

# REMEMBERING Olga Edna Kostyniuk

December 24, 1936 - September 18, 2015



#### **Tribute from Grace Gardens Funeral Chapel Staff**

Grace Gardens Funeral Chapel Staff send our condolences to family and friends.

## Tribute from Willie Harasym

Relation: Sister

I feel a little lost right now, without my oldest sister on this earth. but I know she'll be looking out for me just as she did when I was a little boy. We will pick it up again from where you left off when we get together in my memories of you Olga. I hope you are having a grand time up there and you know of course I love and miss you lots..

## Tribute from Noreen D. Romano

Relation: sister

Olga, you were a wonderful sister, always there for me especially when my sons were young. You never lectured; you simply offered good sound advice. Right now, I cannot imagine family gatherings without you, let alone the numerous and wonderful Ukrainian dishes you always brought over. But, I do know you will forever be in our hearts and memories and forever missed. Know that I loved you, dear sister.

## Tribute from Nancy Lawrence/Richard Cockerill

Relation: Worked at hospital /Lodge Resident

Our condolences to Henry, the Kostyniuk family and friends RIP Olga. Your work here is done. You will be greatly missed

## **Tribute from Fran Anderson**

Relation: friend

So sorry to hearing of the passing of Olga. Thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

## Tribute from Fern Garneau

Relation: sister

Our sincere condolences to Henry & the entire family. She was an icon. I will miss our phone chats, her patient advice to me about recipe questions and most of all I will miss her wisdom. She left a

legacy in the beautiful things she handcrafted and memories of the food she prepared. Her job was to feed the world & to take care of all babies. She will not be forgotten. Love always.

## Tribute from Orest and Sue Kostyniuk and family

Relation: Brother in law and Family

Orest, Sue, Daniel, Dale, Bobbi-Jo and Dalon wish to express deepest sympathy and love to the family for the loss of our dear Olga. She was the ultimate Mom and will be missed. May she rest in peace.

She is now watching over all of us.

#### **Tribute from Anne Cutts**

Relation: Relationship - How did you know the deceased?

Our Sincere condolences to Marlene & Family for your loss. Sending our thoughts and prayers for you

Anne, Liz, Bill, Rosie, & Gloria

# Tribute from Doug Orlecki and Colette Orlecki

Relation: Friends

Our prayers go out to all of you.

#### **Tribute from Brad Brookes**

Relation: Relationship - How did you know the deceased?

I fondly remember my Aunty Olga as more than an aunt. She was a force of nature. She was the nucleus around which things happened. Some of my best childhood memories are of going to visit my cousins "on the farm." Aunty Olga was always there, cooking, canning, berry picking, organizing, getting things done. As an adult I look at the monumental work load she faced every day & marvel at her ability to come through it all, no matter what. And that laugh of hers that started somewhere down in her toes then came all the way up through her belly to set her whole body shaking was both impressive & contagious. She was the kind of person that knew innately to make the most out of every moment of life. No motivational books for her. No daily calenders with uplifting sentiments. Just a confidence that the right thing to do is make the most of whatever you are handed. I believe that when she went to bed at night, she didn't lie there thinking "what if" or "I could have done more..." She just closed her eyes knowing she did all she could. I was lucky to have her as my aunt.

## Tribute from Jack and Jean Clarke

Relation: sister-in-law & brother-in-law

Our sincere sympathy to the family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

## **Tribute from Tracy Keryluk**

Relation: Family (once upon a time)

My sincerest condolences to all. I will not forget the kindness and generosity she extended towards me. I was always amazed at how much she accomplished in that little kitchen. God saw that she was tired (although I bet she would have gladly given more) and called her home.

## **Tribute from Shirley Ann Hutscal**

Relation: Friend

Sincere sympathy to Henry and the family. I will always remember the good times we had working together, volunteering, and being good friends. Shirley Hutscal and Eric Dale

## **Tribute from Gloria Gordon**

Relation: sister

I extend my condolences to Henry for being there for Olga through sickness and health.

And, from my family to your children, Maureen and Bob, I Thank You for being there for her during her struggle. Maureen, you truly your mother's legacy...doing what needs to be done.

Lyndon, thank you for visiting her both at home and at the hospital.

My children have many memories of Aunty Olga. The one that holds their hearts is when we stopped at her house on the way back to Calgary, sometimes with their friends or their Gordon cousins in town, and she made us all BLT's.

I will cherish the recipes she shared with me. You certainly can't find them on the net!

# **Tribute from Ryley Golden**

Relation: Close

Thanks for everything Olga. You are amazing

