

Laurie, Doris

January 2, 2026



DORIS LAURIE

1958 – 2025

Doris Laurie aged 67 years of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, passed away on Monday, December 29th, 2025. Born on April 18th, 1958, in West Hartlepool, Durham, England to James and Doris, she was affectionately known as “Dot” by her siblings.

Doris was a woman of many talents. An artist, singer, pianist, and homemaker, she expressed herself deeply through her creativity. She was known for her intellect and her voice; she was an excellent public speaker, a teacher, and she loved a lively debate.

Faith was a central pillar of Doris’ life. She served in her church as a seminary teacher, primary teacher, music leader, and

much more. A true scriptorian, she loved discussing the gospel of Jesus Christ. Her children remember the quiet moments seeing her study her scriptures and the times they attended General Conference by her side.

Doris connected with her family most deeply through music and tradition. She shared her love of musicals with her children, and the family holds onto the memory of singing carols to neighbors on Christmas Eve. She was also a dedicated baker who showed her love through food – her blondies, fudge, and peppermint chocolate-covered cookies were a highlight of the Christmas season. Doris was often disappointed to find less than she made when she was going to serve them.

She was confident, articulate, and a woman of strong conviction. She cheered her children on in their own musicals, sports, and choirs, and she was a talented performer herself, remembered for being amazing on stage. Whether it was driving to games or preparing for piano exams, she was there. Doris spent countless hours sitting at the piano, patiently helping her children master their parts and providing the encouragement they needed to reach their goals.

Doris is survived by her five children: Veronica (Aaron) Bayly, Crystal Bachiu, Candice (Steven) Dudley, Jared (Katie) Bachiu, and Adam Bachiu; and grandchildren: Benjamin, Rachel, Celeste, Samuel, Grace, Thomas, Jane, Kate, David, and Natalie. She is also survived by her siblings: Jim, Gordon, John, Anne, Ian, Darwin, and Trina. She joins her parents, James and Doris, and her siblings, Paul and Rita.

Special thank you to Natasha Gilbert for everything she did for Doris. She was an angel sent at the right time.

Doris' children wish to extend a special gratitude to their father, Lorne Bachiu, for the care he provided to Doris and for blessing his children's lives with his continued patience and grace.

The Funeral Service will be held on Friday, January 9th, 2026 at 1:00 p.m. at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 15 West Park Drive in Moose Jaw. A private interment will take place at Rosedale Cemetery

*"For they will always remember their mother of love.
Their angel sent from God above."
From the poem An Angel of Love – Jared Bachiu*

Arrangements are entrusted to Moose Jaw Funeral Home, 268 Mulberry Lane. Andrew Pratt, Funeral Director 306-693-4550

1.



Keera Gikas (Laurie) on January 5, 2026 at 10:48 am

Sending everyone healing prayers and comfort during this tough time.

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2.



Diana Baird (Laurie) on January 6, 2026 at 7:41 am

Memories last lifetimes, and love never truly leaves us. May your memories of her wrap around you like a gentle presence, bringing peace, strength, and comfort in the moments you need it most. I'm so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers are with you all. ♥️

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3.



Jim Laurie on January 6, 2026 at 11:27 am

A life well spent despite many refining challenges. Doris

was a lovely little Bridesmaid to my wife Doreen when we married in 1967. She accomplished all that God required of her.

She has blessed and leaves a wonderful posterity of children and grandchildren to fondly remember her. May God bless all with the spirit of peace.

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4.



Angela Bailey on January 8, 2026 at 12:39 pm

Sending our love and condolences to you all, aunty Doris was a beautiful soul.

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5.



Joel Young on January 8, 2026 at 3:37 pm

So sorry for the loss of Doris, in this life. A painful loss for us left behind but I take comfort believing she is now in peace and surrounded by loved ones already passed. What a joyous reunion she must be having. May cherished memories flood our minds and comfort us in the days ahead. Love, prayers and condolences to all family and friends.

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6.



Terrie Green on January 9, 2026 at 1:54 pm

I'm so sorry for your loss. I'm honored to have known your Mother since I was 16. I will truly miss her. May you feel Heavenly Father's comfort and peace. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

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