



## Jacqueline "Jackie" Farquharson (Ames)

October 13, 1936 - October 4, 2021

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Our Beloved Mother and Nana Jackie has joined Papa (George Carruthers Farquharson 2018) into the light with her beautiful Angelic caregiver Trudy by her side. Survived by children Cindy (Don) MacPherson, Tim (Jen ) Farquharson, Susan (Len ) Vass, Sara (Mark) Trafford, 13 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. We have had the privilege of being touched and guided by her generosity of spirit, kind and selflessness nature and gift of helping those in need. Mom was the heartbeat of the Community and had a special bond with our most vulnerable. Always giving and happiest when she was comforting, supporting or singing. Our doors were always open. All were welcome and equal and left feeling loved and respected. So often a pen in hand her heart spilled out on every thoughtful card or letter she wrote. She would do anything for her children as well. Even their homework:) Our home was filled with her beautiful singing voice. She was Mom to many of our friends over the years through her open and loving heart. Thanks to all the angels at St Joseph at Fleming who drifted into our parents lives and took care of them. Thank you Trudy for allowing us to sleep peacefully knowing you were their caregiver and friend You were sent from heaven and our hearts are full of gratitude that you joined our family. In memory of Jackie, donations can be made to the Alzheimer Society and condolences can be made online at

CommunityAlternative.ca.

Thank you Mother for giving us the privilege of calling you Mom. Time for you to rest now.

Sweet Dreams Beautiful radiant Mama

# Tribute Wall

NL

“ Jackie was a former colleague and friend. At work, as in life, she always gave 100%. She was a great support to those of us who were younger than her and had younger families. I remember her saying, when I was dealing with an issue with one of my boys: "Remember, the older they get, the bigger their problems." In other words - "Don't sweat the small stuff". She was so right about that. I've never met anyone as "colour coordinated" as she was. It was such fun to go shopping with her. She always knew what colours made you look your best. She was a wonderful lady, committed to helping the underdog. She will be so missed by her family and the community at large. My deepest condolences to her family.

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**Nancy Laverty** - October 12, 2021 at 10:04 AM

JH

“ Jackie was such a beautiful, joyous presence at our Saturday Lunch program at St. John's which she helped start and run with Carol Winter, Dorothy Boddy, Connie Swinton and others. I will never forget her.

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**Jo Hayward-haines** - October 07, 2021 at 02:20 PM

RB

“ My heartfelt condolences to the Farquharson Family in the loss of your beloved mother Jackie. Meeting Jackie in the hallway at City Hall was always a pleasure and being greeted by that beautiful smile of hers. She was such a lovely, beautiful person inside and out! She will be truly missed, but not forgotten. Becky Bronson

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**Rebecca Bronson** - October 07, 2021 at 11:25 AM

JS

“ Beautifully written obituary. Sincere condolences to the Farquharson family. Jackie was the heart & soul of Trinity United Church & the Chancel choir. Her exuberant personality & bubbly smile we have missed & will be remembered with affection. Cherish the memories of a life well lived. George & Jackie a loving couple. Jean Sanders (Clark) Friend

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**Jean Sanders** - October 06, 2021 at 11:10 AM

PG

“ Although Jackie was a distant cousin , in miles if not family events. I always enjoyed spending times with Jackie and George at Ames family events, or sadly other family funerals. Jackie and my sister Pat were of a similar age & great friends growing up early on. I was very sorry to hear of her passing, although relieved that she is now at peace. Peter Gill Niagara on the Lake

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**Peter Gill** - October 06, 2021 at 10:22 AM

RL

“ Tim, and family, in respect of the passing of your mother Jackie Farquharson, please accept my condolences offered to you during this time of bereavement. To live in the hearts of those left behind is not to die.

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**Robert (bob) LaFreniere** - October 06, 2021 at 09:29 AM

MN

“ Jackie was a very friendly, caring, understanding friend. Always There for you in good times and bad. Her smile and positiveness would brighten your day. Her generosity and giving was never ending. RIP my special friend, I have great memories of our times together\u2026you will be missed. Love from Marj and Glen Nicholson

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**Marjorie Nicholson** - October 06, 2021 at 08:50 AM

LW

“ *Tim and Family, Our most sincere condolences on the loss of your beloved Mom. Please know that we are thinking of you, From the Members and Staff of the Peterborough Police Services Board.*

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**Lisa Wilson** - October 06, 2021 at 08:09 AM

RG

“ *My dearest childhood friend from Kirkland Lake. We met in a Finnish sauna on Main Street at age 12. Loved and loving, with a special spirituality nurtured by her pharmacist father, "Doc Ames", who was a convinced CCF candidate, and in the fifties, had living room dialogues with Jackie and her teenage friends on "What would Jesus do?" That question seems to be back! It guided her every decision. Then came nursing in Toronto. George met her and counted his blessing from then on. I was one of seven bridesmaids at their wedding! Then came four children and a move to Peterborough. We were allies, John and I with Jackie and George in Jamaican Self Help for many years. I believe she has been quickly ushered in to Light, and to a glorious reunion with George forever. Family, take heart from this beautiful life. Rosemary*

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**Rosemary Ganley** - October 05, 2021 at 04:12 PM