



Mrs. Alice Voisey

April 21, 1926 - January 7, 2014

Alice Wilma Voisey of Calgary, Alberta died in Calgary on January 7, 2014 at age 87. Born April 21, 1926 to Hamilton and Emma Johnston, she spent her childhood and youth in the town of her birth, Vulcan, Alberta. She married Leonard Voisey in 1944 and the couple farmed in the Champion and Vulcan area until 1976 when they moved to the Lower Fraser Valley in British Columbia. They relocated to Alberta in 2010. A wonderful homemaker and mother, we especially remember her generosity, kindness, and good humour. Alice enjoyed many activities: dancing, playing cards, knitting, fashion, piano, collecting antiques and figurines, biking, walking, and swimming. Leonard and Alice travelled widely, visiting Europe, the United States, Latin America and Asia. Born on the same day as Queen Elizabeth, Alice followed the monarch's life with great interest. She belonged to the Eastern Star and the Daughters of the Nile. She served as chairman of the Vulcan and District Historical Society, created in 1971 to produce the local history book *Wheat Country*. Alice was predeceased by husband Leonard, sister Marie Gillespie, and brothers Don and Elmo Johnston. Alice is survived by son Paul (Donna) Voisey, Edmonton; and daughters Linda McDougall, Kelowna; Irene (Brad Knowles) Montgomery, Calgary; Kristine (Scott) Ross, Cherryville, B.C.; by grandchildren Jennifer (Scott) Martin, Danny McDougall, Chelsea (Ian Wilson) Montgomery, Amy Montgomery, Charlotte Montgomery, and Guy Voisey; and by great-grandchild Alice Martin. No services will be held. Donations in her name may be made to the Vulcan and District Historical Society reception@vulcanbusiness.ca. Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River, 403.652.4242.

Comments



“ Dearest Mom: Not a day goes by when I don't think of you & smile. Or cry. Or both. Miss you wicked!

Kristine Ross - May 08, 2016 at 11:09 PM



“ Mom, even though your own mother died when you were 3 years old and you did not have her as a role model while you were growing up, you still became one of the best moms ever. I always wondered how you did that. You were always there for us, providing for us and guiding us every step of the way. I will always cherish the many laughs we had together throughout the years. I've never known anyone that could always see the humour in things like you could. I will also remember you for your 'smarts' about the world and everyday things that mattered, as well as your generosity.

"You were a great Mom but also a very great friend."

Lots of love always,

Linda

Linda McDougall - January 20, 2014 at 02:57 AM



“ I can almost certainly attribute my (often weird) sense of humour to my grandma. I remember watching a rather riske episode of The Simpsons in her presence and was delighted to hear her howl along with me the whole time. Whenever something odd, ironic, or just plain dumb would be overheard or take place, I always trusted her to pick up on them and share a curious grin with me before throwing our heads back. I became closer with my grandma as I grew older and was able to recognize a lot of her personality within me. I will always remember her at her best and I miss her already.

-love

Danny

danny mcdougall - January 20, 2014 at 01:22 AM



“ Hi, my name is Janet Chambers. I'm the daughter of Len and Alice's friends Bruce and Marilyn McLeod of Mt. Lehman BC originally. Len and Alice were members of the Vintage Car Club of Abbotsford for many years with my parents. I'm terribly sorry for the loss of Alice, I remember her as such an elegant lady and sweetheart. I actually purchased my most favorite Arabian horse from her when I was 12 years old. His name was Little John, and he was my all time most fun ride. I loved him, and he lived to age 33yrs old. He was the Arabian Horse Houdini....not sure if he learned his tricks from the Voisey home or not. My parents are both deceased as well. We spent many good times with Len and Alice, I remember both vividly. My sincere condolences to the Voisey family. Sincerely,Janet Chambers (Langley BC)

Janet Chambers - January 18, 2014 at 03:05 PM



“ Kristine Ross is following this tribute.

Kristine Ross - January 17, 2014 at 07:53 PM



“ Leonard was my favorite cousin, and Alice soon became my favorite cousin-in-law after their wedding that I attended at age 11. We kept in touch over the years and once stayed with them in their BC home. When their cruise ship stopped in Santa Barbara, my wife and I drove from our Thousand Oaks home to meet them and we spent a wonderful afternoon driving them around to show them this beautiful Southern California area. Alice was always great fun to be with. Linda, Paul, Irene and Kristine, we send you our deepest condolences..

Gerald Fry - January 16, 2014 at 08:38 PM



“ Much LOVE to you and your families Irene, Linda, Paul & Kristine.
Shel

Shel Montgomery - January 14, 2014 at 11:12 PM



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Gerald Fry - January 16, 2014 at 08:35 PM



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CHERYL CUMMINGS - January 14, 2014 at 09:46 PM



“ Cindy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alice Voisey



Cindy - January 14, 2014 at 12:01 AM



“ Emma Lovino lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alice Voisey



Emma Lovino - January 13, 2014 at 01:40 PM



“ Sending my thoughts and prayers to you Paul, Linda, Irene and Kristine during this time of loss. You were all such wonderful children to your parents and I know they both left with the comfort of deep pride in you all and your families. I always enjoyed Aunt Alice during the times I did get to spend with her. So much of her lives on through you, her children, and what a beautiful thing. She will be missed. With Love and Blessings, Emma Lovino.

Emma - January 13, 2014 at 01:49 PM



“ Bev Gammel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alice Voisey



Bev Gammel - January 10, 2014 at 07:07 AM



“ To all of you in the Voisey clan, Paul, Linda, Irene, & Kristine, it has been a great privilege to have known both of your parents. Len & Alice were wonderful people, who made all their family & friends feel welcome & important in their presence. Although sad, now with the passing of your mom, they left behind a life lived so very fully, most people could have only hoped to have lived as well. Your mom will always be remembered for her great smile & laugh, & a wonderful sense of humor, & from me, her amazing cinnamon buns. My thoughts & prayers are with all of you, all the best, Bert Montgomery

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Bert Montgomery - January 09, 2014 at 08:25 PM



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