



Marion Irene Flanders

May 25, 1928 - January 23, 2024

Flanders, Marion Irene - Halifax

It is with great sadness that the family of Marion Flanders announce her peaceful passing at age 95 on January 23, 2024 at Glasgow Hall, Dartmouth. Born in Halifax in 1928, she was the daughter of the late Mary (Powell) Piercey and Alfred Piercey. Marion was a graduate of Miss Murphy's Business College. Following the tragic death of her husband C.P.O. Clayton Flanders, R.C.N. in 1958, she re-entered the work force in 1960. Marion spent the next thirty years in three positions: Church Secretary/Director of Welfare, Brunswick Street United Church; Co-ordinator of The Volunteer Bureau; and lastly, until her retirement, with the Halifax Social Planning Dept.'s Senior Infoline, and later, as an Intake Worker for Community Care of the Elderly and Disabled. Both during her career, and in her retirement, Marion was a dedicated volunteer. She was a lifelong member of Brunswick Street United Church, where she was active in the choir, United Church Women and Adult Fellowship.

Marion was an avid reader, and wrote journals of special family times and travels. She also enjoyed music, theatre and travelling.

She is survived by: son Eric (Jennifer Power) of Halifax, daughter Nancy (Jeff Boxer) of Halifax and Toronto, niece Sharon Harrington of Halifax, and nephew Myles Rideout (Kathy) and grand-nephew Carter of Vancouver.

Heartfelt thanks to Marion's friend and caregiver Leone Fougere, the staff of 3 West, Dartmouth General Hospital for their excellent care, and to the staff at Glasgow Hall, Dartmouth for their kindness and compassion.

Cremation has taken place. A private family burial will be held at a later date. Donations may be made to Make-A-Wish Foundation of Canada, Diabetes Canada or your charity of choice. Online condolences may be made at harboursidecremation.ca.

As Marion often said, "My life was truly blessed".

* * No Flowers By Request * *

Tribute Wall

MG

“ Dear Eric, Nancy, Jennifer, and Jeff:

Gail and I were saddened to hear of the passing of your mother. Our thoughts are with you at this difficult time. Always enjoyed seeing and talking to your mom whether at the cottage, the paddle and potluck, or other times when we would stop by. She will be missed.

Marcus & Gail

Marcus Goodick - January 26, 2024 at 06:44 PM

WC

“ Dear Nancy, Eric, Jeff and Jennifer,,
*We're so sad . Marion was such a sweet beautiful lady. She was so loved and I will really miss her and her smiles. The wonderful photos show how much love she and her family shared together. As Marion would say, she was blessed.
Hugs and prayers to all of you
Love Wanda , Holly and Emily*

Wanda Cook - January 26, 2024 at 03:30 PM

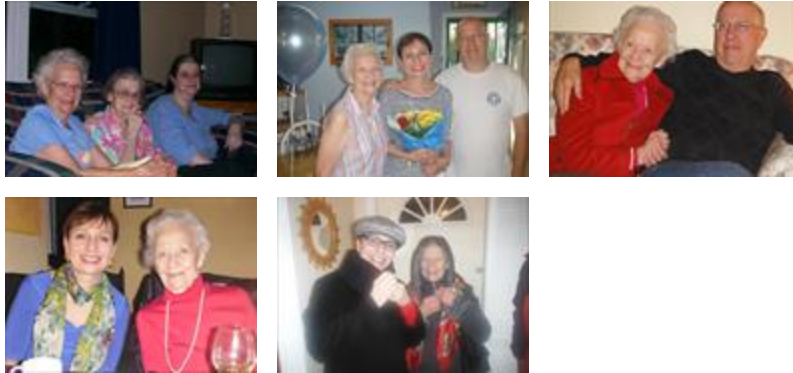
EW

“ Dear Nancy, Jeff, Eric and Jennifer: *it is a lovely obituary and the photos are beautiful. A testament to how much your mother was loved by all of you! Ellen*

Ellen Wood - January 26, 2024 at 11:45 AM

JE

“ 23 files added to the album Family Photos



Jennifer - January 26, 2024 at 09:14 AM

GA

“ Marion will be truly missed, but never forgotten. We cherish the opportunities that we had to enjoy the pleasure of her company and always positive outlook.

Geoff and Susan Atkinson - January 26, 2024 at 06:31 AM

JB

After my mother passed Marion became like a second mother to me. Typically when a mother in law comes to visit you are counting the days until she leaves. In Marion's case I would count the days until she returns RIP Marion Love Jeff

Jeff Boxer - January 26, 2024 at 09:30 AM

MA

Hello Nancy, I am very sorry to hear of your mother's passing, she was an amazing woman with so many achievements throughout her lifetime. My mom and I were reminiscing this morning about "Brunswick Street Church" back when. Her Loving Light will now shine throughout Eternity! With Deepest Sympathy - Martha and Jean Newcombe.

Martha - January 26, 2024 at 11:16 AM

MD

Nancy, your mother was such a special person and a beautiful soul. I feel privileged to have had both of you part of my life for so many years. The world will be less bright without her. The special family bond you all shared shows in the lovely family photos. I know I will cherish my memories of wonderful times spent with the both of you and her smile will be in heart forever. Your friend always! Marlene

Marlene Dorey - January 26, 2024 at 02:02 PM

SM

My deepest condolences for your loss Eric as well as Jennifer and the Flanders Family. A mother will always have a special place in your heart. May the lovely memories of her help you all through this difficult time. Solange Mombourquette

Solange Maria Mombourquette - January 27, 2024 at 08:12 AM

DC

God speed Mrs Mc Carthy.

danny campbell - January 27, 2024 at 07:54 PM

JW

My condolences to Nancy and Eric on the passing of your mom, a mom is the glue that holds the family together.

John Wyatt

John Wyatt - January 29, 2024 at 06:45 AM

PS

My heartfelt condolences on the passing of Marion. I enjoyed our weekly chats when delivering meals to her; she was always so pleasant and positive. May she rest in peace.

Pauline Scott - January 29, 2024 at 03:46 PM

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*To be so blessed to have known Marion. She was always giving of her time and made an impact on so many lives. Always to be remembered by her Brunswick Street United Community!
Hazel Andrews & Family*

Sharon Rajaraman (Andrews) - May 28, 2024 at 06:10 PM