

## WAKE SERVICE

Friday, May 26, 2023 7:00 pm  
Margaret Henderson Parish Hall,  
Opaskwayak, Manitoba

## FUNERAL SERVICE

Saturday, May 27, 2023 1:00 pm  
Church of the Redeemer,  
Opaskwayak, Manitoba

Presiders: Deacon Allen Bignell Jr., Gertie Young  
Music Ministry: Russell Cook Memorial Singers

### Order of Service

Greetings and Welcome

Opening Sentence—589

**Hymn: “God Has Taken An Angel Home”**

Gathering of the Community—591

The Collect—577

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading: John 4:7-12

Psalm: 100

The Gospel: Matthew 8:23-27

Prayers of the People—593

The Lord’s Prayer—594

**Hymn: “Till We Meet Again” Cree**

Cremation to Follow

## PALLBEARERS

Henry Christie, Henry “Sonny Boy” Christie,  
Mikey Lathlin, Michael Jebb Jr.,  
Eugene Cook, William Constant.



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*In Loving Memory of  
Marjorie Jane Christie  
October 19, 1963—May 11, 2023*



Marjorie Jane Christie was born on Saturday, October 19, 1959, in The Pas, Manitoba. She grew up in St. Petersburg, Florida, alongside her baby sister Maryann.

When she became of age, she made her way back to Manitoba in search of her biological family. Marj found her older brother Henry and finally met her father and brother Gene.

She lived with family members, cousins and aunts while she stayed in The Pas.

Marj loved hearing stories about Root Lake and stories about all her family members. She liked telling jokes and making people laugh. Everyone had very special memories and stories to share with her during this time. She moved to Winnipeg and resided there for many years, due to chronic health complications and diabetes.

She leaves behind her siblings: Henry (Sylvia) Christie (Opaskwayak), Gene Christie, Maryann Montgomery (Largo, Florida); nieces and nephews Michelle, Emily, Kimberly, Henry "Sonny Boy", Justin Green, Fred Green, Leslie "Bunky", Mikey.

Marj was predeceased by her father Gerald Blair Christie and mother Emily Christie (nee Cook), and many Aunts and Uncles.

Special thanks to all of Marj's friends that she made during her life journey which ended on Thursday, May 11, 2023, at the Health Sciences Centre, Winnipeg, Manitoba, at the age of 59 years.

### When I Die

When I'm finally laid to rest;  
Please don't put me in a wooden casket;  
Or leave flowers at my grave,  
in a pretty little basket.  
Don't pump me full of chemicals  
and put me on display.  
Just bury me beneath the earth,  
and plant a seed upon my grave.  
And as my body rots below, my atoms,  
re-assimilated;  
In my place a tree will grow,  
From the place that I originated, precious minerals,  
Returned to earth, little molecules of me  
The fuel for yet another life ...  
As I become a Tree.

- Jimmy Osborne