

Jean Dorothy Higgins

August 30th, 1914 – January 11th, 2015

It is with deepest sadness that we announce the very peaceful passing of our dear mother, Jean Dorothy Higgins, on Sunday, January 11th, 2015. Jean was the oldest of eleven children born to Grace Elizabeth (Powell) Garrison and Alfred Lowell Garrison, on August 30th, 1914, in Halifax, Nova Scotia. She was predeceased by her dear son, Denis Michael Higgins, in June of 1970, and by her loving husband, Patrick Joseph Higgins, in October of 1996. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, great-aunt, cousin, and friend. Jean was always full of life. She loved to knit and sew and was known by all of her family to give the best hugs whenever they came to visit. She loved any new baby that was born into the family and was known for the beautiful baby sweaters she would make for them. Jean is survived by her children Sandra Hinds, Alan (Barbara) Higgins, Patrick (Lois) Higgins and Grace (Rod Farmer) Higgins, her six grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

A Prayer Service will be held at McCall Bros., 1400 Vancouver Street, Victoria, B.C. at 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on January 19th, 2015. A Celebration of Life and Tea will be held at 2 p.m. on January 20th, 2015, also at McCall Bros.

The family would especially like to thank the nursing staff on the Third Floor East of Luther Court for all the gentle, loving, kind, and compassionate care you all gave our dear mother during her residence there. We will be eternally grateful.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the Canadian Lung Association.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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