House, the Olive Garden and others. Her forever happy place was the family cottage in Fenelon Falls. Ben and the family would like to thank everyone for all of the generosity and love. It's been amazing and although we/she couldn't always respond or chat to thank you - trust us she loved you all and so do we. The strength she showed over her last nine months was nothing short of stoic - often giving me the courage and optimism that I needed so desperately. Audra was a remarkable person who was loved by all who knew her. She lived a life of compassion and kindness, with a heart so big there was room for everyone. The family would also like to thank the oncology unit at Michael Garron (Dr. Bin, Rockstar Nurse Amanda Beazer and team), the happy and positive nurse Tiffany De La Torre, Dr. Curtis, Dr. Joshi, Dr. Trevor Morey, Gilda's Club (Tory/Teri) and Greenwood Pharmacy. Celebration of Life October 29, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. Invitation only (due to Covid-19) Audra's Celebration of Life will be livestreamed on Facebook. Check her facebook profile for a link. Audra is now safe in the arms of God.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in her memory to Anishnawbe Health Toronto at supportanishnawbe.ca or by calling 416-657-0379 x 232.

A loving person, so gentle and kind; what a wonderful memory you left behind.



MURRAY, Mary Julia
(nee Braidia)

Passed away peacefully at the age of 85 years. Beloved wife of Frank, dear mother of Frank Jr, David (Roxanne) and John and loved Nonna of Julia, Allison and Rowan. Mary was the dear sister of Aldo Braidia, Raymond (Patricia) Braidia and Dena Defend and sister in law to Ledia Braidia. Mary was predeceased by her parents Abele and Agnes Braidia, brother, Leno Braidia and brother in law, Peter Defend. Mary loved all of her family and friends and the world has lost a beautiful, patient and caring soul. Mary's love of her grandchildren was undeniable and she will live on in the lessons and love she has shown and taught them and every life that she touched. We all love you Nonna very much! You will be missed but never forgotten. Mary's family will receive relatives and friends at Westmount Memorial Celebration Centre, 1001 Ottawa St. S., Kitchener, (519-743-8900) on Saturday November 27, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. Inurnment will follow at Williamsburg Cemetery. If desired, donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or Diabetes Canada would be appreciated.

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SPIELVOGEL, Diane
(née Dawkins)
July 31, 1937 -
October 10, 2021

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Diane, on Sunday, October 10, 2021 in her 85th year. Loving wife to the late William "Bill" Spielvogel for 60 years. Dear mother to Colleen Marchment, Deb (Keith) Fendley and the late Kristin Spielvogel (2019). Proud "Mama" to 6 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Survived by her brother William D. Dawkins (Pat née Manes). Predeceased by her sister Faye Pink and Dorothy Tremblay. Family will receive friends at the MacKinnon Family Funeral Home, 55 Mill Street East, Acton, Ontario on Thursday, October 14, 2021, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. A Private Funeral Service will be held at the Knox Presbyterian Church, 44 Main Street North, Acton. Interment at Fairview Cemetery. Due to Covid protocols, there will be no reception. As expressions of sympathy donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family.

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A wonderful person,
friend and aide, one who was better
God never made; a wonderful worker,
so loyal and true, one in a million –
that person was you. Just in your judgment,
always right; honest and liberal, ever upright;
loved by your friends and all whom you knew.
Our wonderful friend – that person was you.

HENSON, Frances Gertrude

Frances Gertrude Henson of Chesley, formerly of Georgetown, passed away with family at her side at Grey Bruce Health Services, Owen Sound on Monday, October 4, 2021 in her 85th year. Beloved wife of Ron. Cherished mother of Laurie (Bryan) Robinson of Acton. Fran will be dearly missed by her grandchildren Sarah Henson (Brandon Peckham), Steve Henson (Emily Lalonde), Darlene (Tyler) Scharf and Judy Robinson as well as six great-grandchildren, Sebastian, Oliver, Andrea, Abigail, Benjamin and Larissa. She will be fondly remembered by her sister Linda Buckley of Oshawa, two nieces and a nephew. Fran was predeceased by her son Bill (2006), brother Thomas (Judy) Henderson, brother-in-law Peter Buckley and her parents Thomas and Lillian (Usher) Henderson. In respecting Fran's wishes cremation has taken place and a celebration of her life will be held at a later date. Inurnment in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to Cancer Assistance Services of Halton Hills CASHH - cancerassistance.org would be appreciated as expressions of sympathy. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Rhody Family Funeral Home, Chesley. www.rhodyfamily.com

IN MEMORIAM



EZARD, Rae Louise
(Middlebrook)

May 31, 1928 -
October 9, 2013

Our hearts still roam
in hopes to pass
the rivers and roads
you still tread
in every constellation.
*You are forever
loved and missed*

May the winds of love blow softly and whisper so you'll hear; we will always love and miss you and wish that you were here.

There is a link death cannot sever, love and remembrance last forever.