



## REMEMBERING Hilde Kirrmaier

March 17, 1938 - January 14, 2017



### **Tribute from Mark Memorial Funeral Services Staff**

Mark Memorial Funeral Services Staff send our condolences to family and friends.

### **Tribute from Mary Louise McIntyre**

Relation: Relationship - How did you know the deceased?

My thoughts are with you, Erika, and your family in the loss of your dear mother. She was truly a treasure. take care.

### **Tribute from Bernie Kreiner**

Relation: She was my aunt

To Onkel Rudy and Erika, Ingrid and Heidi:

Connie and I (and my Dad) wish you all be best at this time as you grieve the loss of your partner and mother. Tante Hilde was a most wonderful lady, we were so blessed to be able to visit again last summer. (with Helmut) My memories of Tante Hilda are many, and you have captured her spirit so well with the day-pack hiker photograph and "wander song". Some defining memories for me was how she supported your puppet plays in the hallway in Whitecourt house during first advent get togethers, and how she was so amazingly friendly and gentle when we visited in Millwoods and since. Her love of family, nature and gardening was also apparent, something that allowed her to always have a wonderful outlook. (My bias--nature helps us with that!!) For us, Hilda was an amazing and loving person; keenly pursuing all her interests with kindness, love and creativity. Best wishes, Bernie, Connie and Helmut.

### **Tribute from Fred Kreiner**

Relation: Nephew

Visiting Hilde always meant feeling welcome and sharing a laugh. It kept me grounded when I was in Edmonton going to university. My thoughts are with Rudy, Erika, Ingrid and Heidi.

### **Tribute from Maria and Bill Constantinescu**

Relation: Relationship - How did you know the deceased?

Rudy and family

Those we love are always with us in the gifts that they have shared, their laughter, warmth and wisdom, and the special way they cared.

May those treasures help console you in a gentle lasting way, and fill your hearts with memories that bring comfort day by day.

Sending this to you in deepest sympathy for your loss and sorrow for your pain.

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**Tribute from Virginia Watson**

Relation: neighbour and friend

I admired Hilde for her love of the outdoors and her CAN DO spirit. She was an inspiration to us all and will be thought of often as we continue hiking and skiing. I know I will sing her song next time I am out.

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**Tribute from Yolande Boudreau**

Relation: Part of Hilde's Go-Girls

I have known Hilde for the past eleven years. I was blessed to get acquainted with such a wonderful woman through the Go-Girls of which she was one of the pioneers. Don joins me to wish our sincerest condolences to Rudi, Erika, Ingrid and Heidi.

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**Tribute from RoseMarie Jalbert (presently in Australia)**

Relation: Friend: Go Go Girls Hiking

Rudy and family, my heart is full of sadness at Hilde's passing. My memories of Hilde are: smiles, gentle, hiking, kindness, flowers, singing, cycling, generous, enjoying the great outdoors, always a lady.

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**Tribute from Betty & Bob McAllister**

Relation: Edmonton Neighbor and Friend

Dear Kirrmaier Family,

No words can say how sad we feel for your loss. Her children and many others including myself got to experience the nurturing side of Hilde. Your mom's hospitality was always warm and welcoming from my childhood to adult. She left us too soon, but left a legacy of a life well lived. And while she lies in peace full sleep, her memory we shall always keep.

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**Tribute from Marie Kozak**

Relation: I know her daughter Erica

Im very sad to say I did not know Hilde, but I know her daughter Erica and have always loved her and admired her, sounds to me that she is very much like her beautiful mother.....

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**Tribute from Noni Belland**

Relation: Hiker friend

I am so saddened to hear of Hilda's passing.... She was one of the first people I met when I moved here to Kimberley, and I had always admired her spirit and energy and love of the outdoors. I remember singing the backpack song with her while hiking....She will be greatly missed...May her light shine always with Love...

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**Tribute from Rudi Kreiner**

Relation: Aunt and godmother

Dear Uncle Rudy, Erika, Ingrid and Heidi: We were very saddened by Hilde`s passing away and want you to know that our thoughts are with you in these days of mourning. We cherish very much the memories of her and especially our last visit to Kimberley in the summer of 2015 where she overwhelmed us with her hospitality, as usual. The fact that she came to Canada in 1958 to assist my mother after my birth, and her then becoming my godmother, meant that she has always been a special person to me. May she rest in peace and the good memories of her live on deep in your hearts.

Rudi Kreiner with Bärbel, Lukas, Anna and Jonas

