



## Mrs. Catherine Hall Faille

August 4, 1930 - August 14, 2025

Catherine Hall Faille (nee Anderson) was born in Edinburgh Scotland on August 4, 1930. She married Jim Penman on July 7, 1951. They had 3 children: Jim, Steve, and Carol.

They immigrated to Canada in July 1957 where teaching jobs were plentiful and adventure awaited. They lived in many small Saskatchewan towns as new opportunities arose. They lived together in Swift Current for several years. Jim and Cathie divorced in 1976 and Cathie moved to Calgary, Alberta. She met Mike Faille in 1979 and they were married in 1982. They lived in Banff, and then Canmore until Mike's passing in 2011.

Cathie moved to High River to be closer to family and then to Okotoks in 2013 after the flood. She lived in supported living at Seasons Retirement Home in High River for the last two and half years. She passed away at the High River hospital on August 14, 2025.

Over the years Cathie enjoyed the opera, camping, painting, reading, cooking, sewing, knitting and embroidery as well as travelling to Las Vegas, Hawaii, and Mexico. She was very involved in community theatre, acting, directing, writing plays and running a children's theatre group "The Pine Cones" in Canmore.

Cathie was a gentle, patient, kind and stoic person. She always made the best of every situation. She will be greatly missed by her three children, her grandchildren and her great grandchildren.

We were very fortunate that many of us were able to come together and celebrate Cathie's 95th birthday on August 4, 2025.

The family would like to extend its thanks to staff at Seasons and the High River hospital for their positive cheerful attentive care.

Per Cathie's wishes there will no service and her ashes will be scattered in the Pacific Ocean at a later date.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Operation Smile Canada.

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Cathie directed me in many productions with Pine Tree Players, and I will always remember her deep love for both directing and the theatre.*

*This year, I chose my first play to direct, a piece by one of her favorite playwrights, Norm Foster. It feels like a fitting tribute not only to her passion and influence but to her love of a good comedy. Cathie, I will miss you dearly. I hope to honor your legacy by doing this show justice.*

*Pam*

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**Pam Belanger** - September 11, 2025 at 05:17 PM

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“ *Hugs and prayers.....* ❤️❤️❤️

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**Linda Schafer** - August 24, 2025 at 04:12 PM



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**Lyle Reeves Funerals** - August 21, 2025 at 12:10 PM

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“ Steve, Celia and family and Carol, Hal and family,  
Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. How wonderful that you  
were all able to celebrate her 95th birthday ☐  
Brenda, Graham, Mallory, Leah and Paige

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**Brenda McCredie** - August 20, 2025 at 12:48 PM