



Mrs. Patricia Marjorie Henning

March 11, 1936 - December 5, 2018

Passed away peacefully at Campbell House Hospice, Collingwood, ON, on Wednesday, December 5th, 2018 in her 83rd year.

Pat, beloved wife of Michael for 60 years. Loving mother of the late David (1992) and John (1984).

Dear sister of Barry Hull. Lovingly remembered by family and friends.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Raglan Village Theater Room, 89 Raglan Street, Collingwood, ON, on Sunday, December 16th, 2018 from 2 – 4 pm with remembrances at 2:30 pm. Donations may be made to your cherished charity in memory of Pat.

Events

DEC **Celebration of Life** 02:00PM - 04:00PM

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Raglan Village Bistro

89 Raglan Street, Collingwood, ON, CA, L9Y 0B2

Comments



“ Dear Mike;

I have sent you a letter and invited you to come to us for a few days.

Your old tel. # in Collingwood was reported as being out of service.

The e-mail site of "chattersonfuneralhome.com" gave no info on how to reach you.

Hoping that you are in good health and well, know that we are sharing the times you have to go through.

We hope that you find friends and / or relatives during Christmas to assist you.

Looking forward to your reply, we send our love memories we carry over from our times at Carl Zeiss Canada Ltd.

Your friend and colleague

Karl L.R. Mahler, & my wife Barbara (P.Eng. [77], formerly Ont.Ministry of Transportation.

Karl & Barbara Mahler - December 18, 2018 at 02:20 PM



“ To Michael and Pat's inner circle of friends and relatives,

I modelled with Pat many, many years ago here in Toronto. I read the sad news of her passing in the newspaper. Pat was a lovely person with a kind and gentle soul. Where Pat has gone will be a better place now that she is there.

Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss.

Sincerely,

Wendy Yarlett

Wendy Yarlett - December 17, 2018 at 10:12 PM



“ Pat was a role model for me. A mom of two boys at Skyloft ski club where my family would spend all our winter weekends when I was growing up. Her words and actions were always soft and kind, thoughtful and caring. She moved through life with grace and a quiet nature. This lovely soul's journey pulled at my heartstrings like no other as she lost her two beloved boys. Yet through all of her loss and heartache she remained soft, kind, thoughtful and caring towards so many people. My heart has always gone out to you dear Pat, and I simply hope that your peaceful nature is ever deeper now surrounded by love and brilliant light, along with a reunion with John and David.

Anastasia Polito - December 17, 2018 at 01:13 PM



“ such a beautiful tribute to this beautiful woman, this afternoon past and, such a privilege to have been so blessed by the light and life and love and laughter of such a beautiful woman, so dear to SO many

my life with Pat and Mike has been exclusive to the world of golf about ten years ago, Pat introduced herself and asked if I might be interested in joining her as her playing partner in a tournament, hosted at The Georgian Bay Club

(a tournament known notoriously as, 'The Divorce Open'... imagine, if you can... wives/husbands/spouses, playing together, as partners, competitively... yup...)

but, play, we did and, have FUN, we did (how could one not, with our Patricia Marjorie Henning leading the charge!) and, at the end of our fabulous day on course, Mike was there to greet us and to 're-partner' with Pat for the post round dinner and tournament celebrations

as Pat transitioned from our golf cart to Mike's arm... we all had a giggle... it was, in that moment, in our very first year of 'The Divorce Open', that I started to refer to Pat as my ex... Pat

I do really need to thank Mike though, for making the (particularly wise) decision to not include golf in his every day recreation or... I may never have met my exPat!

of course, the fun didn't stop there... Pat expanded our 'dynamic duo' to become a 'fabulous foursome' and Pat, along with her dear friend Karen Eluck, myself and Pat's long time golf instructor/coach Andy Holba, made an annual Fall pilgrimage to a tournament fundraiser for the Collingwood G&M Hospital at Mad River Golf Club near Stayner, Ontario

I can still see the smiles on Pat's face throughout the day but, most particularly, at day's end, as players of ALL ages congratulated Pat and her team on their successes, year after year...

(facts be known... Pat assembled a team that was humbling players the ages of our children and grandchildren!)

Pat, thank you for showing us YOUR way, thank you for sharing your light, your life, your love, your smile, for sharing your leadership, for showing us we all can elevate our 'games'

as we miss you, your power, your strength, your inspiration... will forever guide us

rest well

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Alan Patte - December 17, 2018 at 02:44 AM



“ Met Pat & Mike in Canada, they were good friends of my cousins, The Armstrongs. Saw them again in Albuquerque, NM when there were rv'ing thru the SW, and again in Florida when they stayed in an RV park east of Orlando. Didn't see them enough, but have kept in touch throughout the years. I am so sorry to hear of Pat's passing and my deepest sympathy to Mike . Thank you for letting me know. Gail Bellamy

Gail Bellamy - December 15, 2018 at 01:25 PM



“ Nearly 30. Years of very previous memories However what I will always be top of my mind is the years of luv and support both pay and mike gave to. Les and me. From the little things like quickly dropping by with cookies or fresh muffins , maintaining our monthly commitment to attend the theatre by being picked up by the Henning , assisting les to walk to his seat or drive him to the cancer treatments , many months All this trumps the wonderful parties , hiking , visits to Hilton head and Florida which in themselves would have overloaded. The memory circuits. And then with the move to raglan. By the 3 of us , the luv. Continued. You ll never find a braver kinder person than pat Henning I will miss her fore ever. Lee Bertouche. And ps. Les felt the same way

lee bertouche. and les in spirit - December 14, 2018 at 11:26 PM



“ Two very cherished ladies will finally be together again. Love you both with all my heart.
Jodi Xoxoxo.





“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Patricia Marjorie Henning.



December 14, 2018 at 01:52 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Patricia Marjorie Henning.



December 13, 2018 at 05:16 PM



“ We met Pat & Mike (and Perry) in 2002 at Hermit Island. Pat heard us speaking French and came to see us. She enjoyed speaking our language which she possessed quite well.

We met again in Maine the following year, then in Collingwood where we were invited. Each time they came to Montreal, they came to see us at our restaurant. We also had the habit to have breakfast with them at De La Fontaine Inn where they used to stay.

Pat and Mike are extraordinary people. We had the great pleasure to know them and they shall remain in our thoughts forever.

To Mike, family and friends, please accept our sincere condolences.

Guillaume, Chantal and Alice from Montreal

Chantal Lussier - December 12, 2018 at 09:24 PM



“ Hi Mike and family. John and I first met you both at the Wilson's cottage on lake Simcoe. Then Pat and I played tennis in Collingwood. Shortly after we formed a wonderful mixed group and had fun at the "bubble". We went on a hike with our new puppies Perry and Ty. Lots of parties at our homes. Skiing at Blue. We were taking lessons at the North and the snow making guns were going full blast. Pat was upset- far too much she said and dangerous so she skied back and had them shut off. Always thinking of others. We will miss her. Fondly John & Joan

Joan & John Wright - December 12, 2018 at 01:20 PM



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Karenl Eluck - December 12, 2018 at 01:11 PM



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Karenl Eluck - December 12, 2018 at 12:15 PM



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Karenl Eluck - December 12, 2018 at 12:12 PM



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Despite her recent illness, she never complained and always found time for her friends.

Pat will be greatly missed..

Our condolences go to Mike at this difficult time.

Nancy Doug Fowler - December 12, 2018 at 10:49 AM



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Nancy & Doug Fowler - December 12, 2018 at 10:22 AM



“ From Keith and Aggie McConnell purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Patricia Marjorie Henning.



From Keith and Aggie McConnell - December 11, 2018 at 03:23 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Patricia Marjorie Henning.



December 11, 2018 at 12:34 PM



“ What a surprise to see Pat's obit in the Montreal Gazette today. I knew Pat at Blythwood school in North TO when we used to walk to school together . Then in the 70's was amazed to cross path's with her in Ste Therese when our kids were at nursery school. What a beauty she was with her lovely red hair and she showed me pix of her modelling. Beautiful inside and out as others have mentioned. I had lost track of her over the last few years but will always remember her lovely smile.

Condolences to Mike

Gail Desnoyers
Montreal

Gail Desnoyers - December 10, 2018 at 05:47 PM



“ I first met Pat when I was 17 and dating David. Little did I know at that time that I would be a part of their life for 38 years. I was with the family when they lost John and to this day remember the pain and sorry of that loss. Then to have to endure the loss of David as well, it seemed so horribly unfair. It always amazed me the strength Pat and Mike's had and how they got through those tragedies together. They bond between Pat and Mike was unwavering.

Pat was an amazing woman and I will forever miss her. She embraced my family as if they were hers. She always remembered my birthday as well as my children's birthdays. She always had a smile on her face and was always so welcoming. Mike, my heart goes out to you for the loss of Pat.

Linda (Christie) Perry

Linda Perry - December 10, 2018 at 03:45 PM



“ Pat was my neighbor for a short 4 years, her kindness and positive approach to everything was amazing to see. She was generous, always happy, always helpful and a great support. Walking Honey (her dog) and waving at us across the driveway, will stay in my memory for ever. She will be missed! Always in our hearts. Maria, Aedan and Conor.

Maria Armstrong - December 10, 2018 at 10:46 AM



“ I first met Pat & Mike when my husband and I started building our home across the street from them in 2002. We often walked our dogs together on the Georgian Trail & it was convenient to dog sit for each other. Pat never forgot a Birthday, Anniversary or Christmas card with pics & news. She introduced me to Pilates and was an example of how to diligently do your post surgery exercises. So glad I had a visit this Fall at their Raglan location. Pat was so proud to show me all their Wedding Anniversary momentos.
My sincere condolences, Catherine Barlow

Catherine M. Barlow - December 10, 2018 at 09:22 AM



“ Jerry and I were so saddened and shocked to hear of Pat's passing as we were visiting her and Mike only a few days before .Pat was upbeat and positive as usual , she never complained always accepted with strong faith whatever life dealt her. Pat only said that she did not get a good report from her last doctors visit. She was consoling me as it was the anniversary of my father's passing which was several years ago. She was always so kind and considerate of ones feelings. Pat will be sadly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing her. She was a beautiful LADY inside and out and the first one to offer help in any way to anyone.
We met through teaching skiing, the Hennings were a very athletic family. Following the passing of their sons, Pat and Mike moved up to Collingwood . We continued to enjoy their company at parties , skiing ,tennis , fund raising and golf just to name a few. Pat was always so conscious of her diet and Mike's waistline but she told Jerry they always enjoyed the bagel runs between Toronto and Collingwood . We will miss her humble comments whether it was looking through photographs of her modelling career, travels abroad, Florida life , Christmas cards or doggie pictures. Rest in Peace Pat reunited with your loved ones, we shall never forget you. Forever in our hearts ... Margaret-Anne and Jerry Gold

Margaret-Anne & Jerry Gold - December 09, 2018 at 08:47 PM



“ Mike, I was saddened to learn that Pat away. I understand how much you'll miss her. We met Pat for the first time in 1981 at a CSIA Spring Festival in Whistler. We attended other CSIA festivals and many Annual Ski Pro Workshops at Panorama. Our relationship with you and Pat was a long distance one, because we lived in Ottawa. However, we drove to Toronto for reunions at your home. We kept in touch via e-mail and many phone calls. She never missed my birthday. Little did I know that my chat with Pat in October would be our last. Pat was a caring, kind, thoughtful, loving person. She was a very special friend who will be missed.
Hugs to you,
Mary Ajersch

sd - December 09, 2018 at 05:34 PM



“ I am very saddened to hear of Pat's passing.
I met Pat years ago. We were both instructors at Blue.
I went home to tell my Mom about the ladies I had met at Blue and encouraged her to move to Collingwood.
I spoke of Pat Henning and my Mom asked " by chance is that the model Pat Henning?"
It had been over 20 years since Mom had seen Pat.
When I returned to Blue I asked Pat if she had modelled. She shyly said yes.
Well it ended up Pat had shared driving the kids to school with my Mom when we lived North of Montreal in Ste. Therese Que.
What a coincidence that this was the same Pat Henning.
I have fond memories of Pat and all the ladies' dinners we had with the Blue Mountain crew
.
She will be missed a lot!!
My huge condolences to Mike and family.
Pat was amazing.
Love,
Shred

Allison Church - December 10, 2018 at 04:22 PM



“ Sheryle and I were so sorry to hear the news of Pat's passing. Pat was a truly lovely person and although distance made it impossible to spend much time with her, and Mike, the telephone and letters and Pat's always-delightful Christmas cards helped us feel connected.
Deepest condolences from Australia.
Michael Rose
Sydney.

Michael E Rose - December 09, 2018 at 04:44 PM



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December 09, 2018 at 11:53 AM



“ Offering sincere condolences to the family. We enjoyed RVing with Pat & Mike and have lovely memories of our travels together.
Carole & Marcel Levesque (Wagon Trains)

Carole - December 08, 2018 at 09:15 PM



“ I was very sorry to learn that Pat passed away this week and I am sending my condolences to my cousin Mike Henning for this great loss. Although I never met Pat, she always sent me Christmas cards to keep me updated about her travel experiences with Mike. I loved the photos of her beloved dogs and I felt like I knew her because of the warmth she expressed in these cards, many of which I still have. Pat, rest in peace.
Carol Rose, Calgary, Alberta

Carol Rose - December 08, 2018 at 04:57 PM



“ Contributed by Laurie McRobert, Toronto

I remember vividly when I met Pat in Montreal. I had walked into the Montreal Athletic Association's Ladies Change room and, there she was -- a stunning vision of beauty fixing her makeup and combing her beautiful red hair. I walked over to Pat and said "you're beautiful -- you should be a model" to which she replied, somewhat to my surprise, "I am".

And so was I --we just had different modeling agents in Montreal and our paths had not yet crossed. Such a wonderful friendship began. I cannot begin to list here all of the special things Pat did for me during the next 58 years, especially after I was paralyzed in a car accident in 1964.

Pat lived in Ste. Therese-en-haut, some 14 miles from downtown Montreal. As you can imagine, this presented challenges for a young mother after her two beautiful baby boys were born. Often Pat would drive back and forth between modeling assignments to breast feed her sons in Ste. Therese -- sometimes she would make

three round trips a day. That gives you some idea of how Pat lived, as well as her generosity of spirit, her strength of character, and the depth of love she possessed for her family.

After my car accident in 1964 when I was paralyzed, Pat arranged for her sister-in-law, Gail Henning, then a physiotherapist to move from Vancouver to Montreal and take over my daily physio so that I could spend more time at home (and a cottage at Mont Tremblant) with my four young children and husband. Gail and Pat helped me to learn how to walk again after my back was rebuilt at the Montreal Neurological Institute in 1964 and 1965.

In 2009 I moved to Toronto after my husband Stan died and I was very grateful to be geographically closer to Pat once again. Pat and her husband Mike came to see me during my cancer treatments for breast cancer and supported me through my difficult back surgery in December 2012.

I will never forget the day she sat quietly sipping tea in my kitchen and told me she had cancer. In 2014, I began to write a book to inspire Pat and help her to think about the afterlife that I entitled "Getting to Heaven." The book is a kaleidoscope of short stories about heaven that I dedicated to Pat. So began our long ongoing discussion about the afterlife and heaven.

Although Pat never talked much about the loss of her sons I sensed she truly believed that she would join them in heaven one day. Dearest Pat, I hope you had a splendid reunion and that heaven is all that you hoped it would be. Are you young and glorious again and have you danced around the "May Pole" with your babies?

Pat, I'm not far behind you sweetie, I'm coming to join you one day soon to enjoy the rapture of heaven with you and all our loved ones who are there already.

with love, your dear friend, Laurie McRobert, Toronto, Dec. 8th



David McRobert - December 08, 2018 at 01:49 PM

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sue anderson - December 08, 2018 at 07:47 AM



“ Always in your heart, Kris Lee-Scott purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Mrs Patricia Marjorie Henning.



Always in your heart, Kris Lee-Scott - December 07, 2018 at 08:14 PM



“ We will always remember the walks and love. Prince

mike hodgson and Prince. the poodle - December 07, 2018 at 08:12 PM



“ nearly 30 years of friendship , through mostly good times, quality time spent on holidays in hilton head and florida , on the golf courses in florida and the geopion bay club , hiking the mainly trails of the blue mountains here at home ,theater nites , birthday parties , anniversary parties or just a good -to- be- friends get togethers ,and then the bad times !! Pat would drop by our home regularly while les and i were struggling , with our favorite cookies or freshly baked muffins ,always a hug and a kind word ,and an offer of help with her dogs , a welcome diversion and then over the years she and mike would pick us up for the theater , pat would assist with walk while mike parked the car , so many wonderful memories of this brave , kind gentle , generous of spirit , but firm woman who suffered herself with out a word of bitterness , nor regret , les and i both luvd her , and admired her and over the last couple of years after les. s death , i was blessed to be more in their lives as a close neighbour , pat could drop by , often with a dog in tow, needing a walk and we could get together frequently breaking bread, sharing a glass of wine , always something to share about., pat was the darling of raglan and i think in fact she has been the darling of everywhere she went She will be missed by so many lee bertouche

lee bertouche - December 07, 2018 at 07:59 PM



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Kris Lee-Scott - December 07, 2018 at 06:57 PM



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