



Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson

February 21, 1929 - December 8, 2015

Ms. Jane Sampson of High River, Alberta passed away at the Foothills Hospital in Calgary on December 8th, 2015 at the age of 86 years. On December 1st Jane suffered a heart attack while doing something she loved to do dearly and that was swimming lengths in the pool. Throughout her time in High River she had completed almost 1500 lengths.

Jane is survived by her second cousins Eldred Milne and Alberta MacKinnon both of Ontario as well as her many special friends. Jane will be remembered for her friendly, jovial demeanor and her genuine joy in chatting with people. Although she did not have family of her own, she took great interest in hearing about her friends' children. A daily ritual for Jane was to visit the High River Library to complete the Calgary Herald crossword. She had a remarkable aptitude in solving quite difficult puzzles. Her fascination with vocabulary led her to be seen playing a weekly scrabble game at McDonald's restaurant. She nourished her mind with good literature and noteworthy authors. She especially loved going to see plays written by Shakespeare. Jane also thrived on debates about politics. She described herself as a political junkie and was pleased when the NDP came to power in Alberta.

Having worked as a makeup specialist for Max Factor, Jane always took great pride in her appearance. She paid great attention to her hair and makeup and almost always wore earrings that sparkled. Jane's kind and thoughtful nature

was seen when she surprised her friends with little gifts and treated them to lunch to celebrate a birthday.

A Celebration of Jane's Life was held on Friday, December 18th where we welcomed friends to attend a come-and-go tea being hosted at the High River Library . Please join us in remembering and sharing fond memories of our dear friend. If desired memorial donations may be made to the High River Library. To send condolences and view Jane's Tribute Page please visit www.lylereeves.com . Caring for Jane's wishes is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River (403.652.4242).

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

DEC 18. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (MT)

High River Library
909 1st Street SW
High River, AB T1V 1A5 (CA)

Tribute Wall

LE

“ Always enjoyed Jane's visits to the Coffee House in Nanton. She was always upbeat and full of energy. So sorry to hear of her passing. Leslie Elder/Tumbleweed Coffee House, Nanton.

Leslie Elder - December 21, 2015 at 08:18 PM

JW

“ The staff at the Bob Snodgrass Recreation Complex.



Jo-Anne Wulff - December 18, 2015 at 08:18 AM

CM

“ Carolyn Metcalfe lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



Carolyn Metcalfe - December 16, 2015 at 09:18 PM

MM

“ Mary McDonald lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



Mary McDonald - December 15, 2015 at 09:10 AM

MP

“ Meg Paulsen lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



Meg Paulsen - December 14, 2015 at 11:41 AM

JS

“ When Jane stayed with us for 3 months after the 2013 flood, she could be found every night, watching "Wheel of Fortune" and "Jeopardy". But probably the most pleasurable time she had at our place, was when our youngest granddaughters, Bella and Eva, gave her hugs. They even did it when they saw her anywhere in High River. A wonderful lady is gone.

Joe and Donna Savrtka - December 11, 2015 at 08:20 PM

MG

“ I'll miss our Friday coffee time. Rest in peace dear Jane



marg gibson - December 11, 2015 at 11:02 AM

PE

“ Paula Elliott lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



Paula Elliott - December 10, 2015 at 10:24 PM

PE

“ I really enjoyed Jane. She was a solid and practical person who did not suffer fools very easily. I have a lot of respect for her. Paula Elliott

Paula Elliott - December 10, 2015 at 10:23 PM

FT

“ Jane was a very special friend. I got to know her at the pool and we played scrabble every week. We shared some great time together. I will miss her, and I hope she is at peace. I'm so glad that our paths crossed! Fran Tanner



Fran Tanner - December 10, 2015 at 06:22 PM

JB

“ Jill Bhar lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



Jill Bhar - December 10, 2015 at 02:08 PM

SD

“ STAFF At HIGHWOOD DENTAL lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson



STAFF at HIGHWOOD DENTAL - December 10, 2015 at 11:08 AM

MC

“ *Mary Lou And Megan Correia lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson*



Mary Lou and Megan Correia - December 09, 2015 at 07:42 PM

SM

“ *.Jane will be missed especially at the pool and at the library/*



Sheila Macklin - December 09, 2015 at 05:16 PM

CC

“ *Cathy Couey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson*



Cathy Couey - December 09, 2015 at 12:45 PM

JR

“ *Jane Russell lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson*



Jane Russell - December 09, 2015 at 07:47 AM

LG

“ *Lynette Gillanders lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson*



Lynette Gillanders - December 08, 2015 at 06:07 PM

DD

“ *Donna Downey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Jane Elizabeth Sampson*



Donna Downey - December 08, 2015 at 04:38 PM