



Daryl & Heike Schueller

April 6, 2015

It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing of Daryl & Heike Schueller of High River, Alberta. Daryl and Heike were involved in a traffic accident in Tahoka, Texas on April 6, 2015 as they were on their way home from a winter holiday. Daryl & Heike are survived by their children Daryllynn (Jean-Guy) Laliberte of High River and Darren (Theressa) Schueller of Austin, Texas; grandchildren Miriam, Elisabeth and John Laliberte; 5 great-grandchildren Addison, Skylar, Conner, Leila, and Hunter; Heike's mother Anna Behne. Daryl's siblings Janet (Allan), John (Janine), Donna (Jerry) and Myrna (Rod) along with numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and extended family members.

They are predeceased by Heike's father Heinz Stahn and stepfather Walter Behne. Daryl's mother Marie and father Clem and his brother Gary.

Daryl was born in Watson, Saskatchewan on July 17, 1942. He was the oldest of 6 children who grew up near LeRoy, Saskatchewan. Heike was an only child born in Thedinghausen, Germany on January 6, 1943. Her family immigrated to Canada when she was 10 years old and settled near Stettler, Alberta. They began their life together in 1963 and had a busy life raising two children and owning and operating several businesses throughout their life. They purchased High River Mini Storage in 1999 and settled in the community of High River to enjoy their golden years. They enjoyed travelling to Fishing

Lake, Saskatchewan in the summer and to Mission, Texas in the winters. Their greatest love was making music together, right from the beginning all the way to the very end.

Daryl and Heike were very passionate about an organization called Mabel's Building Mission which helped to build homes across the Mexican border for deserving families. Also through this organization, they became involved with a scholarship program and sponsored two girls in the same family to help them get a proper education to better their lives and help the entire family. They were very proud when the oldest girl graduated from university and received her teaching degree. If you wish to make a donation in lieu of flowers or in Daryl and Heike's name, any donations will be forwarded to this organization to continue their work and sponsorship of families in need <http://www.mabelsclinic.net/>

A Celebration Mass will take place on Friday, May 1st at 1:30 p.m. at St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church (206 9th Ave. W., High River). To send condolences and view the Schueller's Tribute Page please visit www.lylereeves.com . Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River (403.652.4242).

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

MAY 1. 1:30 PM (MT)

St. Francis de Sales Roman Catholic Church

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Tribute Wall

SH

“ Tomorrow being our anniversary we would like to share what great friends D&H were. For the last many years they would ride around the corner of our lot here at Canyon Lake with a bottle of Champagne, have a refreshment and wish us a happy anniversary. A plaque has been put up in their memory saying "THEY GAVE SO MUCH".
Daryl and Heike were true friends and we miss them so! Gerald & Shawna

Shawna - February 16, 2016 at 06:31 PM

JA

Yes for sure. They loved you both .So many great complements of you during the time spent with them

Joe & Alice - July 16, 2020 at 09:37 PM

HO

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Howard - April 30, 2015 at 03:03 PM

HB

“ It has been a privilege being friends with Daryl and Heike for the short time we have known them. We met them through music because their piano player was sick and I filled in for her at a Texas gig. The next day they came to our show. Then we found out they were from High River, a short distance from Calgary. When we were all back in Canada we were invited out for a jam session at their place. While there one of many things happened that made us feel our friendship was star-crossed in many ways. We felt like we were special friends of theirs. Since their deaths we have met many others who felt the same way. How wonderful that Daryl and Heike could make you feel so special! Daryl loved to build things and we admired how Daryl invited the best musicians and singers to his classic rock jam sessions and could coax memorable performances from all of us. For two years I lifted my equipment in and carried it out afterwards and always went away feeling lifted. And the people stayed for the last song so they could hear "An American Trilogy" made famous by Elvis Presley and done so beautifully by Daryl. It is difficult to say how much we will miss them.

*Howard and Barbara Bedient
Alamo, TX and Calgary, AB*

Howard & Barbara Bedient - April 30, 2015 at 02:53 PM

NL

“ With such sadness, we'll be thinking of you all, family and friends of Daryl and Heike tomorrow. Daryl made so many journeys to remote North King Lodge, and Heike joined him as often as she could. Our crew, and other guests booked on the same trips, were truly lucky to have such amazing entertainers on board.
Know our thoughts are with you,

*Rick, Bev, Clint and Roberta
North King Lodge*

North King Lodge - April 29, 2015 at 03:33 PM

DD

“ A clubhouse in South Texas attended by some 300 plus Winter Texans and their friends. We all rise in unison as Daryl walks to the centre of the jam circle where the best rock and roll musicians and singers have gathered together in the RGV. Daryl is carrying the United States flag. This is the closing number for the evening. Daryl sings "An American Trilogy" consisting of "Dixie", "All My Trials", and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" which was made famous by Elvis Presley. The musicians accompany him. We stand unified as neighbours and friends, Canadian and American alike. As the song continues, the crowd sings along and we all think about this song and what memories it brings to us....as individuals. There are visible tears and such emotion.

Daryl and Heike.....their love of music and entertaining.....it was what they enjoyed and lived for in South Texas.....what they loved to share with us all. It was truly heart felt and stirs the human soul beyond words. Music, friendship and meals shared. Memories forever.

DD&TT - April 29, 2015 at 08:31 AM

DM

“ It is such a shock to hear that Daryl and Heike are no longer with their family and friends. I worked at Muddy Waters Pub in Nanaimo B.C. and that is where I met them. They were such a joy to be around and their love of life showed, through their music every time they sang the oldies. Words feel so inadequate at a time like this. Please know our hearts ache too, as we give you our deepest sympathy. May the comfort of friends and family be your strength now and in the coming days ahead. Debbie McWhirter Nanaimo B.C.

Debbie McWhirter - April 28, 2015 at 09:59 PM

TR

“ So sorry to hear about Daryl and Heiki I remember meeting them for the first time 20 years ago on a trip to Mexico with them and my husband Bob Lloyd and there good friend and ours Ron Hughes they were great people and will sadly missed



tracylloyd - April 28, 2015 at 06:37 PM

DT

“ Don And Terry lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller



Don and Terry - April 26, 2015 at 07:59 PM

WP

“ Reading on facebook the news of Daryl and Heiki broke my heart...I could not believe such news as I talked to Daryl just a few days prior. One of my first experience with Daryl and Heike was at their Fanny Bay home where I tried Oysters for the first time and Daryl picked a bucket from the bay and I ate more than my share...I too this day think of Daryl and Heike everytime I eat Oysters...I have a picture of Heike holding one of the large Fanny Bay oysters and I share with friends that picture....The loss is unbelievable remembering all the fishing trips on the North King Lodge, Daryl and Heike sitting on our couch at our home in California singing their beautiful oldie tunes brings joy yet saddens me knowing how much their family is missing them....My heart goes out to the familyI cannot imagine the sorrow and pain, yet knowing how special Daryl and Heike were and how genuine and selfless and their love for Jesus is what make life tolerable.....Our love to all and can't wait to see Daryl and Heike again ..

william pauls - April 26, 2015 at 02:12 AM

GK

“ Please accept our thoughts at this time; and most sincere sympathy to all the family of Daryl and Heike.
Gloria Korol and Wayne Smith

Gloria Korol - April 25, 2015 at 07:38 PM

JL

“ Remembering Heike from school days in Stettler; on into our adulthood and her marriage to Daryl. Our hearts, thoughts and prayers to Daryl, Darren and their families. Special thoughts and prayers to Anna, Heike's Mom.
Jane & Tom Lucin

Jane & Tom Lucin - April 24, 2015 at 10:38 PM

MM

“ Remembering Daryl and family in my prayers. My sympathy to all families.



Martha Martin - April 24, 2015 at 10:14 PM

CH

“ My sincere sympathy to all of Daryl and Heike Families. You are all in my prayers.
Yel



Cecilia Helgeson - April 24, 2015 at 05:22 PM

EH

“ Evelyn & Rob Holowaty lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller



Evelyn & Rob Holowaty - April 24, 2015 at 02:29 PM

LM

“ *Lois & Louis Martel lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



Lois & Louis Martel - April 24, 2015 at 10:57 AM

LD

“ *Lyle & Anne Davidson lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



Lyle & Anne Davidson - April 21, 2015 at 07:23 PM

VM

“ *Our sincere sympathy goes out to the family of Daryl and Heiki. We met them when we were camped at Chimney park, they stayed there also for a year or so, then moved to Canyon Lake. We had many, many good times, good food, good sing alongs, good Sat. night Chimanea parties, etc., etc. It was a shock to hear of the tragic accident that took both of them. They will long be remembered by every one who's lives they touched. Such a talented and a fun loving couple. May they rest in Peace!!*

Velma & Bill Marecak

Pembroke, ON.

Velma & Bill Marecak - April 18, 2015 at 11:50 AM

GA

We knew Daryl & Heike from their Slave Lake days as well as their time spent on Vancouver Island. They were great people and will be missed. So tragic

Glen & Jane Alexander

Glen & Jane Alexander - April 21, 2015 at 04:33 PM

LZ

“ Len And Pat Zebedee lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller



Len and Pat Zebedee - April 16, 2015 at 11:53 PM

ML

“ We only just met Daryl & Heike at the Canyon Lake Rock n Roll jams this past winter. Like them, this was our 8th winter in Mission, Texas and until last season we had spent 7 summer seasons at beautiful Fishing Lake Saskatchewan where they had their cabin at Kuroki Beach on the north shore. Being at our daughters at Foam Lake, SK this week we took a drive and viewed the #46 Lakeshore cabin of Daryl & Heike. As it was only a 1/2 block from a long-time co-workers former lake home I called her and while she didn't know the Schuellers she knew the cabin well as it was formerly owned by a very good friend.

It was a real shock to learn of Daryl & Heike's tragic passing as we completed our first day on our journey home to Saskatchewan. We reside 50 miles from where Daryl grew up at Watson, SK. Our past 4 years journey to Texas has been the route where the tragedy occurred.

Our deepest sympathy to Darylynn & Darren and families. These incredibly talented, friendly people will be greatly missed by all that were lucky enough to meet them and enjoy their music.

*Marty & Laurie Lidgren
Semans, SK - Mission, TX*

Martin Lidgren - April 16, 2015 at 10:29 PM

BK

“ We bid on canned salmon on the penny sale at Canyon Lake. We missed but later that day Heike biked over with two cans of salmon! Loved the rock n' roll jams. Everybody knew Daryl and Heike! Always remembered. Rest in peace.
Bill and Helen Kempers, Ontario

Bill and Helen Kempers - April 16, 2015 at 07:35 PM

MD

“ We were lucky enough to have the pleasure of meeting these wonderful people at the great rock jams at Canyon Lake. Both of them were so talented and very friendly to all.



We will miss them, but hold them in our hearts always at the jams.

It was a tragedy to lose them and our hearts go out to their family and friends,

Peace to you, Peg Doheny and Pat Casby of St. Paul, MN. & Mission, TX

Margaret Doheny - April 16, 2015 at 01:03 PM

FD

“ Ferg Downey lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller



Ferg Downey - April 15, 2015 at 08:09 PM

VA

“ *Viola And Sebastian Aninger lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



viola and Sebastian Aninger - April 14, 2015 at 08:50 PM

 Jill
Rohrback

“ *We will miss these wonderful musicians and good friends. We can't fill their shoes, but we will see that their legacy is carried on in their Texas winter home. Rich and Jill Rohrback of the Going Back Band*

Jill Rohrback - April 14, 2015 at 07:29 PM

SM

“ *We were shocked and saddened to hear of the deaths of our neighbours. May their family carry on their traditions and memories.*



Sheila and Peter Macklin - April 14, 2015 at 09:47 AM

CC

“ *Cathy Couey lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



Cathy Couey - April 14, 2015 at 09:11 AM

RH

“ *Roberta Hazen lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



Roberta Hazen - April 13, 2015 at 07:17 PM

SW

“ *Sharon And Bill Wegener lit a candle in memory of Daryl & Heike Schueller*



Sharon and Bill Wegener - April 13, 2015 at 07:02 PM