

# OBITUARIES

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**RICHARD**, Philip Gerald "Gerry" - Great Village, formerly of Londonderry, passed away on Monday, May 4, 2020 at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Truro, he was the son of the late Phil and Agnes (Doucette) Richard. He is survived by his wife, June (Fulton); son, Stephen (Shernett and Malique), Debert; daughter, Kimberly (Jamie) George, Bible Hill; beloved grandchildren, Brandon and Ryan George, Bible Hill; brothers, Dan (Maxine) Londonderry; Ron (Olga) Porters Lake; Mike, Sutherland Lake; sister, Debbie Richard (Charles Nelson), Toronto; several cousins, nieces and nephews. Interment will be held at a later date in Saint Ambrose Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Londonderry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: [www.mattatallvarnerfh.com](http://www.mattatallvarnerfh.com)

**FAUVELLE**, Yvon Hector - 85, Pugwash, formerly of Bible Hill, passed away peacefully on May 7, 2020 in East Cumberland Lodge, Pugwash. Yvon was born a son of the late Romeus and Bernadette (Jacques) Fauvelle in Hull, Quebec. He is survived by his son, Michel (Sherri MacLean), Little Harbour; grandchildren, Jason, Truro, Jean-Marc (Marisa Martin), Little Harbour and great grandchild, Jethro Fauvelle. Besides his parents, Yvon was predeceased by his loving wife, Stella; daughter-in-law, Charlene (Forgeron) Fauvelle; brothers, Rhéal, Lucien, Roger, Conrad, Jean-Jacques, André, Lionel, Aurèle, René as well as brother, Rhéal in infancy; sisters, Delvina, Janine, Lise and Ginette. Throughout his career as a standard bred racehorse trainer, Yvon worked in several different raceways including the Truro Raceway, Charlottetown Driving Park, Blue Bonnets Raceway, Rideau Carleton Raceway, and Connaught Park Racetrack. He was a member of Standard Bred Canada, USTA, Club optimiste de Luskville and Bible Hill Senior Bowling. Donations in his memory may be made to the Heart & Stroke Foundation. Arrangements have been entrusted to Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow St., Truro. Messages of condolence may be sent to the family by visiting [www.ColchesterCommunity.com](http://www.ColchesterCommunity.com)

**WINTERS**, Nancy A. - Age 83, of Parrsboro passed away Friday, May 8, 2020 at the South Cumberland Community Care Centre, Parrsboro. Born in Parrsboro, she was a daughter of the late Josephine Smith. She is survived by her husband, Charlie; sons, Johnny and Danny, all of Parrsboro; brothers, Fred Smith (Sally), Kentville; Jerry Smith (Genevieve), Dartmouth; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a sister, Sharon; brothers, Charlie, Allan. With respect to the health safety of others surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic, a private family service will held a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the South Cumberland Community Care Centre Foundation or the St. George's Anglican Church, Parrsboro. Arrangements entrusted to Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro. Online condolences at [www.smithsfuneralhome.com](http://www.smithsfuneralhome.com)

**ALCORN**, Gregory Steven - age 62, Truro, passed away unexpectedly on May 9, 2020 in the Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. He was born in Portage La Prairie, Manitoba to the late Robert Alcorn and Faye Marion Alcorn. Along with his mother, Gregory is survived by his sons, Michael (Amanda), Jason (Tammy) and Nicholas; grandchildren, Justin, Halie, Angel, Dakota, Faith, Aaliyah, John, Jase, Michelle and Nylah; sister, Jamie Alcorn; brothers, Jack, Jeff, and Glenn. Besides his father, he was predeceased by his brother, Jim. In his younger years, Gregory worked for Atlantic Oxygen in Halifax before earning his carpentry license from NSIT in Halifax. He also worked at B.F.I. in Dartmouth for a number of years before returning to carpentry. He had a strong love of music that he passed down to his three sons as he loved to play guitar, banjo and other stringed instruments when they were young. Donations in his memory may be made to St. Vincent de Paul. Cremation has taken place under the care and direction of Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow St., Truro. Expressions of sympathy may be sent to the family by visiting [www.ColchesterCommunity.com](http://www.ColchesterCommunity.com)

**PUTNAM**, Grant Wilfred, age 78 - Debert. We are deeply saddened by the passing of Grant Wilfred Putnam, age 78, on May 11, 2020. After a lengthy illness, he was fortunate to spend his final weeks at his beloved country home in Debert where he had recently celebrated 56 years of marriage with his wife, Phyllis. Having returned to renovate and retire in the house where he was born and raised by Albert and Beryl Putnam, he was most at peace in his garden, blueberry fields, or walking to the river through the forest trails. Grant was the youngest of four siblings and while he loved to work in the woods with his father he went on to attend Mount Allison and eventually settled into a successful automotive parts business in Truro with his cousin and long-time friend, Doug Simpson. In his youth, he was an accomplished sprinter winning many 100-yard dashes. Grant is survived by his wife Phyllis (Langille); children, Kirby (Leslie) and Natalie (Danny); grandchildren, Sydney, Madeleine, Ava, Corey, Maggie, Samuel, Hannah; great-grandchildren, Kiran, Avi and Eleanor; predeceased by his son, Andrew; survived by his sister Marie (Slack); predeceased by his parents Albert and Beryl; brothers Glen and Ralph; and many other cherished others. Arrangements have been entrusted to Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow St., Truro. A celebration of Grant's life will be held at a later date when restrictions ease. Please send your family condolences via email to [www.ColchesterCommunity.com](http://www.ColchesterCommunity.com). Donations may be made to the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation, Dr. Andrew Putnam Studentship in Mental Health Research, [www.drmf.ca](http://www.drmf.ca)

**WEBB**, Glenda Helen - 77, Sutherlands Lake. The death of Glenda Helen Webb occurred on Saturday evening, May 16, 2020, at The Mira Long Term Care Centre, Truro, with her loving husband, Vaughan at her side. Born in Poplar Grove, Prince Edward Island, she was a daughter of the late George and Ada (Murphy) Milligan. Until retirement, Glenda operated Glenholme Antiques with her husband, Vaughan. Glenda is survived by her husband, Vaughan Webb, Sutherlands Lake; sons, Tim MacKay (Joanne), Argyle Shore, Prince Edward Island; Brent MacKay (Karen Morton), Slave Lake, Alberta; Michael MacKay (Cindy Ryan), Portipique; step children, Sherry Teed (Gary White), Dresden, Ontario; Kevin Webb, Bible Hill; grandchildren, Andrew MacKay, Moncton, New Brunswick; Mallory Fowler (Devin Gero), Bible Hill; Brian MacKay (Cassie), Cornwall, Prince Edward Island; Stephen MacKay, Slave Lake, Alberta; Thomas MacKay, Moncton, New Brunswick; Amy MacKay (Dakota Byers), Leduc, Alberta; Christina Webb, Petrolia, Ontario; Jamie Holmes (Karen), Sarnia, Ontario; Samantha Fleck (Zak), Dresden, Ontario; Chantelle Dobson (Adrian), Westchester; Cody Webb, Dresden, Ontario; several great grandchildren, nieces and nephews; siblings, Jean Boylan, Summerside, Prince Edward Island; Rena Hawkins (Edward Mugridge), Freeand, Prince Edward Island; Carl Milligan (Pearl), Porters Lake; Elva Geldart (Wayne Drew), Debert; Jenny Simmons (Elmer), Summerside, Prince Edward Island; Goldie Coughlin (Hal), Poplar Grove, Prince Edward Island. Along with her parents, she was predeceased by her sisters, Georgina Cox (Debert), Wendy Cooling (Summerside, Prince Edward Island); brother, Kenneth Milligan (Poplar Grove, Prince Edward Island); daughters-in-law, Brenda Webb (Bible Hill), Susan MacKay (Debert); grandson, Brandon Webb (Richmond Hill, Ontario); brothers-in-law, Charles Cox (Debert); Fenton Boylan (Summerside, Prince Edward Island); Roland Hawkins (Freeand, Prince Edward Island), Howard Cooling (Summerside, Prince Edward Island), Howard Geldart (Debert). Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Due to the current restrictions of Covid-19 final arrangements will be announced at a later date. Full obituary and condolences at: [www.mattatallvarnerfh.com](http://www.mattatallvarnerfh.com)

**MILLS**, Katherine R. - Age 84, of Oxford and formerly of Advocate Harbour passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 14, 2020 at the Cumberland Regional Health Care Centre, Upper Nappan. Born in Spencer's Island, she was a daughter of the late Whitney and Neta (Robinson) MacGillivray. She is survived by daughters, Betty Grant, Nancy Mills (Bob), of Oxford; Linda Mills (Lloyd), of Halifax; grandchildren, Shannon Pettigrew (Bobbie), Cory Grant (Brenda), Katherine Williams; great-grandchildren, Ebony, Tyson, Bryson, Arya, Dakotah; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Enos in 2015; sisters, Dorothy, Jeannetta, Mary; brothers, George, Arthur, Theodore, Harold, Vernon, Ray. In keeping with Katherine's wishes, a private family committal will take place at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the Allenville Cemetery Fund. Arrangements entrusted to Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro. Online condolences at [www.smithsfuneralhome.com](http://www.smithsfuneralhome.com)

**MacNAUGHTON**, (Elliott), Karen Linda - age 77, Truro, passed away peacefully on May 18, 2020, in the Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. The family commends the staff in Palliative Care for their dedicated, sensitive support in her final days. The middle child of Charles and Marg (Bodenham) Elliott, Karen was a spirited rebel who matured into a caring nurse. She was a strong and generous woman who loved music, laughter, and kindness. Predeceased by her parents, Karen is survived by husband Gary; daughters Heather and Kathy, siblings Helene Henderson and Richard (Carol) Elliott; grandsons James (Tabitha), Scott and Jason Vandergroef. She will be missed by loving nieces and nephews, a large extended family, and more friends than she even realized she had. Even without COVID-19, she did not want a service, preferring to be remembered as she was in life. Cremation has occurred and she remains at Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow St., Truro, until such time as Gary joins her for their final rest together. Online condolences are available at: [www.ColchesterCommunity.com](http://www.ColchesterCommunity.com)

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