

# June Emma Buchanan

APRIL 16, 2013

June was born June 28, 1935 in Vancouver, BC. She left us for "Home" on Tuesday, April 16, 2013. She is survived by her twin sister, Joan Shaver, of Abbotsford, BC and her brother, Edward Book (Marion), of Coquitlam, BC. She is lovingly remembered by her husband of 51 years, Dick; her daughter, Maureen (Wayne); her son, Richard (Dylana); grandchildren, Braden, Danielle and Michael. She will be forever remembered by her sense of humour, the twinkle in her eye and her pointing finger. No one ever left our home hungry or with a hole in their clothing un-mended. She was an accomplished business person and an ever reliable partner. Her courage when facing adversity was shown again and again. The people who will miss her are countless. The family would like to thank Dr. John McSorley, Dr. Dorothy Tang and many others from Unit 44 at the Peter Lougheed Centre, Tom Baker Clinic and the wonderful caring people from Unit 51 at the Peter Lougheed Centre, Pastor Sandy Isfeld who guided us through and our friends and family. A donation in June's honour may be made to the Alberta Cancer Foundation or the Airdrie Community Foundation. June will long be remembered and forever loved. May the sun always shine on her heart and the wind always blow at her back. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Airdrie Alliance Church, 1604 Summerfield Blvd., Airdrie, AB, on Wednesday, April 24, 2013 at 1:30 pm.



## Messages of Condolence

We were so sorry to hear of June's passing. We have known June and her husband Dick since we moved to Airdrie 33 years ago. She was a wonderful and kind lady. We got to know her through Air Alta Insurance but soon became friends. We always had a laugh or two while dealing with our insurance. She always treated us as people not just as a client. She will be sadly missed but always remembered by all who knew her.

Rest in peace June.

Love, Terry and Sally McCann

— **Sally & Terry McCann**

Sorry to hear of June's passing. She was a wonderful lady who always had time for everyone she came in contact with. Our thought and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. She will be sadly missed.

— **Marilyn and Garth Rabel**

How do you say goodbye to someone that has always been there for you? Has always been part of your world? Mrs. B - you have always been my rock, a pillar of strength and support. A kind ear to turn to, a confident, a compassionate, thoughtful friend and an avid supporter of anything I attempted over the years. A true matriarch, a business woman, a loving wife, sister, mother, grandmother - I will always look up to you and wish Lexi had the chance to do so as well. We will keep your memory alive and I will try and instill in my daughter the characteristics we admire so much from such an amazing woman.

Our thoughts are with your family. Our tears will eventually fade to happy memories. We miss you, we hope that you know how much you were truly loved.

Kim, Nancy, Darwyn, Ryan, Lexi

— **Kim McNabb**

Our sincere sympathy is with June's family at this very sad time. June was a great lady and we enjoyed the time we spent in her office chatting over the years. Our thoughts are with you.

— **Rick & Lynn Preston**

A kind, loving and generous lady is how we would describe June. Our hearts go out to Dick, Maureen and Richard as well as their families. June had the ability to make one feel comfortable and a presence that felt reassuring. Words cannot do much at this time, but know that our thoughts and prayers are with you.

— **Carol & Gordon Pearse**

A mere 17 hours before June graced heaven with her beautiful spirit, she graced us for one last time. We blew her a kiss - and she blew one back with a smile and what we knew was a sweet 'see you later girls'.

We are so honored to have know this lovely lady for the last five years and to have spent summers living next door to our Buchanans on weekends out in Sundre. Both Dick and June have been so great to us - and the world just does not feel the same without June.

We celebrate a life well lived and promise to walk beside Dick as he puts one foot in front of another trying to continue on in these difficult days. We love you both! See you soon June - until next time we will hold that last kiss dear to our hearts.

Laurie & Patty

— **Laurie Gainer**

My deepest condolences to Dick and family on the passing of June. She will be remembered by all of us in Airdrie from the business community to her many friends. A lovely lady passes into the loving arms of God.

— **Sue Methuen**

We have just heard of June's passing and wish to extend our sincere condolences to Dick & his family. We hope that you will always find peace with the wonderful memories that June has left you with. God Bless you all.

Jean & Carolyn

— **Jean Simpson & Carolyn Kaun**

Have been rv'ing in the states Dick and just heard about June and would like to pass on our deepest sympathies. I know when we ran into you a month or so ago you told us she was very ill but didn't realize her time would come so soon. Take care of your self Dick. Will keep you in our prayers.

— **Allan/Wendy Wallace**

We would like to send the following sympathy message to  
ALL THE FAMILY!

"Time cannot steal the treasures that we carry in our hearts,  
Nor ever dim the shining thoughts our cherished past imparts."

Allan & Lorna LePoudre

— **Allan & Lorna LePoudre**

Dick, - I was so sorry to hear of your loss. When I think of June the word that comes to mind is "cheery" She was always so pleasant and it was a pleasure to talk with her. I know you will miss her in so many ways , both at home and at work.. I wish you a sense of solace and peace as you remember your life together.....My sincere sympathy.

— **Peggy Mollerup**



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