

Patricia (Pat) Leahy (nee Doherty)

Nov. 2, 1919 – Oct. 21, 2010

Our beloved Mom was granted her wish to pass away peacefully at home, surrounded by her family. Predeceased by her husband, Johnny in 1982, she is survived by daughters, Jackie (Adrian) Brien, Judy (Tom) Wainwright; grandchildren, Shannon, Kristen, Grant, Jason and Heather; four great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and friends. Born in Victoria, Mom attended St. Ann's Academy and later found her calling working with Family and Children's Services helping needy families. She was a passionate golfer who enjoyed many years with friends as a member at Glen Meadows and Cedar Hill golf clubs. Never one to be limited by convention, Mom tried her hand at many things. She excelled at woodwork, creating everything from coffee tables to bird houses. In her 80's she discovered Reiki and became a Master. A naturalist at heart, she enjoyed salt and fresh water fishing, fly tying and bird watching. Her creativity also included drawing, flower arranging and making stuffed animals. A saviour of lost and broken things, Mom fixed things others had forsaken. A loving and supportive mother, grandmother and friend, she was an inspiration to many and loved by all. She will be deeply missed. Special thanks to Joan Burrows for her care and companionship to Mom these past three years and to Dr. Michael Miles for his exceptional care.

Funeral Service will be held on Friday, October 29, 2010 at 2:00 pm in St. Patrick's Church, 2060 Haultain Street with a reception to follow in the Lady of Lourdes Church Hall. Condolences may be offered to the family at www.mccallbros.com.