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## **McCAULEY, WILLIAM JAMES 'BILL'**

*Born in Brampton on May 10, 1945, a son of the late James and Muriel (nee Wilson) McCauley, Bill passed away peacefully in Meaford on Sunday May 14, 2017 at the age of 72.*



Bill is survived by his beloved wife Norma of Meaford and he will be fondly remembered by Norma's children Theresa and Ken Gallant of Meaford and Robert and Sandra Jarvis of Smith Falls and by their children Samantha and Michael Gallant of Meaford and Richard Jarvis of Smith Falls. He will be the sorely missed Grampa Billy to Skylar.

Bill is also survived by a sister Joan and her husband George Lawson of Red Wing and a niece Laurie-Ann McCauley of Brampton.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial funeral service celebrating Bill's life will be conducted at Christ Church Anglican in Meaford on Friday May 19<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m. with a service of committal and interment of his cremated remains to follow at Lakeview Cemetery.

Family will receive friends in the fellowship hall of the church following the interment to share refreshments and further remembrances of Bill.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or Lung Association would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **MITCHELL, STEPHEN ANTHONY**

*Stephen Mitchell passed away at his home in Meaford on Monday May 8, 2017 at the age of 56.*



Born in Toronto on June 21, 1960, a son of Joan Mitchell (nee Acton) and the late Anthony 'Tony' Mitchell.

Stephen will be remembered fondly by his wife Pearl Mitchell, and by his children Cheryl Mitchell (Scott MacNeil) and John Mitchell (Crystal). He was the dear grandfather of Ethan and Andrea Mitchell and Olivia MacNeil.

He was the brother of Michael Mitchell, Cheryl Mitchell, and Lori Leland.

Stephen was fondly known as 'Radar' to his friends and will be dearly missed by those who knew him.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service, officiated by Reverend SallyAnn Longfellow, will be conducted at the **Ferguson Funeral Home** in Meaford on Tuesday May 16, 2017 at 11 o'clock with visiting the hour prior to service. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



### HARE, BETTE MINERVA

*Born in Hamilton on July 2, 1928, a daughter of the late Hobart Vincent and Ruth Marguerite (nee Pickard) Yeomans, Bette passed away peacefully at the Meaford Long Term Care Centre in Meaford on Tuesday, May 9, 2017 in her 89<sup>th</sup> year.*



Bette was predeceased by her beloved husband Leonard 'Len' Hare on July 25, 2003 following 57 years of marriage. She is lovingly remembered by their children Lynn and her husband Joe Kanyo of Bradford, Rod and his wife Debbie of St. Catharines, Janet Hare-Hancock, and Diana and her husband Adrian VanderHulst all of Meaford.

She will be sorely missed by her 10 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren: Christa and Rick Derry and their two children, Jacquie and Chris Wesley and their two children, Preston Hare, Jordan Hare, Jill VanderHulst, Joe VanderHulst and his wife Corissa and their five children, Laura VanderHulst, Sarah and her husband Joel Anderson and their three children and John and MaryJane VanderHulst.

Bette was predeceased by three brothers: Hobart, Robert and James Yeomans, and three sisters: Gloria Morrison, Violet Morrison, and June Wartman and is remembered as a dear sister-in-law by Harold Morrison, Elaine Yeomans and Harold Morrison. She will be recalled fondly by the Hare families and her several nieces and nephews and their families.

Family will receive friends at the Cook Street Pentecostal Tabernacle at the corner of Cook and Nelson Street in Meaford from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. on Friday May 12, 2017 where a funeral service, officiated by Rev. Dan Mihalic, will be conducted at 11 o'clock. A family service of committal and interment will follow at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford with a reception to follow in the fellowship hall of the church.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Meaford Nursing Home Auxiliary or the Alzheimer Society would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)

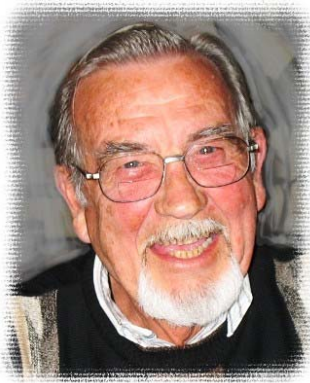


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## **ROBINSON, DOUGLAS ADELBERT**

*Born in Meaford on October 23, 1931, a son of the late George and Muriel (née Juniper) Robinson, Doug passed away peacefully in the presence of loving family at the Meaford Hospital on Saturday April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017 in his 86<sup>th</sup> year.*



Doug was predeceased by his beloved wife Joyce (née Armstrong) on November 9, 1998. He is remembered as the loved father of Paul Robinson and his wife Beth of Oshawa, Russ Robinson and his wife Crystal of Edmonton, Mike Robinson and his wife Tracey of Kimberley, and Rob Robinson and his wife Kim of East York. He was predeceased by a daughter-in-law Barb.

He was the devoted grandfather and great grandfather 'Papa' to Rebekah (Chris) Hall and their children Merrin, Gabriel and Seth; Meaghan (Kyle) Sherwin and their children Hunter, Ryker, Madelyn and Lochlan; Averil (David) Baxter and their children Aidan, Quinn, Broghan and Greyson; Chris Robinson; Nate (Val) Robinson and their children Tavin and Deacon; Micah (Jenny) Robinson; and Jenna and Haley Robinson. He is remembered also by Crystal's children Kirk Smith (Shauna) and daughter Lily; and Paige Smith (James).

He was predeceased by his brother Ken Robinson, sisters Helen Boyes and Shirley Murray and is remembered also by his brother-in-law Al Murray all of Meaford. Doug will be missed by his several nieces and nephews and by their families and he will be recalled fondly by his dear friend Arlene Stevens of Meaford and also by her family.

Family will receive friends at the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E. in Meaford on Monday from 5 until 8 p.m. Funeral services, officiated by Pastor Matt Foalden, will be conducted at **Olivet Baptist Church**, Ivan Street, Meaford on Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 11 a.m. with a family service of committal and interment to follow at Lakeview Cemetery.

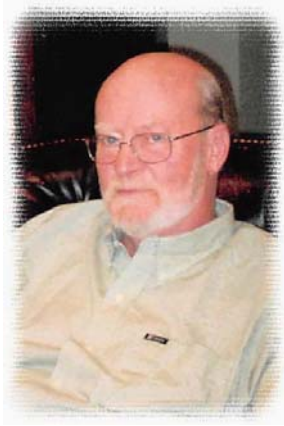
If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated.

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## **MOLLOY, MICHAEL JOSEPH**

*Michael Joseph Molloy died peacefully on the morning of Tuesday, April 4, 2017, (aged 74) with Nicole by his side. He is finally at rest after having suffered for years with decreased mobility, multiple cardiovascular events and complications from diabetes.*



Michael was a natural athlete, who excelled in both hockey and football at Humberside Collegiate. He was strong willed, intelligent and self-reliant and brought integrity and commitment to everything he attempted. Michael was equally at home wearing jeans on the farm in Prince Edward County as he was wearing pinstripes on Bay Street. In either case, he had the respect of his peers for his dedication and skill.

He will be dearly missed by his sisters Catherine Molloy and Sharon Gardiner and families. Tania and Alan Baker, his step children, have benefitted greatly from his loving attention over the years. His nieces and nephews will all remember him fondly.

He will live on in the hearts of his many friends including his long time Humberside friends Lorne Hicks, John and Dawn Meyers, Virginia Koshan and Bill Handiak.

A celebration of Michael's life will be held at Meaford House in the gardens he so loved on Sunday, May 21, 2017. Family and friends are invited to attend from noon until 4pm.

If so desired, and as your expression of sympathy in Michael's memory, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)

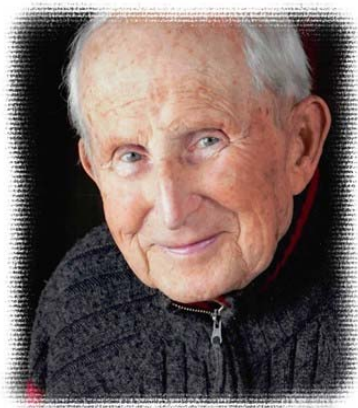


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### **FALVEY, DANIEL J.**

*On Tuesday March 21, 2017, Daniel J. Falvey passed away at the Grey-Bruce Hospice in Owen Sound at the age of 86, surrounded by the love and comfort of his wife and family.*



Dan is survived by the love of his life, wife Elizabeth and loving daughters Danna, Rosanne and Brenda and grandchildren Aaron and Katherine Fitzpatrick and Haley Mitchell.

He is survived by his sister Margaret Clarke (Jim) and nephews Bryan and Brad and predeceased by his brother Gordon and half-sister Diane.

Nieces and nephews Tim, Jessica, Ryan, Lila, Bonnie and many others will remember Dan fondly.

After a lengthy career at CN Rail, Dan and Elizabeth retired to Meaford, enjoying many years skiing, hiking and kayaking. Dan embraced life. He was an avid fisherman who loved the outdoors and Sunday afternoons watching professional football and edging out his opponents in "Pegs and Jokers."

Through all of life's challenges, Dan never lost his quick wit and sense of humour. He will be greatly missed by all of those who knew and loved him.

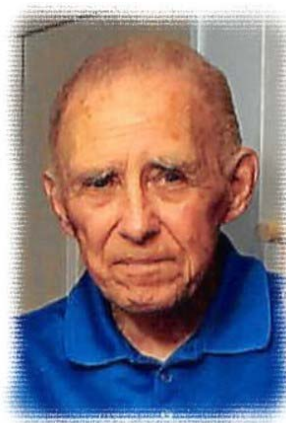
Family and friends will be received at Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford on Friday March 24<sup>th</sup> from 6 until 8 p.m. Funeral services will be conducted at the funeral home on Saturday March 25<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m. with a family service of committal and interment to follow at Lakeview Cemetery. Family will receive friends at Olivet Baptist Church on Ivan Street following the interment to share further memories of Dan.

As your expression of sympathy and in lieu of flowers, donations in Dan's memory to the new Chapman House Hospice or the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



### **TIPPIN, DONALD KIMBLE - Service Details Announced**

*Don Tippin of Meaford passed away peacefully at the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital on Monday February 6, 2017 in his 86<sup>th</sup> year.*



Born in Meaford on October 11, 1931, a son of the late Sydney and Phylis (nee Shaw) Tippin.

Don was the beloved husband of Dorothy Tippin (nee Loucks) of Meaford for more than 60 years.

He will be sadly missed by his son Dan Tippin and his wife Wendy of St. Thomas, and his son Dave Tippin and his wife Sandie Amodeo of Meaford. He is the cherished grandpa of Katelyn Tippin of St. Thomas, David and Catherine Amodeo of B.C., and great grandpa of Sloan and Malcolm.

*Cremation has taken place and a graveside service of committal and interment of Don's ashes will be conducted at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford, on Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m.*

As your expression of sympathy, donations to the Arthritis Society would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)

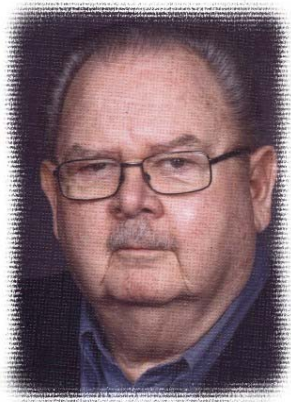


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### **YENTA, GLENN THOMAS - Service Details Announced**

*Born in Horton Township, Renfrew County on March 17, 1935, a son of the late Tony and Edna (nee O'Connor) Yenta, Glenn passed away in Meaford following a brief illness on Saturday February 4, 2017 at the age of 81.*



Glenn is remembered as the beloved husband of Verna (nee Henderson) Yenta of Meaford and as the much loved Dad of Michael and his wife Sharon of Paisley, Kathryn and her husband Kevin Sherwood of Toronto, and Nicole and her husband Rick Magness of McMinnville, TN. He will be sorely missed as the devoted Grandpa of his five grandchildren: Jordan and Peter Yenta, Ceanna Sherwood, and Mackenzie and Gabriella Magness.

Glenn is survived by his twin sisters Joan (late Stafford) Shannon and Joyce and her husband John Shannon all of Marmora, and Lorraine (late Gary) Buck of Norwood. He will be remembered fondly by his several nieces and nephews and their families.

Family will receive friends at the **Ferguson Funeral Home** in Meaford on Tuesday February 7<sup>th</sup> from 6 until 8 p.m. where prayers will be recited at 7:45 p.m.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Vincent's Roman Catholic Church, corner of Collingwood and Cook Streets, in Meaford on Wednesday February 8<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. with cremation to follow.

*A service of committal and interment of Glenn's ashes will be conducted at Lakeview Cemetery on Saturday June 10, 2017 at 10 a.m.*

If so desired and in lieu of flowers, donations to the Canadian Cancer society or a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the Ferguson Funeral Home, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9.  
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## **MALLOCH, VERNA AMELIA**

*Born in St. Vincent Township on March 28, 1916, Verna (nee McCartney) passed away following a brief illness at Summit Place in Owen Sound on Thursday March 9, 2017 in her 101<sup>st</sup> year.*



A longtime resident of Meaford, Verna was predeceased by her beloved husband Ralph Irving Malloch in 1967.

She is remembered as the much loved mother of Bill Malloch and his wife Alice Cowan of Meaford. She was predeceased by her son Robert Malloch of Meaford (Sandra) in 2008.

Verna will be the sadly missed 'Gram' of Patrick (Anna), Peter (Angela) and James Malloch, Amy (Justin) Bumstead, and Josh Malloch. She will be missed also by eight great grandchildren.

Verna was predeceased by her sister Leitta Huss of Owen Sound.

Cremation has taken place with interment at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or the Alzheimer Society would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted.

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## **SMITH, ROSETTA PEGGY**

*Peggy Smith of Kelso Villa in Owen Sound and formerly of Aiken Street, Meaford, passed away peacefully at the Owen Sound Regional Hospital on Saturday February 25, 2017 at the age of 89.*



Peggy was the beloved wife of some 62 years of John Smith of Meaford and formerly of England, who predeceased her on October 19, 2007.

She and John moved to Meaford in 1997 to join their daughter and son-in-law, where Peggy resided until matters of healthcare needs saw her move to Kelso Villa in Owen Sound some years after John's death.

Peggy is remembered as a much-loved mother by her daughter Janice Smith and her husband Richard Prazmowski of Meaford and as a devoted Nana of

Matthew Kemble of Brampton and Laura Tribble and her husband Rod of Orangeville and 'Sooper Nana' of their son Wesley.

Peggy was a dear sister of Eric Hobbs of England, who will miss her terribly, and will also be fondly remembered by her several nieces and nephews and by their families in Cambridgeshire, Kent and Norfolk, England.

Peggy was born in Bishop's Waltham, Hampshire, England on July 22, 1927 to Bertha and Sydney Hobbs. She was their third child, following her elder brother William and elder sister Mary, now both deceased.

Peggy was "one of a kind". Peggy was young at heart, always modern in fashion and loved bright colours. She kept informed with respect to politics and current affairs, was well travelled, loved upbeat, modern music, admired her grandchildren's sense of style and every new haircut they ever had. She was proud of their accomplishments. Wesley enjoyed having "picnics" with "Sooper Nana", whether at Kelso Villa or Kelso Park. Last year on Peggy's 89<sup>th</sup> birthday, Wesley beat her at "Sorry", which sent them both into hoots of laughter.

Cremation has taken place, at which time Peggy wore a colourful outfit that had great meaning for her. A rose accompanied her to welcome the peace she



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has now found which has been so sadly lacking for her since January. A private family gathering to celebrate Peggy's life will take place at a later date. At this time Peggy's family will laugh, cry, eat, drink and celebrate every aspect of her personality and life.

Peggy's family wishes to express sincere thanks to the staff of Kelso Villa, who have gone above and beyond in their care of Peggy. Also, the doctors and nurses at Owen Sound Regional Hospital, who have given sensitive, professional care during the admissions of the last two months. Our heartfelt thanks go to Dr. Hodgson, and last but by no means least, to Dr. Blake, who has taken the most wonderful care of Peggy.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Owen Sound Hospital Foundation or a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted.  
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## **BELL, DENNIS IRWIN**

*Born in Collingwood on February 10, 1945, a son of the late Mervyne and Selina (nee Harmer) Bell, Dennis passed away at Meaford Hospital on Sunday February 12, 2017 at the age of 72.*

Dennis, a long time resident of Thornbury, is remembered as the beloved husband of Maureen (nee Shaw) and much loved Dad of Jason and his wife Bobi of Meaford and Jennifer and her husband Grant Jones of Collingwood and grandfather of Noah, Lukas and Rylin Bell and Hayden, Dylan and Grayson Jones.

Dennis was a dear brother of Judith Bell and Daniel Bell, both of Meaford, and he was predeceased also by his brother Donald Bell in 1996.

He is recalled as a dear son-in-law of Winifred Shaw (late George) of Meaford and brother-in-law to Jim Shaw and his wife Janice of Stratford and he will be fondly remembered by his several nieces and nephews and their families.

Cremation has taken place and a family service of committal and interment of Dennis' cremated remains will take place at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy and in keeping with Dennis' great affection for his rescue dog and companion 'Josi', donations to the Owen Sound Animal Shelter would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **NIKOLIC, DANICA (NEE VASIC)**

*Born in Serbia on September 4, 1923, Danica Nikolic (nee Vasic) of Meaford, passed away following a brief illness at Meaford Hospital on Saturday February 4, 2017 at the age 93.*



Danica will be remembered as the much loved mother of Bojana and her husband Helmut Melzer of Germany and Gordana and her husband Klaus Mueller of Meaford.

She will be recalled as the cherished grandmother 'Baba' of Harald Melzer and his wife Heike, Philip Mueller and his wife Kristin and Darren Mueller and his wife Agata and the sorely missed great grandmother of Yannik, Noah and Emma.

Danica was predeceased by three brothers and a sister of Serbia and she will be fondly recalled as a dear aunt by her several nieces and nephews and their families as well as her extended family and many dear friends.

Danica's family will receive friends at the **Ferguson Funeral Home** in Meaford on Friday February 10<sup>th</sup> from 12:30 until the hour of service at 1:30.

Family will share in a further time of remembrances and refreshments in the fellowship hall of Meaford United Church upon conclusion of the service.

Cremation will follow with a service of committal and interment of Danica's ashes to be conducted at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Meaford Hospital Foundation or Owen Sound Hospital Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the Ferguson Funeral Home, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **PALHALMI, MARY (WHITE – NEE COUSINS)**

*Born in Collingwood on February 11, 1933 a daughter of the late Charles and Annie (nee Wilson) Cousins, Mary of Meaford, passed away at Owen Sound Hospital on Tuesday January 31, 2017 at the age of 83.*



Mary was predeceased by her husband Lavern White in 1982 and subsequently married Andras

‘Andy’ Palhalmi who also predeceased her in 2013.

She will be remembered as a very much loved Mom by her daughters Linda Anderson and Debbie Rowles, both of Meaford and as the devoted grandmother ‘Nanna’ of Dan Anderson and Crystal Rowles, both of Owen Sound and the cherished great grandmother of Shantel Williams, Malcolm Varley and Riley Roske, also of Owen Sound. She was predeceased and

remembered in spirit by a granddaughter Sherri Anderson. Mary was the proud great-great grandmother of Carter Reid.

Sisters Ethel Brannigan and Betty Pople and brothers Jim and Don Cousins survive their sister Mary and she was predeceased also by a brother, Bill Cousins and sisters Marie Cousins and Shirley Webster.

She will be recalled affectionately as a dear aunt by her several nieces and nephews and their families.

Cremation has taken place and a service of committal and interment of her ashes will take place at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donation to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **Le BLANC, SHIRLEY**

*Shirley Le Blanc of Meaford, born in Port Royal, Richmond County Nova Scotia on October 4, 1943, a daughter of the late Cornelius and Florence (née Le Jeune) Bonin, passed away suddenly and unexpectedly in Meaford on Monday January 30, 2017, in her 74<sup>th</sup> year.*



She is remembered as a much loved mother by her daughter Suzanne and husband Dale of Saulinerville, Nova Scotia and children Jamie, Courtney, Michael and his wife Kelley and Matthew, and by her son Kevin and his wife Sharon of Owen Sound, and formerly of Meaford, and their children Zoë and Denae. She will be the sorely missed great grandmother “Memé” of Aria and Finn.

A son Keith of Meteghan River, Nova Scotia predeceased Shirley in 1996.

Shirley was a dear sister of Gladys of Winnipeg and predeceased by brothers Frankie, Gus, Ambrose, Negal, Don, Leon and Raymond and will be fondly remembered by her many nieces and nephews and dear friends in Cape Breton and Nova Scotia.

Cremation has taken place and a celebration of Shirley’s life and interment of her cremated remains will take place ‘back home’ in Cape Breton at a later date in the summer of this year.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## WEST, PATRICIA ANNE

*Pat, born in Woodstock, a daughter of the late Golding and Florence Myrtle (née Milton) Hulse, passed away in Meaford on Saturday January 21, 2017 at the age of 83.*



She is recalled as the beloved wife of Bill West of Meaford who predeceased her in 2009 and as the much loved mother of her son Jeff and daughter Joanne. She was predeceased by a son David and a daughter Cathy, both in 2014. She will also be recalled with affection as a mother-in-law to Dave, Rob and Cheryl.

Pat will be fondly remembered by her seven grandchildren: Marina, Keisha, Robin, Dana, Rachel, Mindy and Greg and by her two great grandchildren: Randy and Nala.

A brother Ken and sister Barb survive her and Pat was predeceased by a brother Ron.

Cremation has taken place and a private family disposition of Pat's cremated remains will be held at a later date.

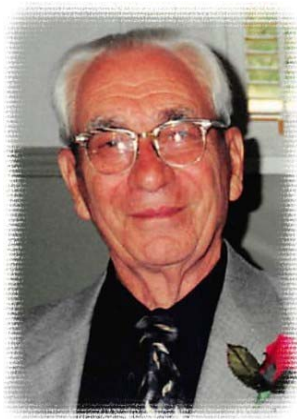
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## **HOGGARD, MAURICE ANDREW**

*Maurice passed away peacefully at the Meaford Long Term Care Centre on Saturday January 7, 2017 at the age of 92.*



Born on the 'Raymond farm' in St. Vincent Township on May 7, 1924, the only child of the late Walter and Rose Elizabeth (nee Andrew) Hoggard, Maurice was the beloved husband for 66 years of the late Ellouise Doreen (nee Johnston) Hoggard of Meaford.

Maurice was the loving Dad of Marilynn and Royce and his wife Margaret and the proud grandfather of Andrew and his wife Shilo and great grandfather of Zach, Josh and Abbie.

He will be fondly remembered by his first cousins: Alice Hoggard of Thornbury, Carol Nicholson and Shirley Haines of Lindsay, Norm (Mildred) Tripp of Coldwater, Betty Doan of Elmvale and Elborne (June) Andrew of Collingwood as well as his first cousins by marriage: Audrey Hoggard of Thornbury and Eileen Tripp of Newmarket.

He was close to his brothers-in-law Wally Johnston (Fern) and the late Len Johnston. He had a special place in his heart for his nieces Lori (Sam), Melanie (Paul), Marie (Ron), and his nephew Ed (Carolyn) and their families.

From an early age Maurice was more interested in farm machines rather than farming itself and consequently pursued a career in auto mechanics. He worked at several garages in the local area and, on his marriage to Ellouise in 1950, he relocated to work in Port Perry and then Oshawa. On his retirement in 1984, he and Ellouise became "Snowbirds" and spent over 25 years square dancing, travelling and thoroughly enjoying life.

A great story teller, Maurice could entertain for hours with his recollection of his fishing trips, camping adventures from those in a small green tent through those in the Air Stream trailers, square dancing, playing viola in the Oshawa Symphony Orchestra and trombone in the Thornbury Band and a multitude of family tales.



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In May 2015 Maurice and Ellouise returned to their hometown and moved into the Meaford Long Term Care Centre.

Family will receive friends at the Ferguson Funeral Home, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford on Saturday January 14<sup>th</sup> from 10 until the hour of service at 11 a.m. officiated by Reverend Rosemary Von Keitz.

Family will share in a time of refreshment and sharing further remembrances of Maurice in the fellowship hall of Christ Church Anglican immediately adjacent to the funeral home following the funeral service.

A service of committal and interment will be conducted at Thornbury-Clarksburg Union Cemetery at 1:45 p.m.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)

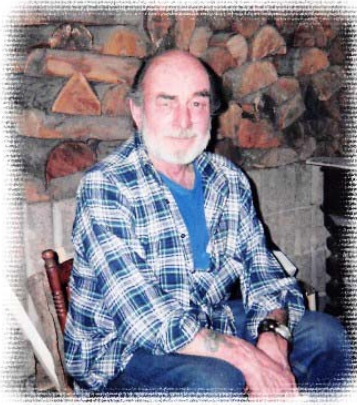


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## **JOHNSON, WAYNE**

*Wayne Johnson of Meaford passed away at Grey Bruce Health Services in Owen Sound on Wednesday January 4, 2017 at the age of 73.*



He was the father of Kerri and her husband Lance Jones of Camrose, Alberta and was predeceased by his son Robert Beckerley in 2011.

Wayne was the Grandfather of Kirstin, Dion, Hannah and Haley.

He was predeceased also by his brother Lawrence.

Wayne will be loved and missed by Suzie Dorey of Meaford and by her son Jason Dorey (Jamie), and daughter Amanda Dorey (Ian) and their five children Chase, Mya, Dylan, Alyssa and Quinton.

Friends are invited to gather for the interment at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford on Monday January 9, 2017 at 3:30 p.m.

As your expression of sympathy, donations to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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### **EAGLES, JANIE**

*Born in St. Vincent Township and a longtime resident of Meaford, Janie passed away in Meaford on Wednesday January 4, 2017 at the age of 92.*



She was the daughter of the late Harold and Ethel (nee Reid) Vickers and step-daughter of the late Mable (nee Doherty).

Janie was predeceased by her beloved husband Wilmer “Shorty” Eagles in 1994 and is remembered as the much loved Mom of Sharon and her husband Allan Thompson of Markdale, Donna Eagles of Meaford, Dennis Eagles and his wife Bonnie of Fergus, Gerald Eagles and his wife Sandy of Clarksburg, Doug Eagles and his wife Gwenda of Cambridge and Brenda and

her husband Scott May of Waterloo. A son Ken Eagles predeceased Janie and she is remembered by his wife Lynda also of Meaford. Fifteen grandchildren and twenty six great grandchildren will sorely miss their Gramma.

Janie was predeceased also by a sister Viola (late Jim) Shaw of Meaford. She will be fondly recalled as a dear aunt by her several nieces and nephews and by their families.

Funeral services officiated by Rev. Cathy Miller will be conducted at Christ Church Anglican in Meaford on Monday January 9<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. with visiting the hour prior to service at the church.

A family service of committal and interment will take place at Lakeview Cemetery and Janie’s family will receive friends in the fellowship hall of the church immediately thereafter to share refreshment and further memories of Janie with all.

As your expression of sympathy donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation, Meaford Hospital Foundation or a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher Street East, Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 (519 538 1320)

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## **ROWATT, GORDON**

*Gordon Rowatt of Meaford passed away suddenly in Glasgow, Scotland on November 24, 2016 at the age of 74.*

He was a son of the late George and Ellenora (nee Bain) Rowatt.



Gordon was the dear brother of Stan and Teresia Rowatt of Meaford and Alan and Linda Rowatt of Picton.

Gordon will be remembered for his 60 years in the theatre, including the years he thoroughly enjoyed at the Meaford Hall. He loved his time spent volunteering with the Canadian Dachshund Rescue.

A memorial service celebrating Gordon's life will be conducted at Trinity United Church in Collingwood on Saturday June 24, 2017 at 11:30am. There will be a time for refreshments and sharing memoirs of Gordon following the service.

As your expression of sympathy, donations to the Friends of the Meaford Library or the Canadian Dachshund Rescue would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9, or please feel free to contact the family at [88keyrowatt@gmail.com](mailto:88keyrowatt@gmail.com) for further details regarding the service. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **COOPER, JOHN ARTHUR**

*Born in Meaford, a son of the late Charlie and Florence (nee Eakers) Cooper, John passed away unexpectedly at his home in Meaford on Friday December 30, 2016.*



John is survived by his beloved wife, the former Merle Woods, with whom he shared 61 years of marriage enjoying one another's company in many adventures, interests and activities. John will be remembered for his many years of service at the local hospital where he managed the facility's custodial and laundry services with great dedication.

He was predeceased by his brother Reg Cooper, and by his sisters Lillian "Lill" Finley-Rush and Doris Parsons.

John will be recalled as a special uncle to Ian 'Butch' Finley and his wife Linda of Meaford and their son Sean; the late Greg Parsons and Kate of Orillia and their children Krista, Marcie and Brent; and Phil Parson of Sint Maarten and sons Jay and Matt and also by the Woods families.

Cremation has taken place and a graveside service of committal and interment of John's cremated remains will take place at Lakeview Cemetery at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to OVC Pet Trust (Ontario Veterinary College) Guelph [www.pettrust.ca](http://www.pettrust.ca) or the Meaford Hospital Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **WARD, JOHN GORDON 'GORD'**

*Born in Etobicoke on March 26, 1942, a son of the late William Douglas and Gladys Franny (née Hunter) Ward, Gord passed away in Meaford on Wednesday December 28, 2016 at the age of 74.*



He was predeceased by his beloved wife Margaret in 2009 and is remembered as the much loved father of Bonnie Kucherawy and her partner Bill King of Georgetown and as the loving grandfather of her children Tyler and Trevor.

Gord will be recalled as a dear Dad to Barb Courchesne and Marcel of Guelph and grandfather to Scott and his daughter Madeleine, and step-father also to Debbie Berkers-Beckner of Mississauga and remembered by her children Dustin, Ryan and Sara.

Gord will be sadly missed by his nieces and nephews and families and also by his many fishing 'buddies' on the shores of Georgian Bay.

Gord's family also expresses a sincere gratitude to the staff at Meaford Hospital for their care of Gord and concern for family during this difficult time. It was truly appreciated.

Cremation has taken place and a private family disposition of Gord's cremated remains will take place at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements are entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **CAMPBELL, GORDON M.**

(Retired, Nortel Networks, Brampton)

*It is with profound sorrow and with thanksgiving for a full life that we share the passing of Gordon Murdoch Campbell at Meaford on December 20, 2016, at age 90.*



Gordon is survived by his beloved wife of 57 years, Joan.

He was the dearest Father of Joanne and her husband William Platnar and beloved Grandpa of Jillian and Charlotte Platnar all of Etobicoke.

Gordon is predeceased by his siblings: Alexander, James (Margaret), Peter (Leona), Edna, and Dorothy and is remembered fondly by his sister in law Jessie and his nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held at Knox Presbyterian Church, Meaford on Monday January 23, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. with visitation one hour prior to service.

If so desired, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca).



### ADAMS, BLANCHE ISABELL

*Blanche passed away peacefully at Meaford Long Term Care Centre on Friday December 9, 2016 with her family by her side in her 87<sup>th</sup> year.*



Born in St. Vincent Township on July 21, 1930, Blanche was the daughter of the late Charles and Martha (née Carefoot) May.

Blanche was predeceased by her beloved husband Walter Adams of Meaford on February 17, 2001.

She will be remembered as the cherished mother of Ken Adams and Louise Martin of Southampton, Carol and Jack Lambe of Meaford, Rob and Pat Adams of Meaford, Kevin and Rose Ann Adams of Kitchener, and Helen and Mark Ormsby of Meaford. She was the beloved grandma of Christopher, Trina, Shelley (Blaine), Shawn (Pam), Cynthia (Curtis), Mark (Jill), Brittany (Nathan), Justin, Courtney, Ashlynnne, Terri-Lynne and Matthew (Kate) and great grandma to Caiden, Ava, Caleb, Riley, Dylan, Connor, Colin, Dallas, Taylen, Gavin, Eden, Lorelei and Arwen.

Blanche will be remembered fondly by her sister Annabelle Doherty, sister-in-law Jean and her husband Eldon Vamplew, and by Kathy Adams. She was predeceased by her brother Allan May and her granddaughter Sherry-Lynne Adams.

Blanche's family will receive friends at the **Ferguson Funeral Home** in Meaford on Sunday December 11, 2016 from 2 until 5 p.m. A funeral service will be conducted at the First Baptist Church, Trowbridge St. W. in Meaford on Monday December 12, 2016 at 11 o'clock. A service of committal and interment will follow at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford.

As your expression of sympathy donations to the Meaford Nursing Home Auxiliary or the First Baptist Church in Meaford would be appreciated and may be made through the Ferguson Funeral Home, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **SCHEFTER, DAVID JOHN**

*Dave passed away at Grey Bruce Health Services in Meaford on Saturday December 3, 2016 at the age of 80.*



Born in Teeswater, ON in 1937, Dave was a son of the late Ralph Schefter and June Nicholson.

He is remembered as the beloved husband of the former Sharleen Graham of Meaford.

He is survived also by his son David Schefter and wife Leasha and daughters Meagan and Molly all of Hanover; daughter Kris (Schefter) Heathers and husband Brad of Owen Sound and their daughters Amanda, Morgan and Brooke.

Remembered also by his brother Ralph Schefter of Goderich and his sister Karen (Schefter) Gray of Toronto and her daughters Karina and Olivia and her son Chris and wife Valerie.

A private family service will be held at the Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, memorial donations to the Children's Wish Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9  
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## **GROTH, BJOERN JOHN**

*Born in Germany, a son of the late Max and Johanna (née Dominka) Groth, John passed away peacefully in Meaford in the presence of his beloved wife Lisa on Thursday, December 1, 2016 at the age of 84.*



John was the much loved father of Terry and his wife Linda of Brampton and the late Uwe Groth who predeceased him in 2009.

He will be recalled as the devoted Opa of his grandchildren Tyler and Teralin both of Brampton.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service celebrating John's life, officiated by Rev. SallyAnn Longfellow, will be conducted at the Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford on Friday December 9, 2016 at 1:30 p.m.

Pythagoras Lodge #137 AF & AM GRC will conduct a memorial service at the funeral home at 1 p.m.

Family will receive friends in the fellowship hall of Meaford United Church following the service for a time of refreshment and further sharing of remembrances of John.

Interment of John's cremated remains will be held at a later date at Lakeview Cemetery.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **MORRIS, CHARLOTTE CATHERINE ‘CHARLIE’**

*Charlie passed away peacefully at Grey Bruce Health Services in Owen Sound on Wednesday November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 with her loving parents by her side at the age of 6.*



Born in Owen Sound, on June 2, 2010, she was the adored daughter of Amy Kanyo and Patrick Morris of Walter's Falls and loved Granddaughter of Les and Cathy Kanyo of Bradford, Cathy Menard of Hamilton, and Bill Morris of Owen Sound.

Charlie was the sweet little niece of many aunts and uncles and will always be remembered fondly by her cousins and extended family and friends.

Charlie's family will receive friends at the Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford on Monday December 5, 2016 from 5 until 8 p.m. A funeral service, officiated by Pastor Kevin Cleary, will be conducted at the Church of Christ, Nelson Street W., Meaford, on Tuesday December 6<sup>th</sup> at 11 o'clock.

A service of committal and interment will follow at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford.

As your expression of sympathy donations to the Congenital Disorder of Glycosylation 'CDG' or charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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### **ROY, JOHN - Service Details Announced**

*John passed away unexpectedly at his home in Meaford on Sunday November 27, 2016 at the age of 78.*



Born in Scotland, a son of the late William and Violet (née Simpson) Roy, on November 23, 1938, John was ever proud of his Scottish heritage and was well known in the Meaford area for his excellence on the 'pipes'. He was always pleased to play at special occasions and events and was active with the Georgian Bay Caledonia Pipe Band and as a teacher of his talent to many local students. John was also a member of Pythagoras Lodge #137 AF & AM, GRC.

He is survived by his beloved wife 'Winnie' (née Potter) of Meaford with whom he had just returned from an enjoyable Hawaiian holiday celebrating their 55 years of marriage.

John will be remembered with love by his sons Stuart and his wife Susan Roy of Collingwood, Scott Roy and Johnny and his wife Dana Roy both of Meaford.

He will be recalled as the devoted grandfather by his grandchildren Andrew and Heather and son Jackson of Calgary, Ashley of Collingwood, Kirsten of Owen Sound and Emma and Jack of Meaford. John is survived also by his sister Jean and her husband Peter Gardner and their son Peter and by sisters-in-law Elsie Cumming and Janette Potter all of Scotland

*Cremation has taken place and a memorial celebration of John's life will be conducted at Meaford and St. Vincent Community Centre auditorium, Collingwood Street, Meaford on Saturday April 22, 2017 from 1 until 4 p.m. Brethren of the Masonic Lodge will gather to conduct a memorial service at 12:45 prior to the life celebration.*

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to Covenant House, Georgian Bay Caledonia Pipe Band or the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the Ferguson Funeral Home, 48 Boucher St. East, Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom funeral arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **CLOCK, ROBERT PAUL**

*Rob passed away suddenly at his residence on Wednesday November 30, 2016 at the age of 63.*



Born in Collingwood, a son of the late Donald and Isobel (née Handy) Clock of Meaford, Rob is remembered as the loved husband of Marilyn (nee Caswell) and the devoted father of Kristie Clock and her partner Darren De Franceschi of Thunder Bay and Travis Clock and his wife Patricia Antkowiak-Clock of London. He was the proud Papa of Hailey, Parker, Morgann, Graysonn, Remi, Anderson and Louie.

Rob was a dear brother of Larry and his wife Louise Clock and Lisa Clock all of Meaford and was predeceased by his sister Brenda Dube.

He will be remembered also by the Caswell families and as a special uncle to his several nieces and nephews and their families.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service celebrating Rob's life, officiated by Rev. SallyAnn Longfellow, will be conducted at Meaford United Church on Thursday December 8, 2016 at 11 a.m.

Rob's family will receive friends in the fellowship hall of the church following the service to share refreshments and further remembrances of Rob.

A private service of committal and interment of Rob's cremated remains will be held at Lakeview Cemetery at a later date.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or a charity of choice would be appreciated and may be made through directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



## **FITZSIMMONS, ALVA SHIRLEY**

*"I'm done here now, on to eternity"*

*Born in Owen Sound on April 4, 1949, a daughter of the late Alvin and Shirley (née Tindale) Young, Alva passed away peacefully in Meaford on Wednesday, November 30, 2016 at the age of 67.*



She is remembered as the beloved wife of Art Fitzsimmons of Meaford and devoted mother to daughter Tammy West (Steve Short) and Grandma to her sweetest Sarah.

Alva was a dear sister to Barb Bean, Judy Reid, Deb Wall and John Young and was predeceased by siblings Tom Young, Kate Fox, "Hoss" Young and also by her brothers-in-law Brian Reid and Sam Fitzsimmons.

She is remembered also as a loved sister-in-law to Bert Fox, Wade Wall and Karin Young, and to Shannon Schnurr, and Bev Brinton and her husband Dave.

Alva was predeceased also by her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Bill and Elda Fitzsimmons of Meaford.

Cremation has taken place and Alva's family will receive friends at the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford on Tuesday December 6<sup>th</sup> from 5 until 8 o'clock.

A memorial service celebrating Alva's life, officiated by Rev. Dan Mihalic, will be conducted at Cook Street Pentecostal Tabernacle, 102 Cook St., Meaford, on Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 11 a.m. with a time of fellowship and remembrances to follow at the church.

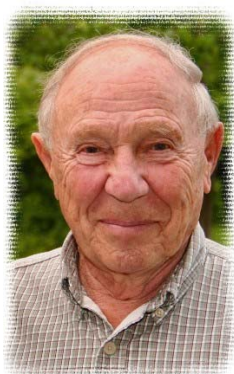
If so desired and as your expression of sympathy donations to Cook Street Pentecostal Church or the Meaford Hospital Foundation would be appreciated.

Interment of Alva's cremated remains will be conducted at Lakeview Cemetery in Meaford at a later date. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



### SCOTT, ANDREW 'LEE'

*Andrew "Lee" Scott of Meaford passed away on November 30, 2016. Born in Arnprior Ontario in 1923 to Andrew and Rheta Scott, the family moved to Goderich Ontario where Lee spent his high school years. He attended the University of Toronto and acquired a Masters Degree in chemical engineering in his early twenties.*



Lee married Eleanore MacEwan in 1945 and shortly thereafter moved to Edmonton where he taught at the University of Alberta engineering school. In 1955 he moved his young family back to Sarnia, Ontario where he began employment with the Imperial Oil Company. His engineering career eventually led him to the environmental field of oil refining where he had the opportunity to travel extensively. Lee was an engineer at heart and always maintained a problem-solving approach to every day life.

Lee and Eleanore retired to a rural property near the town of Meaford and continued to pursue their love of travel which took them to Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia. Lee was a lifelong member and elder in the Presbyterian church and participated in the planning and construction of the new Knox Presbyterian Church in Meaford.

He was preceded in death by his daughter Jane Arsenault, his granddaughter Carla Haynes and his brother Don.

Lee is survived by his devoted and loving wife of 71 years, Eleanore, and four sons, David (Adaire), Paul (Susan), Brian (Lorraine) and John (Aida) and his sister Joan Clark. He was blessed with and will be missed by ten grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The family would also like to acknowledge the excellent care provided by Dr. James Wong who was Dad's physician through a great many years and more recently the dedicated and compassionate care provided by the staff at Errinrunc Nursing Home.

In keeping with Lee's wishes, cremation has taken place and as your expressions of sympathy donations to Golden Town Outreach or the Meaford Hospital Foundation would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



## **GELYK, DAVID FRANK**

*David passed away unexpectedly at his residence in Meaford on Saturday November 19, 2016 at the age of 27.*



He was born in Owen Sound on March 29, 1989 and is survived by his wife Michaela Weppler and by his much loved daughter Adelaide of Meaford.

David was the much loved son of Bryan and step-son of Helen Gelyk also of Meaford.

David is also remembered with love by his mother Joy Bristow of Owen Sound. He is remembered as the beloved grandson of Don and Carol Bristow also of Owen Sound.

He was a dear brother to Elizabeth (Jason) Burton of London and Laura (Eric) Distad of Casper, Wyoming and step brother to David Carreira of Meaford, Kyle Takman and Leanne Takman (Opus Goldman) all of Ottawa and Jenna-Lynn (Kerry) McElroy of Bluffton, Indiana.

David will be recalled as a special nephew by his aunts and uncles and their families.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service celebrating David's life, officiated by Matt Foalden, will be conducted at Olivet Baptist Church, 55 Ivan Street, in Meaford on Thursday November 24<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. followed by a service of committal and interment of his ashes at Lakeview Cemetery.

Family will receive friends at the church for a time of refreshment and remembrances of David in the fellowship hall directly following the interment.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to Teen Challenge-London or the Owen Sound Animal Shelter would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher Street East Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted.  
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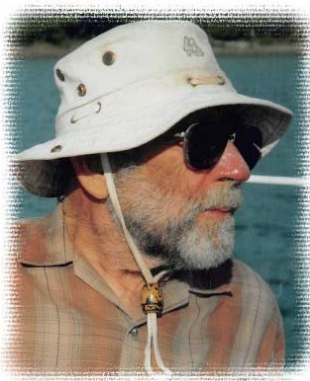
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## **LEECH, ROBERT HENRY 'CAPTAIN BOB'**

**April 1, 1921 – November 11, 2016**

*Bob was one of four brothers born to Annie (Salmond) and Harry Leech in Hamilton, Ontario. Raised by his mother after the death of his father at age six, he was a proud*



*Boy Scout, guided by many helping hands during his boyhood. He studied as a millwright and discovered a passion for sailing in early adulthood. He sailed his boat the 'Gypsy' south to Houston Texas when he was 41 and lived, worked and sailed there for 53 years.*

He met and married his wife Pat Karlson there. He was a proud volunteer on the restoration of the tall ship the 'Elissa' in Galveston and he helped teach and inspire countless people of all ages to sail. He was an ardent supporter of Planned Parenthood Houston, The Houston Food Bank, The Nature Conservancy, and more recently the Meaford Food Bank and Friends of the Library. After Pat's death in 2014 he made the decision to move north to Meaford where he and Pat had spent many happy summers in retirement and to be closer to family and friends. He settled into his new life with characteristic resilience and was on his way to his bridge club when he suffered a massive heart attack. It was as he would wish – independent to the end.

Bob is predeceased by brothers Norman and Don and is survived by a brother Ken Leech of Calgary. He will be recalled with great fondness by nieces and nephews Patty King of Uniondale, PA, Christine Collins (Mark) of Meaford, ON, and Tim Leech (Elaine) of Oakville, ON, Diane (late Bill) McKay and Ken Leech Jr. (Mary) both of Calgary Alberta.

*"We will miss him dearly and wish him fair winds and safe harbour."*

Cremation has taken place and a memorial gathering celebrating Captain Bob's life will be shared at the Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford, on Saturday November 19, 2016 at 2 p.m. Family will receive friends at the funeral home from 1 o'clock until the hour of service at 2 p.m. If so desired and as your expression of sympathy donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made directly or through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford, ON N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)



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## **HOGGARD, ELLOUISE DOREEN**

*Ellouise passed away peacefully with family by her side at the Meaford Long Term Care Centre on Tuesday November 8th, 2016 at the age of 86.*



Born in Meaford on May 31<sup>st</sup>, 1930, a daughter of the late James and Sarah (nee McVittie) Johnston, Ellouise was the beloved wife of 66 years of Maurice Hoggard of Thornbury.

She is remembered also as the much loved mother of Marilyn Hoggard formerly of Ottawa, and Royce Hoggard and his wife Margaret of Michigan, USA.

She will be recalled as a devoted and proud grandmother of Andrew (Shilo) and great grandmother of Zach, Josh and Abbie.

Ellouise was the dear sister of the Wally Johnston (Fern) of Meaford and was predeceased by a brother Len Johnston. She had a special place in her heart for her nieces Lori (Sam), Melanie (Paul), Marie (Ron), and her nephew Ed (Carolyn).

A graveside service of committal and interment was conducted at Thornbury-Clarksburg Union Cemetery on Friday November 11, 2016 at 2:30 p.m.

A celebration of Ellouise's life will be conducted at Ferguson Funeral Home in Meaford on Sunday November 20, 2016 at 2:30 p.m.

If so desired and as your expression of sympathy, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated and may be made through the **Ferguson Funeral Home**, 48 Boucher St. E., Meaford N4L 1B9 to whom arrangements have been entrusted. [www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca](http://www.fergusonfuneralhomes.ca)