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Pellett, William Donald (Bill)

Peacefully at Headwaters Health Care Centre, Orangeville on Sunday, March 4, 2007, William Pellett, the wonderful, loving, caring childhood sweetheart of Eve (Evelynne Reeves). Proud father and father-in-law of Rick Pellett, Orangeville; Bonnie and Jim Charter, Georgetown; Sandy and Paul Hoodless, Toronto. Beloved Poppa of Sherrie Charter, Jen and Brian Snow, Rebecca and Rachel Pellett and great-grandfather of darling Marjorie Snow. Beloved brother and brother-in-law of Joy and George Deathe, Bolton. Childhood friend and brother-in-law of Ted and his wife Marion Reeves. Beloved brother-in-law of Connie Flood, Pat and her husband Dave Newlands. Predeceased by his parents Roy and Ida, and brother Ted. Bill was born June 30, 1931 and raised in the Village of Burnhamthorpe, attended Burnhamthorpe Public School and Western Technical School. Bill and Eve married 55 years ago and moved to Palgrave where Bill became known as Palgrave's Mr. Fix-it to everyone who asked for his assistance from his small workshop at 33 Pine Avenue. A former A.V. Roe, Cooksville Brick and Town of Caledon Public Works employee. Bill restored an award winning 1931 Model "A" Ford Tudor in the 1970's and spent his retirement years out in the workshop restoring award winning tractors (mostly John Deere) and demonstrated a Drag Saw with Ted at the Georgian Bay Steam Show for many years. When the big logs became too much for Bill to handle, he built a miniature drag saw so he could continue their demonstrations. Bill could fix anything and everything, but was unable to fix the results of a benign acoustic neuroma brain tumour, undergoing 25 radiation treatments but succumbing to water on the brain that led to an operation to implant a shunt that his body rejected leading to infection that overtook his body but not his creative brain or his wonderful sense of humour. The family will receive their friends at the Egan Funeral Home, 203 Queen Street S. (Hwy. 50), Bolton (905-857-2213) Tuesday afternoon 2-4, evening 7-9 o'clock and Wednesday, March 7 for one hour prior to the funeral service in the chapel at 2 o'clock. Followed by cremation. If desired, memorial donations may be made to the Memorial Fund of Palgrave United Church, 34 Pine Avenue, Palgrave L7E 0L9, where Bill cut the grass and removed the snow and where for many years he poured the tea and coffee at their famous Turkey Supper.



Condolences for the family may be offered at www.eganfuneralhome.com

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MILLER- The family of the late JACK G. MILLER would like to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, friends & neighbours who comforted us during Jack's courageous battle with cancer. We have gained much strength from prayers, cards, floral tributes, phone calls and donations. Heartfelt thanks go to the St. Elizabeth Nurses for their professional care, guidance from Caledon Hospice, Dr. D Wagman & Peel Memorial Hospital (Oncology) truly helped us through this stressful time. Special thanks to Paul Egan and his staff for their professional assistance. To Rikki Rumball for the beautiful musical tribute & Dr. William Webster for his comforting words. Brenda, Ron & Lara, Glen & Carla, & Grandchildren

McLEAN

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to my family, relatives, neighbors and friends for all their cards, flowers and visits during my stay in hospital. Care given by the nurses and staff at Shelburne, Orangeville and Guelph hospitals was appreciated.

Violet

ROBINSON, Murray

A sincere and heartfelt thank you to all the wonderful people for the overwhelming support throughout our very difficult journey. We have been deeply touched by the memorial contributions, floral tributes, phone calls, comforting words, food that was brought to the house and for just being there. A very special thank you to the loyal visitors who always seemed to arrive at just the right time. Thank you for the many kind gestures throughout Murray's illness. They did not go unnoticed, nor will they be forgotten. Sincere appreciation to our minister, the Rev. Peter Scott who went above and beyond the call of duty during our very difficult journey. Thank you to the ladies at St. Mark's Church for preparing the lovely lunch. A sincere thank you to the Emergency Team for their professional services after the 911 call and to our Family Doctor, Dr. Marcella Palad for coming to our home that morning after she received the news. Also thank you to the Egan Funeral Home for their assistance and understanding. Our lives are forever changed by this loss but our memories and your kind generosity will warm our hearts forever.

*In our memories
And in our hearts,
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With sincere gratitude,
Nancy,
Kevin & Sherry Robinson,
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Cougars novice reps win bronze in Barrie

The Caledon Cougars novice rep basketball team travelled to Barrie to participate in the Royals' annual tournament.

The first game saw the young Cougars take on the Marauders from Mississauga. The game started off fairly even but as the game progressed the Marauders proved that they were the stronger team and eventually went on to defeat the Cougars.

The Cougars faced the Orillia Lakers in game two and dominated from the opening whistle. The Cougars went on to win 28-6.

In game three the Cougars took on the powerful Wildcats from Hamilton. The Cougars fought hard and played an excellent second half but the experienced Hamilton team over matched our young Cougars and walked away with the win.

The Cougars' 1-2 record put them in the bronze medal game versus the host Barrie Royals.

The two teams were very evenly matched which meant the crowd was in for a real treat. The Cougars came out strong in the first quarter but the Royals matched their intensity and took an early 14-10 lead. The Royals opened up their lead in the second quarter and went into half time with an 18-10 lead. Kevin Tayles and Richard Doyle played hard and chipped in two points each.

The Cougars were down but not out. An excellent half time pep talk and an inspiring chant of "We're gonna win" motivated the Cougars. Solid rebounding and defensive plays by Luke Vesz, Alex Trkulja, Alex French, Harrison Dance, and Bruce Hynd helped to keep the Royals from scoring in the third quarter. Sulaiman Mahmood and Riley Boadway also came up with key steals and rebounds in the third quarter. Matthew D'Urzo had two steals and a free throw late in the third to cut the Royals' lead to seven.

The Cougars played their hearts out in the fourth quarter and rallied. Jordan Keane scored two consecutive baskets to narrow the gap to three points and ignite the crowd. Barrie answered with a free throw and a basket. Keane answered again with another basket, after grabbing a solid rebound Matthew O'Brien scored to cut the lead to two. The Cougars' tenacious defence led to a turnover and with less than a minute to play Andrew White hit an unbelievable shot from outside the free throw line to tie the game. More of the same Cougar defence led to another Royals turnover and with two seconds left on the clock Keane drove to the basket and scored to win the game. The Cougars crowd and bench went wild. The Cougars won 23-21 and took the bronze medal.

A special thank you goes out to head coach Ted Dance, assistant coach Alex Trkulja and manager Frank D'Urzo for their hard work and efforts.

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And your picture in a frame.*
Forever loved and remembered by
Wife Ruby, Donna, Diane, Paul & David and Families

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GREENSIDES

I would like to say thank you to all our friends and relatives who sent cards, flowers, brought food and was there with support for us at the time of Donald's death and funeral. We'll never forget you.

Gwen and Family

BROWN

The family of Keith Brown wishes to thank family, friends & neighbors for flowers, cards, food and donations. Thank you to Shelburne Lions Club for their service. Thank you to Ed Bellsmith for his support and kind words of comfort and to U.C.W. Trinity United Church for the lovely lunch. Thank you to Community Care Access Centre for their help during Keith's last days. Thank you to Doney Funeral Home for their assistance and understanding. We appreciate the overwhelming support from the community.

Shirley, Deborah, Pat, Kathy, Kelly, Mike, Gary Brown

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STRONG- The family of the late IRIS STRONG would like to express their sincere thanks to all of their friends and neighbours who supported them during Iris' illness and also at the time of her funeral. All the beautiful floral tributes and memorial donations were greatly appreciated. The Reverend Canon Gregory Symmes' comforting words and acts of kindness helped us very much. We appreciate the care and support by the staff of King Nursing Home. We were grateful for the excellent food prepared by Bruce Cunningham and Lois Webb for the reception following the funeral service. A special thank you to Paul Egan and everyone at Egan Funeral Home for their professionalism, personal attention to detail and guidance shown to our family. Everyone's thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Henry, Donna, Stephen, Denise and Edie

SPARKES

The family of the late Robert Sparkes would like to thank friends and neighbours for the support shown to us after the sudden death of Bob. We extend our sincere thanks to Headwaters Emergency Dept and the ICU for their excellent care. To Dods & McNair staff we could not have coped without your guidance, thank you.

Joyce, Linda & Russell and families.