



Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig

September 27, 1952 - May 12, 2022

Ms. Brenda Greig of Nanton, Alberta passed away at her home west of Nanton on May 12, 2022 at the age of 69 years. Brenda is survived by her partner Marvin Fowler; niece (daughter) Jackie Ellice (Brad Hardy) and great niece (granddaughter) Alexie Fox; step son Kelly Fowler (Robyn); step daughter Marley Turner (Brett); four step grandchildren Kane, Art, Huxley and River; oldest brother Van Greig (Margaret); oldest sister Marianne Smith; niece Calinda Courtoreille (Ron) and Lisa Saint Cyr (Shannen); nephews Wade Fullbrook (Cynthia), Wes Greig (Juliann) and Jamie Ellice (Kristi); great aunts Lois Wallace (John) and Doris Wallace (Bob); close friend Kevin Olson; numerous cousins and great nieces and nephews who all knew her as “Gran”.

Brenda is predeceased by her parents John and Jean Greig and her brother Jan Greig.

Brenda was born and raised on the Greig family farm west of Nanton. The “big hill” was the signature of the homestead. Growing up, Brenda loved horses and spent many days riding up the big hill with her sister and cousins. In her young adult years, Brenda was a leader of CGIT (Canadian Girls In Training). She was well liked and respected by the young ladies she was leading. Brenda had a love of sports. She was an avid curler and golfer in Nanton, participating in many fun Ladies bonspiels. On many a Friday night you could find Brenda watching the Nanton Palaminos.

Brenda's heart was full of compassion. She touched the lives of many boys when she worked at the Stampede Boys Ranch. She made each and every boy feel like they mattered. Brenda's niece, Jackie moved in with her in 1990 as a teen and Brenda raised her as her own daughter. Brenda was so proud of her granddaughter, Alexie. People often commented that Alexie was the "sparkle" in Brenda's eye.

Brenda started a new chapter in her life with her soulmate Marvin 13 years ago. They especially enjoyed traveling, dancing, riding horses, moving cattle and all things Western. They enjoyed living west of Nanton and enjoying their view of the mountains and wildlife.

Brenda was loved by all and will be sadly missed. We welcome everyone to share memories and stories of Brenda. Please send them by email to brendagreigtribute@gmail.com . We would like to include anything you would like to share at Brenda's Celebration of Life on Wednesday.

A Celebration of Brenda's Life will be held on Wednesday, May 25, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. at the Thomas Hornecker Arena in Nanton. For those unable to attend, the service will be livestreamed on Brenda's Tribute Page.

If desired memorial donations may be made to STARS – www.stars.ca or to the Nanton Animal Protection Society – www.nantonanimalprotection.ca .

Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River (Craig Snodgrass) 403.652.4242.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

MAY 25. 1:00 PM (MT)

Tom Hornecker Recreation Centre
2122 18 St
Nanton, AB T0L 1R0 (CA)

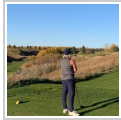
Tribute Wall



“ Lyle Reeves Funerals created a Webcast in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig



Lyle Reeves Funerals - May 19, 2022 at 03:02 PM



I've known this kind soul for 42 years. One of the most kind and loving person you will ever know. Miss yah Bren!! Gone to soon ❤️❤️. Karin McNeill

Karin McNeill-Smith - May 20, 2022 at 11:38 PM

TB

So sorry to hear of your loss Marvin. It's tough thing to go through. Thinking of you in your time of sadness, all the best Terry Brassard

Terry Brassard - May 24, 2022 at 02:43 PM

DF

*Marvin and family,
I knew Brenda all my life as they lived just one mile east of us growing up. She was always a bright light, and I enjoyed working with her at Stampede Ranch. She will be sorely missed, and we send our sincere condolences.
Dan and Bev Fox*

Dan Fox - May 26, 2022 at 03:19 PM

RR

“ *Brenda shined without ever trying...Everywhere she was the grass was always greener .*

Ron

Ron Russell - July 18, 2022 at 03:31 PM

 Karen Cowan

“ *Marvin and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Karen Cowan and Anil Narinedat



Karen Cowan - May 29, 2022 at 12:25 PM

DB

“ *Dear Marvin and Family, we were heartbroken for you when we heard of Brenda's passing. Brenda and I talked over the phone for quite a few years when I worked at UFA and she at 2W Livestock so when we finally met in person she was already an old friend in some ways. Brenda was a lovely person so kind and warm it was easy to see that you were great together. We know you must have a huge hole in your heart right now but hang on to the wonderful love and times you shared as a couple. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time*

Dale and Gail Bell

Dale and Gail Bell - May 24, 2022 at 08:21 PM

AC

“ To Marvin and family, we are so sorry to her of Brenda’s passing. Just heartbreaking. Loved seeing Brenda in town, always had a laugh, a story, a smile. Our deepest condolences.
Clay and Avril

Avril Chattaway - May 24, 2022 at 07:51 PM

MM

“ On behalf of Ed and Ottalie Nelson families, I would like to extend our heartfelt condolences to Marvin and all of Brenda’s family. May your memories of this beautiful lady help carry you through the upcoming days and years. She was such a great lady, always taking time to visit width Mom and Dad. Her beautiful smile and caring ways will be missed by all.

Maryann (Nelson) Meek - May 24, 2022 at 03:09 PM

JN

“ We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Brenda, she will be greatly missed.
Jack & Diana Nester



Jack & Diana Nester - May 23, 2022 at 01:34 PM

NC

“ Noreen Charlton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig



Noreen Charlton - May 21, 2022 at 08:23 AM

DH

“ one of my favorite memories of Brenda goes back to 1966 when she told us she was watching untumad world (untamed) have never forgotten how upset she got when we all laughed and how she was always there for me when I needed her when I divorced her brother REST EASY BRENDA we all still love you

Dianne Houghton - May 20, 2022 at 05:38 PM

VN

Always looked forward to our visits over 25 years at 2W and after. She had such a fantastic smile and positive attitude. Will miss her.

Val Nelson - May 21, 2022 at 11:10 PM

ES

“ Eunice Schmuland lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig



Eunice Schmuland - May 20, 2022 at 09:29 AM

GL

“ Our sincere sympathy to all. We have so many fun memories over many years. Our hope is the happy memories you have will help to heal your hearts.

Glen and Leona - May 19, 2022 at 09:21 PM

LH

“ Linda Hurl lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig



Linda Hurl - May 19, 2022 at 09:11 PM



“ My memories go back a few (many years) ago to the curling days. We had so many giggles and fun times. When we would meet later throughout the years, always a hug and laughter. Those beautiful blue eyes always shining with kindness and laughter . Her presents on earth will be missed by many. Our sincerest sympathy to all her family. Faye and Wayne Thurber.

Faye Thurber - May 19, 2022 at 12:02 PM

SM

“ Peter and I will miss Brenda. He was just talking about a "Liver and Onions" session with Brenda and Ted, like old times. Her memory will live on.



Sheila Macklin - May 19, 2022 at 09:30 AM

AP

“ So very sorry to hear of Brenda's passing. Prayers for you all during this difficult time.

Amber Peatman - May 19, 2022 at 09:19 AM

AB

“ Marvin, we're so very sorry for your loss of Brenda. We so enjoyed visiting with you guys last summer at the bronc match. We will all miss Brenda's inextinguishable joy and light. Peace be with you. Addy & Mat Bolduc

Adeleen Bolduc - May 19, 2022 at 12:32 AM

CM

“ Brenda was a light! Her smile and friendly soul lit up a room. She will be missed and am thankful for our friendship. Our condolences to Marvin and family. Thinking of you at this time and always. Tom & Codie Mcnain

codie mcnain - May 19, 2022 at 12:02 AM

PH

“ Sending our deepest sympathy to all .Brenda was a major player in our lives . We golfed , we laughed , we travelled , we laughed . We worked , we laughed . I have a ton of memories and every one of them contains laughter and fun . Together two weeks ago and over this past year we shared in so many different kinds of conversations . I will miss that laugh and sparkly personality . Brenda loved all her boys at the ranch , her Jackie and Alexis , and every child that was lucky enough to have her in their life . Rest easy Bren 💖 Pam and Al

pam henheffer - May 18, 2022 at 11:51 PM

CG

“ Marvin, Jackie and Alexie, we are so saddened to hear of Brenda's passing. Our thoughts are with you in this time of sadness.

Clayton and Amy Gillespie - May 18, 2022 at 11:27 PM

DB

“ Dear Jackie, Alexie and everyone who loved Brenda, I'm so sorry for your loss. Brenda was one of a kind and touched the hearts of everyone she met. Just looking at her photo I can hear her laughter:) She was well loved, loved many and that will live on forever❤️

Donna Byrne - May 18, 2022 at 10:47 PM

CE

“ So very sorry to hear of Brenda's passing, our sincere condolences to Marvin and family. She was such a kind lady who I always enjoyed visiting with. Will be dearly missed

charlotte esser - May 18, 2022 at 10:46 PM

AH

“ Sorry for the loss of Brenda she was always a kind women.



Amanda Henry - May 18, 2022 at 10:40 PM

DB

“ My memories of Brenda was at the Curling rink,always fun to curl with her or against her!! She was a Beautiful soul and will be missed!! RIP Brenda,my thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time!! 🙏🙏🌹🌹



Darlene Boucher - May 18, 2022 at 10:24 PM

KS

“ *Brenda was a great friend to everyone. Sorry to hear of her passing. Kathie Garratt*



Katie Saunders - May 18, 2022 at 09:46 PM

JM

“ *Jacque Merkley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig*



Jacque Merkley - May 18, 2022 at 08:58 PM

JN

“ *Joanne Notdorft lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig*



Joanne Notdorft - May 18, 2022 at 06:54 PM

CL

“ *Cheryl & Sten Lundberg lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig*



Cheryl & Sten Lundberg - May 18, 2022 at 12:42 PM

RL

“ *Brenda was one of the nicest people you could ever meet. Such a shock to hear of her passing. Gone too soon.* ”

Rick & Shirley Laycraft - May 17, 2022 at 09:38 PM

EM

So sad to hear this, we were neighbours on the avenue and shared many laughs! Rest In Peace Brenda ❤️

Elaine Mitchell - May 18, 2022 at 08:42 PM

JM

I will miss Brenda's wonderful energy. She was like a ray of sunshine that could brighten any day!

Jacque Merkley - May 18, 2022 at 09:05 PM

BS

We are so sad about the loss of such a wonderful friend. Brenda touched everybody's life that knew her. She will be deeply missed. Hugs Bruce & Bonnie

bonnie smith - May 18, 2022 at 10:26 PM

DS

“ *Darlene And Brian Sweet lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda Gayle Greig* ”



Darlene and Brian Sweet - May 17, 2022 at 07:00 PM