

Barbara Joan Avery

1927 – 2010

Joan passed away peacefully with her beloved dog, Shelby, by her side on Sunday, February 14, 2010. She was the daughter of the late Helen and Billy Ellis. Joan was predeceased by her husband, Duke and her brother, Dick Ellis. She is survived by her daughter, Helen McMaster (Lex) and her son, Richard Avery (Valerie). She also leaves her sister-in-law, Shirley Ellis and her nieces, Debbie Battler (Michael), Cathy McKinstry (Ken Wait), Barbara Gardiner (Doug), Pat Drury (Greg) and nephew, David Ellis (Catherine) and many great nieces and nephews. The family would like to thank all the staff and friends at the Kensington Retirement Residence for their loving care.

A Memorial Service will be held at ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Douglas and Broughton Streets, on Tuesday, February 23, 2010 at 2:00 pm with a reception to follow in the Kirk Hall. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the S.P.C.A., St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church or a charity of your choice.