



Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery

March 1, 2002 - May 8, 2019

Jacqueline Avery of Irricana, Alberta passed away suddenly on May 8th, 2019 near Airdrie at the age of 17 years old. Jacqueline is lovingly survived by her parents Jennifer and Kelvin Avery; brothers Alex and Scott Avery; Great-Grandparents, George and Margaret Dupré, Martha Haywood; Grandparents, George and Lorraine Haywood and Victor and Kathleen Avery; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins; she will be fondly remembered by her countless friends, teammates, teachers and her cat Boots.

Jacqueline's spunk, vibrant attitude and protector mentality was evident from a very young age, showing that she would not be a pushover. She could always be found singing, making it a priority to annoy her brothers with her voice, specifically Scott. Lately, you could be sure to find her singing Baby Shark while doing the actions; we are sure she sang this song just to get in stuck in the heads of others. At home Jacqueline was a cleaner and the mother hen when Jennifer was not around, as well as within her friend group. She was a caregiver to everyone, showing compassion and love for those dear to her heart. It is for this reason her friends gave her the nickname "Mama J".

Jacqueline has had several other nicknames, on the volleyball court she was known as Jackie and at home you could hear us calling her Jama Princess, Princess, and Sweet Pea. She also loved to play board games especially marbles, and could always be seen loving, playing and cuddling with her cat Boots.

Throughout Jacqueline's life, life away from home was nothing short of busy. Over the years Jacqueline has been involved with a large amount of organizations as well as many volunteering opportunities in the community. Jacqueline has been able to give back to the Town of Irricana, Village of Beiseker and the City of Airdrie in countless ways. Jacqueline was always willing to go the extra mile with anything she did, sharing happiness, love and respect along the way. She also had a deep love for sports. Jacqueline played school sports at George McDougall High School, and École Airdrie Middle School. She was a great multi-sport athlete competing in volleyball, basketball, badminton, curling, and track and field. Volleyball was Jacqueline's passion and her love for the game was evident to every single individual she came across, on or off the court. She played her club volleyball with both SAVC and ACVC building incredible friendships and a drive to be the best player on the court at all times. She also played a couple years of club badminton with RVBBC.

In her younger years Jacqueline was heavily involved with the 1st Irricana Scouts, this is where her passion for the outdoors, and survival skills came to be. On her 12th birthday Jacqueline was finally old enough to join Air Cadets with her brothers. Her cadet career began with the 88 Airdrie Lynx Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron, eventually transferring to 538 Buffalo Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron, where she was recently promoted to the rank of Warrant Officer 2nd Class, a very significant achievement for such a young girl. With this achievement it demonstrated her determination to lead and her drive for success not only in cadets but also in life. She was planning to staff either Basic Survival or the Survival Instructor Course in Cold Lake, Alberta for the summer of 2019.

Jacqueline will forever be missed. Her humour, kindness, enthusiasm, loving and caring personality shone through even on the darkest days, making the

bad days good, and the good days better. Jacqueline had a contagious smile, that forced others to smile based on the pure beauty and happiness within in it, brightening the days of countless people.

Jacqueline, Rest in Paradise until we meet again. Love forever,

Mom, Dad, Alex, Scott, and Boots

A Celebration of Jacqueline's Life was held on Saturday, May 25th at 1:00 p.m. at the Calgary Flying Club at the Springbank Airport. 155A Maclaurin Drive, Calgary, AB, T3Z 3S4.

*** Parking at the Calgary Flying Club is limited. WE ask your assistance to consolidate loads and ride share to reduce the number of expected vehicles. Watch for parking marshalls to get you parked.

If friends and family so desire, in lieu of flowers please make donations cheque payable to "George McDougall High School – Re: Jacqueline Avery Memorial Sports Fund". 412-3rd Ave NE, Airdrie AB, T4B 1R7.

To send condolences and view Jacqueline's Tribute Page please visit www.lylreeeves.com . 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)

Calgary Flying Club - Springbank
155A Maclaurin Drive
Rocky View No. 44, AB T3Z 3S4 (CA)

Tribute Wall



“ *Lyle Reeves Funerals created a Webcast in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Lyle Reeves Funerals - May 27, 2019 at 12:46 PM



Dearest Jennifer, it is with continued tears I thank you for posting this memorial. Huge Hugggggs to you and the family. Christine Korosec

Christine Korosec - May 27, 2019 at 08:53 PM



Such a beautiful celebration of a beautiful soul. May this bring you peace in all the ways possible. Xo

KT Turner - May 28, 2019 at 04:21 AM



My deepest prayers in heaven where you are,,my you be comfortt with best freedom and furture goals even better in heaven angel sweetheart

Tammy Mackay - October 11, 2019 at 12:46 PM

EM

“ I can't believe it has been 5 years. You inspire me always and are on my mind often. My favourite phrase recently has been "winner winner chicken dinner" and everytime I say it I can hear you in the back of my mind saying "ain't no thang but a chicken wang". I miss you and love you.



Emma Miller - May 15, 2025 at 05:29 PM

KG

“ Kim Godfrey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



Kim Godfrey - October 11, 2021 at 01:22 PM

DA

“ It's been a long hard 6 months and I miss you more than words can describe. I miss your smile when you come home I miss your enthusiasm for sports whether it was a practice or a game I miss you coming home after a practice and telling me how you packed a girl with a great hit I miss us arguing about who the cat loves more. I miss so much about you I don't know how I keep going. This has been the biggest struggle of my life living without you and your excitement for life. I don't see how it can or will get any easier with time to go on without you in my life. I will love you forever. Until we meet again
Love dad

dad - November 08, 2019 at 08:19 PM

KD

My heart goes out to you guys today. She was the definition of beauty and kindness. It's not fair that she's not here. She made the sport what it was meant to be.

Kayla Dayday - May 09, 2020 at 11:53 PM

TM

“ *Tammy Mackay sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



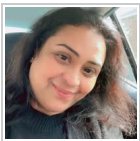
Tammy Mackay - October 11, 2019 at 12:51 PM

TM

“ *Tammy Mackay lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



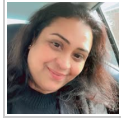
Tammy Mackay - October 11, 2019 at 12:50 PM



“ *Christina Paul lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Christina Paul - July 10, 2019 at 01:06 PM



Respectful, Kind, Gentle, Affectionate young lady. Thank you for encouraging, and supporting those that needed it around you. Than, you for the love and the times you shared with my family. Grant Oh Lord eternal help, and let perpetual light shine upon you. May your soul rest in peace!

Christina Paul - July 10, 2019 at 01:09 PM

LW

“ *Leanne Wightman lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Leanne Wightman - May 28, 2019 at 09:10 AM

SM

“ *Steve MaLean lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Steve MaLean - May 28, 2019 at 01:56 AM

BE

“ *Bonnie Erickson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Bonnie Erickson - May 27, 2019 at 11:35 PM

VB

“ Vicki Bouchard lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



Vicki Bouchard - May 25, 2019 at 08:45 PM

MB

“ What an honour it was to teach Jacqueline as a middle schooler. I admired her strength of character and how she lit up at the very mention of her brothers' names—she was so incredibly proud to be their little sister. The heaviness we feel now is only rivalled by the joy we have felt to have been part of this extraordinary young woman's journey and the admiration we have for the remarkable family who raised her.

The Barber Family

Marc Barber - May 25, 2019 at 10:01 AM

SG

“ Jennifer and family
My heart was filled with sorrow upon hearing the news of Jacqueline's passing.
My deepest sympathy to you and your family.
Shelley Goulet

Shelley Goulet - May 24, 2019 at 06:10 PM

KJ

“ Jen and Kelvin, while reading the Airdrie Echo this evening, I decided to read the obituary of the young woman who recently passed away, only to discover that her parents were the same young couple who lived across the street from us, on Springhaven Close - 20 years ago. Tears rolling from my eyes as I read about what a beautiful daughter, sister, friend, and athlete she was inside and out, crying knowing the pain you are living. My heartfelt condolences to both of you and to your boys. Kathy & John

Kathy & John - May 23, 2019 at 02:07 AM

DS

“ Her joy, her empathy for others, her presence, impacted us. All of Rocky View Schools mourns her loss.

Dave, Danielle, Cassidy, Mackenzie and Maddison Smith

Dave Smith - May 23, 2019 at 12:59 AM

BD

“ Brian DeGiuseppe lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



Brian DeGiuseppe - May 22, 2019 at 05:00 PM

HF

“ Avery Family,
We are so very heartbroken about your loss.
Jacqueline was a true inspiration to everyone
around her. We are so thankful to have been
a part of her life.
Francoeur Family (Sheri, Doug, Haley & Calvin)



Haley Francoeur - May 21, 2019 at 08:28 PM

HF

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Haley Francoeur - May 21, 2019 at 07:30 PM

HF

“ Dear Avery family:
We cannot begin to express our deepest heartfelt condolences and
sorrow for your tragic loss of your beautiful Jacqueline.
Jacqueline defines the meaning of a heroic Canadian for her service
to our country, loyalty and love for all who have been honoured by
her knowing her.
She was and is an Angel who will not be forgotten. God Bless all of
you and her.
Hubley family (Lia, Hana, Earl & Aya)

Hubley family - May 21, 2019 at 02:16 PM

MW

“*Jacqueline would always come to visit me at lunch and share her latest escapade. She will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you at these hard times!*

Marilyn Witwer

Marilyn Witwer - May 21, 2019 at 01:43 PM

DP

“*I had the immense joy of teaching Jacquie these past two years and cannot begin to fathom the pain her loss has caused among those closest to her. She was such a pleasure to have had in my life, however briefly; she was dedicated to everyone around her, and was a passionate and inspiring young woman. Je me souviendrai.*



Danica Power - May 21, 2019 at 01:40 PM



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Lyle Reeves Funerals - May 21, 2019 at 01:30 PM

PD

“*Sincerest condolences to your entire family on this devastating loss. May wonderful memories of Jacqueline help to sustain you through this difficult time. Our thoughts are with you.*



Pam Davidson - May 21, 2019 at 01:04 PM

MK

“ Dear family Avery,
We are deeply sorry for your loss. We did not know Jacqueline but we have heard so many great things about her, how positive and great person she was. We are still in shock and trying to process it. Our sincere condolences. May her soul rest in peace.
Branka, Mladen and Boris Kuljanin.

Mladen Kuljanin - May 21, 2019 at 11:21 AM

TF

“ The Poliakiwski Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



The Poliakiwski Family - May 20, 2019 at 12:25 PM

DW

“ Debbie & Garry Wise lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



Debbie & Garry Wise - May 19, 2019 at 03:14 PM

RY

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Ryan - May 18, 2019 at 05:25 PM

JH

“ *Joanna Howsrd lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



joanna Howsrd - May 18, 2019 at 11:32 AM

PF

“ *Phyllis Falk lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Phyllis falk - May 18, 2019 at 03:13 AM

TF

“ *Our sincere, deepest condolences on your profound loss. I never personally spoke to Jaqueline but I did feel the warmth of her smile when seeing her in, around and outside the school. Karl often shared what a steady, calm, warm and welcoming individual Jacqueline was in the classroom. He appreciated her presence, she will be missed by so very many. Our hearts connect to yours at this time.*



The Janzen Family - May 18, 2019 at 12:27 AM

TF

“ *The Fisico Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



The Fisico Family - May 18, 2019 at 12:07 AM

GM

“ *I will always remember Jackie's laughter and her exuberance. Although I haven't taught her for several years, I always was welcomed with a high five and a smile when we crossed paths. Hers was a life cut much too short.*

Gregg Moss

Gregg Moss - May 17, 2019 at 11:21 PM

MF

“ *Jacqueline #10. Your passion for volleyball and your amazing team spirit will be a cherished memory for us forever. Your folks raised an amazing young lady and we are so thankful for the time we spent with you here. We will miss you dearly but know you'll be cheering loud from above.*

McKelvey Family - May 17, 2019 at 09:51 PM

DE

“ *Dennis lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Dennis - May 17, 2019 at 08:23 PM

TH

“ *Travis Haukaas lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Travis Haukaas - May 17, 2019 at 07:17 PM

AS

“ *Amina Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



amina smith - May 17, 2019 at 06:00 PM

RC

“ *Roxana Campbell lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Roxana Campbell - May 17, 2019 at 04:25 PM



“ *Christine Nimeck lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Christine Nimeck - May 17, 2019 at 02:47 PM

SB

“ *Susan Bargetzi lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Susan Bargetzi - May 17, 2019 at 02:46 PM

TM

“ *Tim Masse lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Tim Masse - May 17, 2019 at 02:20 PM

JM

“ *Justin Maier lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Justin Maier - May 17, 2019 at 01:47 PM

EB

“ *Edward Britton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Edward Britton - May 17, 2019 at 01:16 PM

RK

“ *Rena Kientz lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Rena Kientz - May 17, 2019 at 12:46 PM



Christine
Korosec

“ *My memory of Jacqueline is that I was at the AOL and Jacqueline came to visit her Mom. She sat down next to me at the table where I was studying, and we had a great conversation. She was so easy and comfortable to talk to. She held herself with poise and grace. She was such a beautiful angel here on earth. Jennifer, God blessed you with the charge of caring for her while she was here, and you have done such a wonderful job, God was ready to take her back home again. Huge hugs to you and your family.*



Christine Korosec - May 17, 2019 at 12:37 PM



“ *I did not know her well, just from a couple conversations I knew she was the sparkly type of person that shone and made everyone she spoke to feel special. My deepest condolences to her family and friends*

a - May 17, 2019 at 11:50 AM

EF

“ *My condolences for your profound loss. She sounds like a remarkable young lady.*

Erica Fulton - May 17, 2019 at 11:49 AM

AM

“ We have so many wonderful memories. We met Jackie as a bubbly 10 year old and we had the great privilege of watching her grow up as we shared a fence. I will never forget the epic water balloon fights fought over that fence, the game of football pass from trampoline to trampoline and the multitude of conversations and laughs we had together. It is not simply enough to say that she will be missed. We will never forget her!

Amanda - May 17, 2019 at 11:04 AM

DK

“ I watched her grow up to be a beautiful lady
My heart is with her family and friends in their
time of need



Darlene Keogh - May 17, 2019 at 10:59 AM

KC

“ Jacqueline's Mustang family will forever keep
her in our hearts, our condolences to her
family.



Kelly Crispens - May 17, 2019 at 10:50 AM

TB

“ Tanya Beaton lit a candle in memory of Ms.
Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery



Tanya Beaton - May 17, 2019 at 10:33 AM

WK

“ I remember her smiling face and sweet disposition when she first joined 88 Lynx.

We were lucky to have her. 🌸🌸

wendie krysak - May 17, 2019 at 10:30 AM



“ Condolences to the family.

Though I did not know her directly do recall her running around the stands when her older brother was playing volleyball with my son. It's been an unfortunate year with GMac alum.

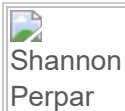
Winston Lee - May 17, 2019 at 10:26 AM

MH

“ Jacqueline was taken too soon and will be dearly missed. We new her as a young little girl as neighbors and she had such spunk keeping up with all the boys around her on that block. Her memory will live on in so many people as she touched so many lives in her short time with us. Cherish those memories 💕💕 We send our love to Jennifer, Kevin and the boys.



maeghan Heck - May 17, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ Jacqueline you were such a blessing in everyone's lives.. you truly were an angel. We will miss you and thankyou for being a special friend to Peyton.. not a day goes by we don't think of you.. meet you on the other side.. Rest in peace angel...

Shannon Perpar - May 17, 2019 at 09:55 AM

LT

“ *What a beautiful tribute to a beautiful girl. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Jeff, Laura, Will, Zach & Jess Thiessen

Laura Thiessen - May 17, 2019 at 09:14 AM

 Diane Bunnah

“ *Diane Bunnah lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Diane Bunnah - May 16, 2019 at 08:48 PM

RB

“ *I only met Jacqueline a few times at my house but was so touched by her wonderful personality, her beauty inside and out. I am so sorry for your loss. Regina (Matti's mom)*

Regina Brodersen - May 14, 2019 at 02:54 PM

KD

“ *She was a beautiful soul and spirited girl, we would look over and she would be cheering us on despite how we were the competition within many tournaments. She started a friendship between our teams, and we all extend our condolences. It is tragic that the world has lost such a vibrant soul, the world was better with her in it, this will be an adjustment I wish we didn't have to do. I'm so sorry that you've lost her, that you have to experience this level of hurt and grief. No one should have to go through this. I'm sending loving energies to your family and to her soul.*

Kayla Dayday - May 13, 2019 at 05:05 PM

DL

“ We known Jacqueline for many years. From her welcoming smile and willingness to always help out she will be very missed by our family.

Derek & Janine Logel of Irricana

Derek Logel - May 13, 2019 at 01:28 PM



BA

“ Our deepest sympathy in your loss. Our thoughts are with you at this time.

Barry and Belva Schlosser

Barry - May 13, 2019 at 01:24 PM

LF

“ Lemieux/terry Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery

lemieux/terry family - May 11, 2019 at 03:46 PM

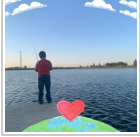


BP

“ Beth Plimbley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery

Beth Plimbley - May 11, 2019 at 03:44 PM





“ *Jennifer Dubeau lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jacqueline Alexis Margaret Avery*



Jennifer Dubeau - May 11, 2019 at 11:37 AM