Wheeler, Martha Laraine

February 19, 2019



Martha Laraine Wheeler

It is with profound sadness that we announce that **Martha Laraine Wheeler**, aged 78 years of Moose Jaw, SK passed away peacefully, surrounded by family, in the early morning on Friday, August 16th, 2019. The youngest of 8 children, Martha was born December 30th, 1940 on the family farm in Birsay, SK to the late Leemon and Jessie LaBar. They later relocated to the Old Wives District. Growing up Martha had a strong love for animals, especially horses, and spent many years training horses and developing her ability to trick ride, a skill that she was very proud of. She married the love of her life, William (Bill) George Wheeler, on November 4th, 1961 and together they raised their son and daughter. Martha and Bill loved to travel and together they saw pretty much all of North America in their camper. Family was very important to Martha, and she was always armed with her photos ready to show off and brag about the people she loved most in this world. She was predeceased by her father, Leemon LaBar; mother, Jessie LaBar; brothers: Elmer, Victor (Maggie Ridley), Lewis, and Bernard; sister, Hazel Holstrom; father-in-law, Richard Wheeler; mother-in-law,

Victoria Wheeler; brothers-in-law: Don (Elva) Wheeler, Jack (Pat) Wheeler, and Vivian Doney; and sisters-in-law, Violet (Hugh) Ridley, and Kathleen (Allwyn Gray, Reo Tremblay). Martha is survived by her loving husband of 57 years, **Bill**; son, **Ricky** Wheeler; daughter, **Janet** (Harvey) Stewart; sister, Joan (Bill) McNabb; brother, Enos (Vivian) Labar; brothers-in-law: Edwin Holstrom, Bob (Lorraine) Wheeler, and Ray (Glennis) Wheeler; sister-in-law, Dorthy LaBar; grandchildren: Natasha (Dave) Kennedy, Chad Stewart, Jodie (Russ) MacDonald, and Cody (Lindsay) Stewart; 11 great-grandchildren; as well as many nieces, nephews, extended family, and dear friends, all of whom she loved deeply. The family would like to thank Dr. Vermaak, and the staff on Memory Lane at Pioneer Lodge for their kindness and compassion in a very difficult time. **A Celebration of Martha's Life will be held and announced at a later date.** In lieu of flowers donations in Martha's name may be made to The Moose Jaw Humane Society, Box 1658 Station Main, Moose Jaw, SK S6H 7K7. Arrangements are entrusted to Moose Jaw Funeral Home, 268 Mulberry Lane. Gary McDowell, Funeral Director 306-693-4550.

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Elwood & Vern Lynds on August 19, 2019 at 5:36 pm

Our most sincere condolences to all Martha's family.

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2.



Carla Wallace on August 19, 2019 at 8:31 pm

So sorry for your loss Jan and Harvey
You are in my thoughts and prayers.

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3.



Connie Larry Paul on August 20, 2019 at 11:47 am

So sorry for your loss Janet Harvey and family. Your mom had the best care giver" her daughter". Hugs to you all

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George and Marianne Gottselig on August 20, 2019 at 12:47 pm

We are shocked and saddened by your loss, dear Bill, Janet, Harvey and family.
Our heartfelt thoughts are with you all!

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5.



Shirley Tillie on August 21, 2019 at 7:18 am

It has been many years since I saw you last.I am so sorry you are gone.You two looked after chores at the High Park Riding Club for a time.Condolances to the family.

Reply

6.



Carol Blaire on August 21, 2019 at 2:19 pm

My deepest sympathy to you and your family for your loss. I treasured the times we had together. She will always hold a special place in my heart.

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Joan Keeler on August 23, 2019 at 7:52 am

My condolences to Bill, Janet, and Ricky. There was never a dull moment when Martha was around. I will remember her with fond memories.

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Dave and Grace Gottselig on August 26, 2019 at 9:35 am

Our sympathy and prayers to the Wheeler family.

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