

# Ward, Patricia Doreen

November 24, 2023





## **Patricia Doreen Ward**

**Patricia Doreen Ward (née: Nash)** aged 79 years of Moose Jaw, SK, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, November 21st, 2023 with her three children and youngest granddaughter by her side. She was predeceased by her husband, William (Bill) Ward; parents, Lillian and Arthur Nash; brothers, Alfred Nash and Don Nash; sister-in-law, Mabel Nash; and brothers-in-law, Mathew Weselak and Ken Ward. Left to cherish her memory are her daughters, Cheryl (Len) Ward and Brenda (Cory) Kerr; son, Steve Ward; grandchildren: Kristen Ward, Kimberly (Mason) Ward, Liam Kerr, Bryden Kerr, and Jocelyn Kerr; great-grandchildren: Ashton, Paisley, and William Ward; sister, Lillian Weselak; brother, Arthur (Joyce) Nash; brothers-in-law, Gerry (Denise) Ward and Dave Ward; sister-in-law, Pat Ward; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

Patricia was born on February 2nd, 1944 at the Central Butte Hospital. She was the youngest of five children and had many cherished memories growing up on the family farm near Eyebrow, SK. She attended Winfield and Eyebrow schools, then entered

Teachers College in Regina, SK at age 17. Patricia's teaching career started in Assiniboia, SK. She spoke fondly of living in a boarding house with other teachers and nurses where she made many lasting friendships.

While visiting her brother Don in Moose Jaw, Patricia met her future husband, Bill. They were married in 1966 and had three children: Cheryl, Steve, and Brenda, and she stayed at home to dedicate her time to her family. When her youngest was 12 years old, Patricia returned to teaching in Moose Jaw. She was also very busy working in the family business – Ward's Transfer & Storage.

Patricia's family was her greatest joy. She was known for making everyone feel welcome and for her wonderful laughter that filled any gathering. She will be dearly missed.

**The Funeral Service will be held on Thursday, November 30th, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. in Moose Jaw Funeral Home.** Pastor Marvin Seaborg will officiate and interment will take place in Rosedale Cemetery. **Those not able to attend may view the service virtually by going to [www.moosejawfuneralhome.com/webcast/](http://www.moosejawfuneralhome.com/webcast/).** Arrangements are entrusted to Moose Jaw Funeral Home, 268 Mulberry Lane. Andrew Pratt, Funeral Director 306-693-4550

1.



Janice Steedman on November 24, 2023 at 8:28 pm

Very sorry for your loss

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2.



Terry Phillips on November 24, 2023 at 10:15 pm

Brenda and Cory and family, my deepest condolences on the loss of your mom.

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3.



Audrey ( Walker) Wilson on November 24, 2023 at 10:45 pm

I am very sorry to hear the Pat is gone but I'm glad she lived such a happy life. I lost touch and often wondered where she lived. I was her roommate at the boarding house in Assiniboia and a fellow teacher. We were at college together in Regina and both began teaching our first year in Assiniboia. We had interesting days, some challenges, and good time. I guess our lives were somewhat similar. I taught for a while and then married in 1966. I live on a farm/ranch south of McCord, Sk. with my husband Bill and was busy with five kids. Pastor Marvin Seaborg will know who we are as our family owns the Bridle farm (his Grandfathers). I will be thinking of all your family though I really don't know any of you. I remember Pat when she was young, full of joy and adventure with so many hopes and dreams. We all have such good memories of her.

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4.



Dave Weselak on November 25, 2023 at 3:20 pm

Cheryl, Steven and Brenda. I am so sorry to hear the loss of your mom, my aunt Patsy. She was my godmother. I

remember her as always happy and laughing. I remember whenever we visited, my mom (Lillian) and Aunt Patsy giggling together so much that they were crying. It is fond memories that I will always cherish. God bless her and you.

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5.



**Pat Ward** on November 26, 2023 at 1:32 pm

Cheryl, Steven and Brenda my heart goes out to the three of you and your families for the loss of your Mom. I know you were all very close and she will be missed terribly. You have many wonderful memories to remember her by as she was a kind and wonderful woman always cheerful and caring. She will always be with you in you're hearts.

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6.



**Noreen and Keith Aitken** on November 26, 2023 at 8:43 pm

To Pat's family....please accept our sincere condolences. I am very sorry to hear about Pat. She was my neighbour a friend in my younger years. I have good memories of Pat. She always had a smile and a giggle when we would meet by chance downtown in Moose Jaw. She loved her family.

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7.



**Carolyn Swanson** on November 27, 2023 at 3:32 pm

To the Ward Family, Pat was a substitute teacher over the years, so I got to know her pretty well through work. She was such a lovely lady, truly a genuine caring individual. Always positive and a smile on her face. The world lost a gem.....RIP Pat.

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8.



**Christine Nash-Phillips** on November 27, 2023 at 3:40 pm

My thoughts are with you at this time. I am very sorry for your loss. May Aunt Patsy's life continue to resonate with all of the people she touched.

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9.



**Blair & Roberta Bucsis** on November 27, 2023 at 4:10 pm

To Brenda, Cory and family, please accept our condolences at the loss of your mom. We will keep all of you and her in our prayers...

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10.



**Patti Johnson (Weselak)** on November 28, 2023 at 6:44 pm

My thoughts are with Cheryl Brenda and Steven Aunt Patsy's family and friends. She was such a very special person. My memories of her will forever be happy ones with a smile and giggle. In loving memory

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11.



**Judy Larson** on November 30, 2023 at 1:10 pm

Cheryl, Steve, Brenda and your families, you are in my heart and thoughts. I will treasure my wonderful memories of your Mom, my Aunt Patsy. She was beautiful and loving and brought so much fun and giggles throughout our lives. Love to you all.

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12.



**Dave Ward** on December 1, 2023 at 3:47 pm

My sincere condolences to Cheryl, Steve, Brenda and families. I had planned on attending the Memorial Service to offer my condolences and respects in person, but was too ill that day to attend. Hugs to all.

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13.



**Bob Nash and Rhoda Nash** on December 3, 2023 at 4:16 pm

Cheryl, Steven, Brenda and families. We hope that your cherished memories of your mom brings you some comfort during this time of grieving. The eulogy given by Cory was deeply heartfelt and lovely.

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