



Veronica Ella Lord

June 12, 1930 - January 29, 2022

LORD, Veronica Ella Marie “Vera”

Age 91, of Halifax, passed away peacefully with loving family by her side on January 29th, 2022, at Whitehills Long Term Care Centre.

Vera was born in Halifax on June 12th, 1930, and was the daughter of the late Luke and Evangeline Feetham. She will be lovingly remembered by her children Judy Moore (John), Janet Girdi (Mario), Robert (Norma), Patrick (Allyson), and daughter-in-law Cheryl. Lovingly remembered as Nanny by her grandchildren, Anthony (Wendy), Christina, Peter (Karen), Hayley Moore (Hessel), Stephanie, Sarah, Emma, Ethan, and great grandchildren Nell and Marty. Fondly remembered as Nanny “V” by her step-grandchildren, Tanya Girdi-Vanayan (Armen), Alisa Girdi-Baptista (Lenny), and Kayla Girdi-Garrod (Geoff), and her step-great grandchildren, Brayden, Nathan, Madelyn, Maeve, and Shae. She is survived by her twin sister, June O’Brien; sister, Anna Feetham (Tom); brother, John Feetham (Carol); sister-in-laws, Rhoda and Ruby Feetham; as well as her many friends and extended family of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was predeceased by her husband, Kenneth Newman Lord; her son, Kenneth Michael Lord; her brothers, Bob and Noel Feetham; her sister, Eva Emerson; and her brother-in-law, Jack O’Brien.

Vera spent her youth living in Bedford, where she attended Mount Saint Vincent Academy and later met the love of her life, Ken. Vera and Ken married in 1953 and built their home in Fairview where they happily raised their five children. The family enjoyed summers together at their cottage on Grand Lake, where they created many cherished memories with family and friends.

A devout Catholic and active member of her Church, St. Pius X, Vera held many positions on the Catholic Women's League within her Parish. She was a tireless volunteer for many Church functions and regularly prepared meals for the homeless at Hope Cottage. Vera was an avid Bridge player for over 45 years, and treasured her time and friendships made in her three active Bridge groups. Later in life, she enjoyed spending her winters curling and her summers golfing at the Ashburn Golf Club, where she was an active member for 30 years. Vera loved to travel, with fond memories of her trips to Bermuda, The Bahamas, Florida, England, Ireland, Scotland, and her trip to Portugal with her beloved twin sister and best friend, June, to celebrate their 60th birthdays. She will be deeply missed by her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and the many others who knew and loved her dearly.

We are sincerely grateful for the care provided by the doctors and caregivers at Whitehills Long Term Care Centre, and are particularly thankful for Brittany for her exceptional support and compassion for Vera.

As per her wishes, Vera will be cremated and buried with her late husband. There will be no funeral service; a memorial mass and private burial is to be held at a later date to commemorate her life.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Vera's memory to Parkinson Society Nova Scotia or a charity of your choice. Online condolences : www.harboursidecrematorium.ca

Tribute Wall



“ I will miss you dearly Vera. It's rewarding for me when you remember and say my name every time I ask you “what's my name”. You showed me how good Christian you are, as you join me say a little prayer before night time. Rest is peace my Vera Lord. Forever in my heart.

Kate Leonidas - March 11, 2022 at 11:41 PM

JD

“ Robert and Norma

Our sincere condolences to you and your family. Always sad to see a parent passing. It's so sad to say good by to your mother. Take comfort in knowing she is at peace.

Jim and Carol DeYoung

James DeYoung - February 15, 2022 at 07:06 PM

BS

“ Judy,

Please accept our condolences, albeit a tad late, on the loss of your mom. We know only too well the flood of memories and emotions you experience as you try and put your life back together. Slowly and surely it does return and you will carry her memory warmly as you go on. GOD Bless

Barry, Elaine and Jennifer

Barry Stevens - February 14, 2022 at 03:09 PM

SC

“ I remember your lovely Mother fondly growing up in Fairview and attending St. Pius Xth. Vera and my mother, Gerry Brenton, shared lots of laughs playing bridge throughout the years. Mum was excited when Vera moved to Melville Heights where they could deal the cards again in hopes of a few more good "slams"! Both our Mothers were blessed with longevity, great friendships and the love and legacy of their children and their families. They will be missed but celebrated for the wonderful lives they led and the examples they set for us all.

Sincere condolences.

Susan Crooks and brother, Rod Brenton

Susan Crooks - February 07, 2022 at 02:33 PM

MS

“ We send our sincere condolences on the passing of aunt Veronica.

Matthew Smith, Daniel Smith and Jason Smith

Matthew Smith - February 05, 2022 at 12:25 PM

DW

“ Robert and Family,

Our sincere condolences on your Mom's passing.

Fairview Historical Society

Denise M Wolfe - February 04, 2022 at 12:22 PM

SW

“ *Very sorry to hear of Vera’s passing. I always enjoyed our conversations when she came into the office at Ashburn...a lovely lady!*
Shirley Wenaus

Shirley Wenaus - February 02, 2022 at 06:41 PM

MM

“ *My sincere condolences to June, John, and families, and all of Vera's family.*

It was always a pleasure to cross paths with Vera. I had not seen her since she was at Caritas Residence.

May she rest in eternal peace.

Marie McKeen

Marie Mckeen - February 02, 2022 at 04:46 PM

MM

“ *The Lord family,
Sincerest condolences at this difficult time.
Loretta MacFarlane and family*

Margo MacFarlane - February 02, 2022 at 02:40 PM

JR

“ *the Lord family*

*Very sorry to here about your mother she was such a great lady.
Our sincere condolences
Bill, Jane and Tim Roski*

Jane Roski - February 02, 2022 at 11:44 AM

JL

“ Janet, Judy and Robert,
So sorry to read of your mom's passing. She was a wonderful woman whom I shall always remember fondly.
Sincere condolences
John Landry

John Landry - February 01, 2022 at 07:07 PM

JL

“ Robert & Family,
Please accept our sincere condolences on your mom's passing. To have her in your lives for such a long time is indeed a blessing.
Joe & Annette lauder & Family

Joe Lauder - February 01, 2022 at 01:18 PM

MG

“ Lord Family. Sincere condolences on Vera's passing. She has been a dear part of my family since my childhood on School Avenue.
Thoughts and Prayers are with you, Marion (Feetham) Gaetan

Marion Gaetan - February 01, 2022 at 10:28 AM

AD

“ Heartfelt condolences to the family at this difficult time.

Art & Liz Dewan

Art Dewan - February 01, 2022 at 08:01 AM

AA

“ We first met Vera shortly after returning to Canada after 10 years abroad after my sister Cheryl had married into the Lord clan. Our first impression was that of a strong willed and determined woman. She was a proud Matriarch of the family for sure. We were very surprised to find out how much she knew about Jody's ancestors (Donaldsons) from Enfield some of whom had eventually settled in the US about 100 years ago. Learned a lot from her.

There is no greater legacy that a person can leave than their family. Vera has left us an extraordinary one. Love and condolences to the family.

Alan and Jody Aitken

alan aitken - February 01, 2022 at 07:49 AM