Johanna Held (geb Stöcklin)

It is with great sadness and a sense of loss, that we announce the passing of Johanna Held (geb Stöcklin) on March 23, 2025. She is survived by her loving husband of 56 years Hermann; her daughter Christine (Jim); her sister, Elisabeth Szojka; her long-time close friends Ruth & Rennie, Doris & Saad and Joyce. She will be missed by her overseas family: Grete with Astrid & Gernot; Hemma, Sepp & Lisi and Lisbeth; as well as friends in both Switzerland and Canada.

Born in Basel, she immigrated to Canada in 1966 where she continued to work as a nurse. She met Hermann in English class and they married in 1969 closely followed by the birth of their daughter, Christine. After retiring in 1999 Johanna and Hermann happily spent the next 20 years crisscrossing and exploring Canada in their camper.

A heartfelt thank you to Dr. L Prinsloo (& Tanya) for their unwavering support and advice; Myles (”Cape Scott”) and Erika from IH; as well as all the staff at SPH, especially Sub-Acute & PCU.

A celebration of life will be held on Friday, April 25, 2025, at 2:00 pm, in the Sequoia Centre at McCall Gardens, 4665 Falaise Drive. Please RSVP by Monday April 21st, 2025, by emailing JohannaBaslerin@gmail.com

In lieu of flowers, please “pay it forward” by assisting a person who could use a helping hand, whether by deed or donation, as Johanna did over the years.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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