

# Sherry Lynn MacKenzie

SEPTEMBER 20, 2016

MacKenzie, Sherry Lynn (nee Gerlitz)

Sherry began her life journey on April 21, 1955 in Calgary, AB and said goodbye peacefully on September 20, 2016 in Didsbury, AB, her home for most of her life. Sherry touched the hearts

of all she knew; none more than Wade, her

loving husband of 43 years; and her cherished children; daughter, Susan (Lyll);

son, Allen (Kristina), their children Elizabella and Emma, Sherry's treasured

granddaughters. Sherry was predeceased by her grandparents; parents, Ivan and

Donna; sister, Laurie; and other family members. Sherry enriched the lives of her

seven siblings and their spouses, nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, extended family, friends, co-workers and acquaintances.

A consummate mother and homemaker, Sherry was an excellent cook and baker.

She enjoyed preparing meals for her family and friends. Over the years Sherry

created her own Christmas tradition of sharing her passion for baking and

demonstrating her generous nature by gifting many people with her famous

Christmas trays, over-flowing with goodies sprinkled with love. Sherry wore many

hats. She never missed a beat when swapping her chef's hat for her hard hat. She

took off her apron and jumped into her work boots and grabbed her lunchbox filled

with her peanut butter and dill pickle sandwiches and her Mars Bars. Sherry loved

her job working for Mountain View County for over 20 years, and looked forward

to climbing aboard the big-boy toys that she handily operated for many years. The



void in our hearts and lives will slowly heal with the comfort, love and support we will provide for one another.

A Celebration of Sherry's Life will be held at the Zion Evangelical Missionary Church, Didsbury, AB on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 at 2:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Sherry's memory to the Children's Wish Foundation, AB & NWT Office, #270, 2323 - 32 Avenue NE, Calgary, AB, T2E 6Z3.

## Messages of Condolence

Wade and Family. Garry and I are so sorry for the passing of Sherry. She is now out of pain and at peace. We were so happy to see Sherry at the company BBQ. If Garry or I can do anything please call us.

— **Hazel Hall**

We are very sorry Wade to hear about Sherry ,Our condolences to you and your Family

— **Dwayne/Belinda Temple**

Wade and family

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.

Love Debbie Temple and family

— **Debbie Temple**

Dear Wade, Susan, Allen and families. I am so sorry to hear of your loss.  
It's so hard to say goodbye to those we love. My deepest sympathies to all of you,  
may your memories sustain you in the days ahead.

— **Debbie Brander**

Wade, Susan & Allen. We are so sorry for your loss. Sherry will be sorely missed by  
all. Please know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers. So many memories  
crowd into our hearts at this time. Love to you all.

— **Heather & Dave Morrill**



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