

IN LOVING MEMORY

MARY ALMA MACMILLAN



It is with sadness we announce the passing of Mary Alma MacMillan at the age of 95. She passed away peacefully surrounded by her family, Sunday, Feb. 18, 2024 at Inverary Manor.

Mary was born October 21, 1928 in Belle Cote, she was the daughter of the late Donald and Caroline (Phillips) Matheson. She was the last surviving sibling of her family.

When Mary was a young girl her family moved to Lake Ainslie where she would meet her husband William. They were married for 67 years before William's passing in June 2017. Mary began her 21 year career at the Inverary Manor in 1972. Her first position there was in Laundry and Housekeeping and gradually over the years moved up to become the Director of Food Services. She was the first graduate in the Food Services Course from the Department of Community Services adult education program at the Nova Scotia Institute of Technology.

Mary never shied away from hard work, she always did what needed to be done on the farm and for her family. She was the definition of "Grandma", you never left her house hungry, cold or without your sweet tooth satisfied.

She is survived by her children William C, Allan (Kathleen), Marie; her daughter-in-law Beverly; grandchildren Nathan, Nadine, Nelson, Dawn Marie, Chad (Holly), Jessica (Ryan) and many nieces and nephews.

Besides her parents she was predeceased by her husband William; her son Kevin; son-in-law Donnie MacLean and her siblings Bill (Mary), Murdock (Florence), Albert, Marion (Buck), Tina (Murdock) and Lillian (Wilson).

To the staff at Inverary Manor we extend Thank You from our hearts, your care and compassion for Mary and her family was truly amazing. Words cannot express how thankful and appreciative we are. Thank you for everything.

Visitation will be from 12:45 to 1:50 prior to the funeral service which will be at 2 pm, Sat, March 2nd in the Lake Ainslie Presbyterian Church with Rev. Janice MacLean officiating. Burial will be at a later date.

Memorial donations in memory of the late Mary MacMillan may be made to Inverary Manor or a charity of your choice.