



Mary Angeline Clarke

February 8, 1965 - November 23, 2024

Mary Angeline Clarke, 59, East Lawrencetown, peacefully left this world while surrounded by her loving family at Dartmouth General Hospital on November 23, 2024. Everyone who knew Angeline, even if for the briefest of moments, knew what a sweet, kind, generous and loving soul she was, as she greeted everyone with a beaming smile. Born in Florence, she is survived by her devoted husband and best friend Lawrence, also of Florence. Together since 1986 and married nearly 35 wonderful years, they were blessed with exceptional children; Sarah Marie (Hope), Halifax, and Theresa Louise (Kamdyn), East Lawrencetown, whom she absolutely adored. Angeline was exceptionally proud of their girls' seemingly endless accomplishments and it showed. Besides her parents Christena and Stephen Francis Jessome; Angeline was predeceased by sisters Pamela, and Patrice (Fancy), and brothers Wayne (Cindy), and Ian (Carol). She is survived by sisters Barbara, Sydney Mines, and Tena Marie, Alberta; and brothers Darrell, BC, Earl and Shaun both of Alberta and very special niece Amanda, BC., as well as countless cousins, nieces, and nephews.

After earning her Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), Angeline headed to Toronto to work in the financial district, but the city was not for her and Cape Breton soon called her back home to take a job with the federal government. She and Lawrence then married and spent many blissful years raising their girls on their lovely waterfront property in Marion Bridge. There, mainly through Angeline's efforts as an active community volunteer, Sparks,

and Brownies leader, she became very popular amongst the community's children, parents, and teachers. That being said, she never once complained when her husband suggested they uproot their family to join the Navy and moved the family to East Lawrencetown, NS. There she joined the NS Corps of Commissionaires where it was no surprise that her strong work ethic and easy going manner saw her quickly rise to the position of supervisor for the 12 Wing Shearwater Identification Section, a job where her lovely personality and beaming smile became the welcoming signature of that office. This job also allowed her and Lawrence the pleasure of being able to commute to work together. They mutually enjoyed their daily sunrise chats over coffee and tea while counting/dodging the wildlife and spotting Angeline's favorite Great Blue Heron each morning as they passed through the salt water marshes of Lawrencetown Beach on the way to work. This was their daily routine up until her illness took hold of their family's lives last July. Since then, she and her family worked diligently to make the best of her inevitable decline. Nobody held their courage higher than Angeline during this ordeal. She was so strong for her family's sake, and never missed a chance to let her family know how much each one of us meant to her. In the end it was her final wish that her family no longer continue to endure the pain of watching her slip away, so she bravely chose to leave this world on her own terms; a testament to Angeline's kind and loving soul, which will be sorely missed by all who were blessed to have known her.

There will be no visitation. She and Lawrence have chosen to have their mutual remains buried at sea. A small gathering of close relatives and friends will be held in Cape Breton in late spring of 2025. Donations on Angeline's behalf may be made to the Nova Scotia Healthcare System. Lawrence, Sarah, and Theresa would like to thank everyone at the QEII and Dartmouth General Hospitals for their exceptional kindness to us and Angeline during her final months.

Tribute Wall

PR

“ So very sorry to hear about Angeline's passing.

I met her when she came to work to the ident section in Shearwater along side with me.

We connected and got along right away and became a great team.

We had a lot of things in common, love of food, music and British actor such as Dave Tennant which we both like.

She loved to joke around and have fun. I miss her so much.

Pierre Rodrigue.

Pierre Rodrigue - November 27, 2024 at 05:01 PM

AP

“ We were so sorry to hear of Angeline's passing. She was such a big part of my childhood,as the baby sister of one of my best friends. She was, fierce, and funny and could put us in our place. Extremely thoughtful, leaving her room often ,so 5 of us friends could spend nights in the Jessome home. She was a great kid, funny and thoughtful, qualities she kept through life. Condolences to all her family, she will be missed. Rest in Peace Ang. You will be missed. Alanna(MacKeigan) Page & Neville.

Alanna (MacKeigan) Page - November 25, 2024 at 10:54 AM

SS

“ So truly sorry to hear of Angeline’s passing I have never met someone as kind and sweet as her always smiling I have many memories of her growing up on Church Street in Florence always following myself and her big sister Tena over the neighborhood .
RIP sweet Angeline ❤️

sharon smith - November 25, 2024 at 10:20 AM

TE

We called Angie “me too” because whatever we were doing she wanted to do. She mastered cards because mum loved to play. She made up solitaire games when mum had taught her the ones she knew. Her mind was always seeking new things to know and learn. She was the most affectionate child, charming everyone she met, including Barb and Patrice’s boyfriends:). Ian, Shaun and I would use her charms to get to join any parties Barb and Patrice would have, playing train, with Angie leading the train down the stairs to join the party. Angie charming everyone while we munched out on party food😂. Tice and Barb were out voted by those guests Angie charmed. She was also capable of getting us in trouble; like the time when Aunt Nellie was visiting from Ontario. Dad had taught us a little diddie he used to tease Nellie, “the cow kicked Nellie in the Bellie, in the barn”. We were whispering the song when Angie went to the adults singing it at the top of her lungs! We were grounded to our rooms and Angie was once again the cause.😂 She and I joked that I am the keeper of the stories, as she couldn’t remember a thing from childhood. I will remember and cherish every one little me too❤️

Tena - November 26, 2024 at 09:55 PM

CP

“ I am so sorry to hear of Angeline's passing. She was a kind, beautiful soul. She spent countless days at our home as well as me at the Jessome home. Condolences to each of you. Sending lots of love. RIP Sweet Angeline.

Carol Ann (MacDonald) Pyke - November 25, 2024 at 09:17 AM

LC

“ 17 files added to the album *So loving and so loved*



Lawrence Clarke - November 25, 2024 at 09:17 AM

RH

I am so sorry for your loss. I think of your little family often and how kind and generous you all are. These are beautiful memories of a beautiful soul, thank you for sharing. I wish you all peace ❤️.

Rebecca Hatcher - November 25, 2024 at 11:28 AM

SF

So sorry for Angeline's passing. She was always smiling and had a heart of gold. My condolences to the Jessome and Clarke family

Sherry Fraser - November 26, 2024 at 03:56 AM