

Eileen "Peggy" Cathern Abbenbroek



MAY 13, 2018

ABBENBROEK, Eileen Cathern

October 10, 1931 - May 13, 2018

Eileen "Peggy" Cathern Abbenbroek (nee MacMillan) passed away peacefully in Calgary on Sunday, May 13th, 2018 with her family by her side. Peggy was born in McLennan, Alberta. Peggy will be lovingly remembered by her husband, Dirk; children, Richard, Robert, Laurie (Wayne) and Roger; grandchildren, Cassandra (Travis), Joshua, Jessica (Byran), Sabrina (Ryan) and Kyle; great grandchildren, Caleb and Grace; Siblings, Ruth, Howard, and Edith; god daughter, Lynda, and extended family and friends. The family would like to thank the Palliser staff at Bow View Manor for their continued care and support. At Peggy's request, no service will be held. In lieu of flowers, donations in Peggy's memory may be made to The Kidney Foundation Of Canada, Southern Alberta Branch Office, 6007 1A St. SW, Calgary, AB T2H 0G5.

Messages of Condolence

Every time I see yellow flowers and hear the song, "Pretty Paper!", I will think of you! I will miss you and I am grateful my children got to know you!

A poem for you:

"The Watcher:

She always leaned to watch for us

Anxious if we were late,

In winter by the window,

In summer by the gate.

And though we mocked her tenderly

Who had such foolish care,

The long way home would seem more safe,

Because she waited there.

Her thoughts were all so full of us,

She never could forget,

And so I think that where she is

She must be watching yet.

Waiting 'til we come home to her

Anxious if we are late

Watching from Heaven's window

Leaning from Heaven's gate."

We love you Grandma! xo

— **Cassie and Family**



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