



### *Prayers for a Peaceful End*

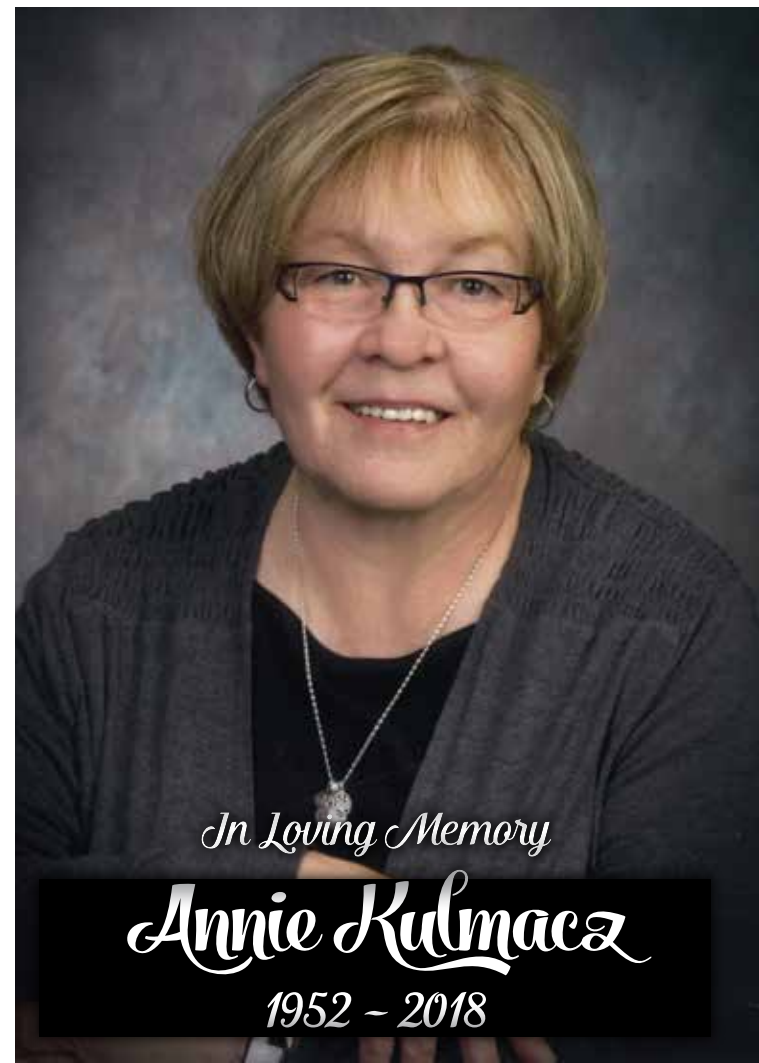
*O Lord, even through the pain and discomfort Your servant has endured during this illness, allow her to depart in peace according to Your word. Let her eyes see glimpses of Your salvation and prepare her for this great separation of body and soul, that this trial may bring light and revelation to Your people. May Annie know your peace now and forever.*

*Amen*



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*In Loving Memory*

**Annie Kulmacz**

**1952 - 2018**

Annie Kulmacz fell asleep peacefully in the hands of the Lord surrounded by her loving family on Monday, February 26, 2018 at the age of 65. She was born on October 10, 1952 in St. Walburg Saskatchewan to Nick and Maria Rewienko. Annie was the oldest of three siblings. Annie graduated from the Calgary General Hospital School of Nursing in 1973. She loved being an emergency nurse because her patients were in and out; they did not have time to question or complain. Through love letters sent to Poland and back to Calgary, Annie met the love of her life. She married Walter Kulmacz in 1974. They had two children, Christopher born in 1976 and Kathy born in 1981. Her children were her pride and joy. Annie's greatest pleasure was quilting. She was always working on a new quilt, a hand sewing project or trying a new embroidery technique. She enjoyed attending her sewing classes and retreats. Annie had a love for reading. She spent many volunteer hours to create a Christian resource library at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church. She always dreamed of owning a book store. She was generous to the core of her being. She always had time to mend an article of clothing, create a new quilt, drive someone to their destination or help in any way possible just to get the job done. Annie never liked to procrastinate and was always early for every event. She always said what she meant and meant what she said. A friend or family could always depend on Annie.

Annie's greatest joy was her precious grandchild. Maria and her "Baba-voosik" loved to sing the "Wheels on the Bus" song and look for squirrels out the window. Annie will be lovingly remembered by her daughter and son-in-law, Kathy and Andrew Sushko and granddaughter Maria; sister Sophie Magon and niece Monica Magon (Justin Degagne). She will also be remembered by her dear family friend Lori Chomik and her extended church family and quilting friends. Annie was predeceased by her mother, Maria Rewienko, brother John Rewienko, sister Helen Barry and also by her husband Walter and son Christopher. A special thank you is given to Annie's health care providers at the South Health Campus (Unit 66 and ICU) and Rockyview General Hospital (Unit 57 and Unit 93). The staff quickly fell in love with her quick sassy comments and warm kind heart. Thank you to her thoughtful friends and family, who came to visit her in the hospital.

May Her Memory be Eternal!

*"Sometimes you will never know the value of a moment, until it becomes a memory."*

*Dr. Seuss*

### **Prayers**

St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church  
Thursday, March 1, 2018 at 7:30 pm

### **Funeral Service**

St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church  
Friday, March 2, 2018 at 10:00 am

### **Officiating**

The Rt. Rev. Father Taras Krochak  
The Rev. Father Timothy Chrapko

**Cross Bearer:** Lori Chomik

**Epistle Reader:** Markian Amiot

**Cantor:** Dobr. Bohdanna Krochak

### **Honour Guard**

Members of the Ukrainian Women's  
Association of Canada

### **Pallbearers**

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| Justin Degagne | Jerry Shuya   |
| Andrew Sushko  | Wayne Sushko  |
| Greg Syrnick   | Tomas Yaremko |

**Graveside Service:** Queen's Park Cemetery

### **Reception**

Immediately following the Graveside Service, everyone is invited to meet with the family in St. Vladimir's Cultural Centre.