

Ellinor Havlasek

It is with great sadness that we announce the peaceful passing of Ellinor Agnes Havlasek (nee Thomik) on June 20, 2013 in Victoria, BC at the age of 83. Ellinor was born in Bonn, Germany, the youngest of four children. After a brief career as a translator (German, French, English) she immigrated in 1960 to Victoria to become a devoted wife and mother. For many years she enjoyed annual trips to Europe to visit family and friends. She adored the beautiful city of Victoria and her daily walks to the cathedral and the harbour, often stopping for tea and a visit with the girls at Murchies. She participated in her church, strata council, and the Engineers' Wives Club and will be fondly remembered by her many acquaintances. Predeceased by her husband Milo, her brother Rev. Josef Thomik, and her sister Doris Weber, Ellinor is lovingly remembered by her son Mark, daughter-in-law Valerie, grandchildren Joseph and Katerina, sister Gisela, and niece Yvonne.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL, 740 View St, on Thursday, June 27 at 12 noon, with a reception to follow in the Parish Centre. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Victoria Hospice, BC Children's Hospital, or to a favourite charity. Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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