



Laurise Yvonne SALTER

October 22, 1940 - March 29, 2026

SALTER, Laurise Yvonne - 85 years

It is with deep sadness we write this, as our Beloved Mother “Bonnie” passed over to Our Lord Jesus on March 29th, 2026, with all of her children in last loving embrace. Born October 22nd, 1940 in Diligent River, Nova Scotia, she was the daughter of Sarah and George Lamb. She had 4 children, Michael (Porters Lake), Gregory (Porters Lake) Raymond ‘Kenneth’ (Donna, Gates Brook), Anne Marie (Joseph, Florida). She was predeceased in her immediate family by her loving husband Raymond and their first child infant daughter Elizabeth Anne Salter.

She enjoyed growing up with her 10 brothers and sisters and played and worked in the blueberry fields while helping each other along the way. As a young lady, she worked in a millinery in Truro and also cared for her aging neighbors and family whenever needed. She married the love of her life Raymond and enjoyed 56 years together with his musical talent and song, cottage vacations and travelling throughout the Maritimes and Caribbean.

Having grown up on the Bay of Fundy she loved picking and drying dulce on the beaches and sharing its goodness with everyone. With a young family, she worked at Lakeview Elementary School preparing nutritious lunches and also worked for a time as the church secretary for St. Marks Anglican church. In

her later years she worked as a travelling care assistant for Northwood and all of her clients enjoyed her loving dedication, exemplary care, good natured companionship and delicious homemade favorite baking. She later retired to provide loving care and attention to her husband as he progressed with Alzheimer's, never failing to give her very best.

She loved her 7 granddaughters and 8 great grandchildren dearly. She told stories of growing up in the country, enjoyed vacationing together at the family cottage and her childhood home to share all the things she loved; delicious baking and family meals, beach visits, card games and 'old home week' in the town of Parrsboro. She enjoyed restoring antique furniture and many of her projects remain in the old Diligent River home. Her doors were open with a smile and her ever-loved wit and wisdom welcomed everyone.

She loved her many cousins, nieces, nephews and always had the tea pot on with a side of delicious homemade baking and her much loved date squares for the many friends and neighbours who popped in to visit throughout the years. Bonnie was a truly caring and strong woman who always gave selflessly to everyone she ever met. Her children and grandchildren loved her deeply and all gave their best in return to help her as her health declined these last few years. We value her qualities of which we all are grateful for as she never judged, truly cared for everyone, was loving in all her ways, and was the best friend in every sense of the word.

We hope you can attend a Celebration of Life reception in the month of June in Porters Lake. Confirmation of time & place to be announced. We are grateful to her care assistants and physicians for their much valued roles in helping to keep Mom (Nan) comfortable throughout her recent health challenges.

Donations can be made to Diabetes Canada.

“And He walks with me, And He talks with me, And He tells me I am His own,
And the joy we share as we tarry there, None other has ever known”

Tribute Wall

SS

“ Aunt Bonnie was a special lady, so loving and caring. She will be missed.

Love to you all. Xoxo

Susan Smith - April 07 at 08:11 PM



Thanks Susan.

Anne Marie - May 12 at 12:30 PM

RE

“ 3 files added to the album *Precious Family*



Rebecca - April 07 at 07:00 PM



Thank you Rebecca

Anne Marie - May 12 at 12:31 PM

DF

“ Heartfelt condolences to you and all your family. I won't be able to attend her Celebration of Life because I will be in Alberta doing the same thing for my Mother. Huge Hugs to my dear Huggie

Debbie Fantin - April 05 at 10:17 AM



Thank you my dear friend 'Huggie' Debbie. We are old friends for a reason as we are of the same "sister " spirit. Until we meet again, my heart is with you as well.

Anne Marie - April 05 at 02:10 PM

CB

“ I am so sorry to hear of Mrs.Salter’s passing.I am so sorry Anne Marie .My Heart and thoughts are with you at this sad time .I remember she hosted us at her cottage house in Parrsborough years ago and what a fun time we had with the Red Hat Ladies .My little boy had so much fun too as they kept him busy with lots of fun things.Anne Marie ,you have always been special to me and I love you and I hope to see you at her service in June .

Cathryn Van Buskirk - April 04 at 02:57 PM

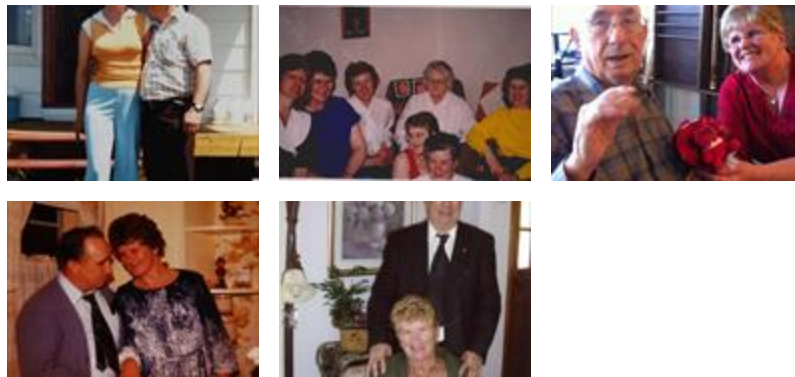
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Cathryn, thank you...you are a true friend 💕

Annemarie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 08:22 PM

AS

“ 10 files added to the album Precious Family



Anne Marie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 11:56 AM

ES

*Rest in peace my dear sister, I will hold you in my heart forever. Erma
💔 special hugs for Annmarie and the boys.*

Erma Carmichael Bonnie's sister - April 04 at 04:19 PM

AS

*Aunti Erma ❤️ you are always close to our hearts and we love you too
💕*

Annemarie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 08:21 PM

AS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Anne Marie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 11:45 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Anne Marie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 11:44 AM

JG

*So sorry to hear about the passing of Bonnie Salter.
She was a very nice, friendly and personable lady.
My condolences to her daughter Anne Marie and her sons Michael and
Gregory ..RIP in Heaven Bonnie 😭😭*

James Graham - April 04 at 12:45 PM

DC

“ *Bonnie became a true and valued friend as I helped her with being able to stay in her home. We always compromised and she never failed to voice her appreciation for anything I did. We enjoyed many cups of tea and conversation. I will certainly miss her. Rest In Peace Bonnie.*

Denise Corkum

Denise Corkum - April 04 at 09:59 AM

AS

Denise, we value your goodness and are forever grateful💕

Annemarie Salter-Bickley - April 04 at 08:24 PM