

Susan Margaret Johnson

We are devastated to announce that our loving Sue, Mom, Grandma Sue passed away peacefully in Victoria after a valiant battle with a severe, unexpected case of pancreatitis.

Pre-deceased by her parents, Sue is survived by her husband, Ray Johnson, son Matthew (Matt) Johnson (Alicia), daughter Kathryn (Kate) Scheeren (JR), two much loved grandchildren, Natalie and Alexandra Johnson, and her sister Mary Ann Martin.

Born in London, Ontario, to James Ross Martin and Mary Theo Katherine Martin (nee Byrne), her childhood and adolescent years were spent on various Canadian Air Force bases where her father was stationed. An active child, she loved playing sports growing up, especially fastball in Dollard-des-Ormeaux, and varsity hockey at Loyola College/Concordia University. After graduation with degrees in English Literature and Biophysical Education, she started her working career in Fredericton in 1975. Fortuitously for her husband, a chance meeting there led to an amazing 45 year marriage that produced two loving and caring children, a testimony to her incomparable parenting skills. From Fredericton, she moved with her husband to La Pocatiere and Montreal, Quebec, finally ending up in Sidney in 1980 where her children were raised and she resided until her death.

Sue was very supportive of her children's activities, believed strongly in being there, and as a result became a coach, manager, or trainer with their ringette, hockey, and lacrosse teams. Remaining active to the end, she particularly enjoyed pickleball and swimming at Panorama pool.

A very special thank you for the loving care and kindness of the doctors, nurses, and staff in the Victoria General and Royal Jubilee ICUs. No service by request. A celebration of life is planned for a later date. No flowers by request.

Tributes, if desired, may be made to the Victoria Hospital Foundation in her name.

Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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