

# Elizabeth "Liz" Jane Haubrich

DECEMBER 20, 2018



It is with profound sadness that the family of Elizabeth Haubrich (née Moss) announces her sudden passing on December 20, 2018 at the age of 58 years.

Liz is survived by her loving husband, Vern, of 34 years; her children Christopher (Katie), Sydney (Stuart), and Ben; parents Avis and Graham; sister Lynette (Nick), brother Brian (Liz); and her nieces, nephews, family members, and friends.

Born November 20, 1960 in Hobart, Tasmania, Liz graduated from Hobart's Rose Bay High School before moving to Sydney to begin a career with Ansett Airways. Liz first met Vern in Sydney, Australia in 1983 and they were married there on November 17, 1984. Liz - always brave, resolute, and devoted - moved to Hodgeville, Saskatchewan with Vern in the spring of 1985. They settled there, starting a family with the birth of Christopher in 1987, followed by Sydney in 1991, and Ben in 1993.

Liz touched countless lives both in her native home of Australia and in her second home on the Canadian prairie. She was active in the Hodgeville community, most notably in her "dream job" as the village librarian for almost 25 years where she shared her passion for reading and the arts.

Liz was an artist. She created beautiful paintings, meals, gifts, letters, drawings, flower gardens, recipes, blankets, slippers, and keepsakes. Each creation was a masterpiece; a memento of her talent. In her every endeavour, Liz was generous with her time, kindness, and love.

Liz lived with grace, joy, and compassion. She was an outstanding wife, mother, sister, daughter, friend, family member, and soon-to-be-grandmother. She brought the Australian sunshine with her wherever she went. Liz will be forever missed.

A Celebration of Liz's Life will be held at the Mackenzie Art Gallery, 3475 Albert Street, Regina, SK on **Saturday, March 9, 2019** from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. with reflections from her family at 3:00 p.m. If friends so desire, donations to the Hodgeville Library in Liz's memory may be made through Chinook Regional Library.

## Messages of Condolence

Sending you heartbreaking condolences Vern and family  
Liz will be forever loved and missed so deeply.

— **Trudy Retzleff**

So sorry for your loss Vern and family. Rip Liz

— **Jason Sandra Spasoff**

Vern and family our hearts are broken for you all. Wishing you strength, comfort and love to help you through your sorrow. Hugs to you all.

— **Deanna Wilhelm**

Our heart felt sympathy for you loss. May the love Liz showered upon you give strength during this very difficult time.

— **Vic and Maxine Wall**

Our hearts ache for you Vern. Liz was a shining star whose light went out way too early. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your children as well as Liz's family back home in Australia whom we had the privilege of meeting on their visit. May strength and God get you all through this trying time .

— **Norma Swartz**

To Vern and the family

My heart goes out to you. I will miss her dearly she was a great friend and cook at her house party's

RIP Liz

— **Track Schous**

We think about you Vern and family everyday. We so loved Liz and her love for life. Know that we send you much love and strength to move forward from such a difficult time. Take care of each other and know our home in Regina is always open to you! Love from Lee, John, Carter and McKenzie Millar

— **Millar Family**

Dear Vern and family, so sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Your cousin, Linda and Alex Prowse.

— **Linda & Alex Prowse**

So sorry to hear of your sudden loss, Vern. I have so many wonderful memories of talks with Liz when I visited the library. My thoughts are with you during this very difficult time. Hugs!

— **Barbara Watson**

Vern, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Liz. Sending you heartfelt condolences to you and your family.

— **Sherril Bullock**

I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you and your family. Ken & Laurie

— **Ken Johnstone**

Vern Ben Chris Sydney and family. We are so sorry for your loss. She will be forever missed by everyone. She was a wonderful person to each and everyone of us. Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs to all of you. We were horrified when we found out what had happened.

— **Kirby and George Spasoff.**

To Vern and the Haubrich and Moss Families, you are in my heart and mind constantly ☐

Liz meant the world to us, our lives will never be the same without her, I feel your pain and stand amongst you all with deep despair and sorrow in my heart. I miss her terribly, and am at a loss for words to comfort you, being so far away, is not easy

— **Leigh Lynch**

Vern you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. There are no words to express our deepest Sympathy

— **Albert and Jackie Fischer**

Our hearts still ache at the loss of Liz, we had many good times shared around the table and campfires at the neighbors. Vern and your family are in our prayers.

— **Dale and Michelle Pouteaux**

Thinking of you Vern, Christopher, Sydney and Ben. My sincere sympathies. Liz was a beautiful woman inside and out and I will never forget her. Wishing you comfort during this hard time.

— **Shannon Dunnington (formerly Miss S. Malcolm)**

Dear Vern, Chris, Sydney and Ben,

The world lost one of the most precious person ever. Your mom/ wife was what I would consider to be a friend of mine that absolutely meant the world to me. 47 years of love, laughter, tears and beautiful times together. I will always have her in my heart. She loved you all so much. I love you all and will forever be part of your lives.

— **Dana Vigneault**

Dear Vern, Our deepest Condolences to you and to you families. Dan and Karen Kennedy talked about you lots and through them we heard of your impact in the St. Boswells and Hodgeville communities. Liz will be greatly missed for her passion for all the things that mattered, and especially your family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

— **Bill and Deb Chapman**

So tragic. I am truly sorry for your loss, Vern and your family.

— **Sandra (Hanson) Ortac**

Vern, Christopher, Sydney, Ben & the Moss family;

Our hearts are so saddened by the loss of our sweet Liz. She will be remembered always for her wonderful smile, kind heart & her love for her family & friends. We are blessed to have known such a star as Liz ☐ ☐

— **Terry & Joy Ostrander**

Dear Vern,

I wanted some time to pass before contacting you because I can imagine the pain and grief you must be suffering. I remember Liz all those years ago when I first met her and like you, and as a fellow Auzzie, was thoroughly entranced by her charm and wit. I wanted to let you know I have been thinking of you, your Family and your siblings over this Christmas and praying for Liz. Your Family have always been my friends right from my first meeting you, your Dad, Mum and your brothers and sisters. Liz and you are uppermost in my thoughts Mate and I'll continue to pray that you find peace.

Fond regards and love,

— **Colin Lawson (Snr.)**

Our heartfelt condolences to the Haubrich and Moss families. May she rest in peace and may your cherished memories give you some comfort.

We are so very sorry for your loss.

— **Jerry and Jacqueline Murphy**

Vern and families across the globe, I am heartbroken at the loss of Liz. I only met Liz once and I was in awe of this wonderful, witty woman. She had an zest for all things. Please accept my heartfelt condolences. Take care

— **Diana Behrns**

Vern, Words don't come easy at a time like this, Lona and my thoughts are with you and all your family, here and afar. May you find the strength to support you and your family through this. Mike

— **Mike Finney**

Vern and family, So sorry for the loss of your wonderful wife and mom. I was shocked and still think of her often. I remember the first time I tasted pavlova that Liz had made. I still make it and it will always bring back memories of fun times together. I hope the memorial has brought some comfort for you and the kids

— **Deb Linklater**

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