Wake Services

Saturday, May 20, 2023—Sunday May 21, 2023 Moose Lake Community Hall, Moose Lake, Manitoba

Funeral Service

Monday, May 22, 2023 Viewing—11:00 am Funeral—1:00 pm Moose Lake Community Hall, Moose Lake, Manitoba Presider: Pastor Allard Nasekapow

Interment

St. Dominic's Cemetery, Moose Lake, Manitoba

Pallbearers

Shawn Easter, Brian Azure, Chance Mercredi,
Felix Mercredi, Dawson Munro, Ken (old man) Campbell,
Steven Easter, Albert (Cheech) Genaille, Charlie Nasikapow,
Carl Easter, Darren Nasikapow, Cory Nasikapow,
Joey Sinclair, Derrick Grey, Eugene Grey, Foster Grey,
Warren Easter, Tommy Easter, Kelly Mercredi,
Walter Mercredi, Brian Cook Jr., Kingsley Mercredi,
Zane Mercredi, Darcy Mercredi, Dennis Buck,
Cameron Buck, John Cooper, Len Cooper,
Charlie Cooper, Sonny Demery, Robert McNabb Sr.,
Charlie Fossenueve, Jerry Ron Campbell.

Honorary Guards

All of Marilyn's nieces, granddaughters and sisters.
Sharona Lambert, Precious Mercredi, Alicia Campbell,
Demi Mercredi, Angel Sanderson, Rihanna Sanderson,
Marilyn Mercredi, Shayla Bittern, Shanaya Bittern,
Theresa Bittern, Monica Oigg, John James Easter,
Donald Easter, Ann Nasekapow, Verna Grey, Helen Easter.
If we missed anyone, we apologize as it is not intentional.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Canadian Lung Association or to the Heart and Stroke Foundation, would be appreciated by Marilyn's family.

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In Loving Memory of

Marilyn (nee Easter) Mercredi

September 14, 1955 – May 13, 2023

With heavy hearts we are saddened to announce the loss of our loved one, Marilyn. She passed away with family by her side at St. Anthony's Hospital, The Pas, Manitoba, on Saturday, May 13, 2023. She was 67 years old.

Marilyn was born Wednesday, September 14, 1955, in The Pas, Manitoba to Ellen and John Easter.

Marilyn and Johnny united into marriage on December 28, 1973. They shared 46 beautiful years together.

Marilyn was a stay at home mom when her boys were small, but joined the workforce when they were big enough and in school full time. She started working for Moose Lake School as a custodian and remained in that job for 27 years. She knew all the kids at the school and they knew her too. Recently, she was on the Education Board as a member and was looking forward to attending graduations. Marilyn also worked casual for the Moose Lake Nursing Station.

Marilyn enjoyed surrounding herself with people and welcomed everyone in her home offering them what was on her table and made sure she always had coffee on for her visitors. She loved going to birthday parties, showers or wherever she was invited. She supported her daughter Lacey and daughters-in-law when hosting events or doing something and was proud to have them in their lives, she would call them "Nistim" and never called them by their names. She took extra measures in supporting her boys towards jobs, school and anything her boys wanted to try. She was extremely proud of their accomplishments.

Marilyn was a very caring, loving and humble woman, she connected instantly with the young people and children. She would often

tease them as a form of an ice breaker. They warmed up to her instantly especially babies. She also helped in taking care of her nieces and nephews and always had her door open for family if someone needed a place to stay or was hungry. She often cooked wild meat, ie. Duck, goose, moose meat and bannock, when food was done she made her calls for everyone to come over. She also made sure her boys and grandkids had their birthday cakes on their special days. She raised her grandsons from birth, Brendan, Brian and Chance.

Marilyn was heartbroken and missed her husband dearly after he passed and she always talked and mentioned him of the things they did together and the mishaps they had on their adventures. They traveled a lot and liked playing slots, mainly because this is where they visited family and friends. She also became new to the cyber world by connecting to her Iphone and learned to facetime and message who was online. She loved passing her time playing games on her phone.

She often spoke of her brother-in-law Marcel Mercredi and was happy that he was there for her and knew that she can depend on him. Connecting with her sisters-in-law gave her strength and looked forward to have them come visit her, having sleep overs and talking on the phone with them made her happy and looking forward to the calls. She also spoke with her brother and sisters on the phone daily.

Even though she was battling an illness, it did not stop her from doing her daily routines and taking care of her grandchildren.

She will be missed but never forgotten and will remain in our hearts. So blessed to have known this woman.

Marilyn leaves behind, her sons Floyd (Salina), Johnny Jr (Miranda), Clinton, Clayton; Brendan Mercredi (Rebecca), Warren Easter, Brian Azure, Chance Mercredi; daughter Lacey (Shayne) Easter; brothers-in-law Marcel (Lois) Mercredi, Ovide Mercredi; sisters-in-law Louisa Easter, Pearl (Ross) Thomas, Mabel (Brian) Cook, Catherine Mercredi, Marie Mercredi, Nicole Mercredi; brothers John James Easter, Donald Easter; sisters Ann (Charlie) Nasikapow, Verna Grey, Helen Easter; aunties Mabel Cooper, Nellie Easter, Vivian Easter, Nora Easter, Louise (Harold) McKay; Godchild Debbie Grey, Shontelle Easter; grandchildren and great grandchildren and numerous cousins and relatives; too many to mention.

Marilyn was predeceased by her husband John Mercredi Sr.; son Riel Mercredi; parents John and Doreen Easter; brother Lloyd Easter; sisters Florence Patchenose, Caroline Easter, Ida Campbell; grandparents Donald and Jane Mary Easter; father and mother-in-law Charles and Camelia Mercredi; brothers-in-law William Patchinose, Alex Ducharme, Zaccheus Grey, Arthur Campbell, Walter Mercredi, Jim Brass Mercredi; sisters-in-law Jeannie Easter, Evelyn Munro; nieces Donalda Thomas, Bobbie Easter, Alaina Cook; nephews Albert Genaille, Anthony Easter, Christopher Fossenueve; grandson Lloyd Genaille; uncles William (Nora) Easter, Axel Easter, Wilson Easter, Riley Easter, Larry (Jemimah) Easter, Baptiste (Cecelia) Buck, Hubert Buck, Walter Buck, Felix (Esther) Mercredi.