



## Annette Waller

January 19, 1951 - November 16, 2018

WALLER: Annette Theresa Hilda Waller (née de Montigny) passed away on Friday, November 16, 2018 unexpectedly at the age of 67 years. Nan was born on January 19, 1951 in St. Boniface, MB to Henry and Iris de Montigny. Nan was the third child of six. The de Montigny family lived at 555 Cote Street in St. Boniface, MB during Nan's childhood years and the family moved to St. Anne in 1969. Nan was an extraordinary softball player. Nan's love for the Waller farm was so great that she chose to move to Lenore, MB. It was there that she lived the majority of her life with her soul mate and best friend Bud Waller. They were married on December 9, 1978. Nan and her dog Gypsy moved to Rivers, MB in 2015 where she made many new friends and connected with old friends through dog walking, fishing, camping and visiting. Over the years, Nan was a selfless caregiver in her home caring for her mother-in-law, husband, father and mother. In addition, Nan cared for countless friends in need. Nan was also an active Lenore community member, she was a longstanding member of the Lenore Cemetery Board and supported charities whenever asked. Nan passionately enjoyed fishing, camping, animals, farming, hunting, photography, woodworking, watching wildlife, baking for others, and feeding birds. Nan was preceded in death by her husband Gregory (Bud) Waller, her parents Iris and Henry de Montigny and siblings Yvonne Knight, Marcel de Montigny and Eugene de Montigny. Nan is survived by her sister Aline (Brian Johnston) de Montigny, brother Henry (Caitlin) de Montigny; numerous nieces and nephews, her stepchildren Patrick (Beverly) and Janice Waller, six grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. Nan is also survived by numerous cousins and friends she considered family. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Central United Church "Christmas Cheer Fund", 327 8th St., Brandon, MB, R7A 3X5 or the Brandon Humane Society, 2200-17th Street East, Brandon, MB, R7A 7M6. A Celebration of Nan's Life will be held at Central United Church, 327 8th Street, Brandon, MB on Monday, November 26, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

# Events

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**NOV** **Celebration of Life** 01:00PM

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Central United Church

327-8th Street, Brandon, MB, CA

# Comments

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“ To all of Nan's family my deepest condolences. I met Nan through my Mom who met Nan and Bud through her job at the Brandon Clinic. Through being patients at Mom's station they became friends. We visited them at the farm and also when they would come to Brandon. I hadn't seen Nan for a long time. My Mom passed away suddenly 3 years ago. Not long after that I was in the checkout line at Wal Mart. I felt someone looking at me behind me in line. I didn't turn around. Once I was done paying for my items I turned around and low and behold it was Nan with her sister. She had moved to Rivers but she didn't know my Mom had passed away..... I could tell it saddened her as my Mom was only 67 when she passed. Nan was one of a kind. She was a good person with an amazing heart. She was another one taken from this earth too soon.

**Suzanne Draper-Spring** - December 01, 2018 at 08:54 AM



“ Thank you for this comment about Nan. She was amazing, sounds similar to your mom. We are blessed to have had them in our lives.

**Kara** - January 02 at 11:59 PM

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“ To Annette's Family  
I was so very sorry to hear of Annette sudden passing, she was a loving, kind, giving person! I was a neighbor to Annette in Rivers. I enjoyed meeting and visiting her and Gypsy on my walk with my dog Hector. We will miss them dearly  
Deepest sympathy to you all  
Margie Higginson

**margaret higginson** - November 26, 2018 at 09:08 PM



“ Thank you! She loved Rivers and all of her friends she met with Gypsy, she credited Gypsy with meeting all of you. She was a good woman!

**Kara** - January 03 at 12:00 AM

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“ Pat, Bev & family and the rest of Annette's family:  
My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to all of you. Annette was one of the best. Annette enjoyed her family and friends. I always felt welcome and we had many a good time on the farm. You will be missed my friend.  
Love Gail Mastin.

**Gail Mastin** - November 26, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ She sure will be missed. Thank you for remembering her.

**Kara** - January 03 at 12:01 AM

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“ Pat, Bev, Janice, Aline and families: So sorry for your loss. Annette loved each one of you, especially the grand children and great grand children. She will be missed by so many but may wonderful memories help fill the void in your lives.

- Marcel and Maxine Chacun

**Marcel and Maxine Chacun** - November 26, 2018 at 09:09 AM

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Annette Waller.



November 25, 2018 at 09:57 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear of Annette's passing! Such a caring lady with a heart of gold! We always enjoyed our visits with her. Cherish all the wonderful memories!

**Clayton Carol Anne Wood** - November 25, 2018 at 07:49 PM

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“ Such a loving, kind, giving person whose amazing smile could warm any heart! Sadly missed by family and friends and never forgotten.

With love from the Guilbault de Montigny family

**Louise** - November 25, 2018 at 03:53 PM

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“ To the deMontigny and Waller families - I was so very sorry to read of Annette's sudden passing. I have so many fond memories of Nan going back decades to the years spent as next-door neighbours on Cote Street growing up (with Aline and Henry especially), then at the farm in Ste. Anne and even my one very long (for me) trip to Virden. I have such good memories and remember all the laughs we shared. Nan was a very special lady who will be deeply missed. You all have my deepest sympathy.

Fondly, Jan Fontaine

Jan Fontaine - November 24, 2018 at 05:10 PM

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“ It had been awhile since we had seen you Annette, but we will always remember the good old days of living in the Errol, Lenore area. You and the rest of the Waller family were great neighbours.  
Condolences to the Waller family—Annette was a great lady!

Raymond Wood

Raymond Wood - November 23, 2018 at 12:59 PM

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“ Condolences to the Waller families. Annette was a lovely person who will be greatly missed by her family and friends. Sincere sympathy from Pat and Stan Rampton

Pat and Stan Rampton - November 22, 2018 at 05:10 PM

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“ To Aline and Brian - we didn't know your sister but from all the kind words I have read, she must have been one great lady. She is now free from the terrible pain she was in and now will be able to watch over her family and do all her good work from above at a much higher level. Please accept our sincere condolences - Sharon and Mark.

Sharon Brading1217 - November 22, 2018 at 11:19 AM

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“ Condolences to the Waller and de Montigny families on Annette's passing. We will particularly remember her wonderful photography as well as the times we shared some good laughs. So sad and far too soon. Our thoughts are with you.

Fluff and Brenda Hill - November 21, 2018 at 05:39 PM

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“ Our Deepest Sympathy to all of you. So many fond memories and good times.  
Melanie and Torrie.

Melanie - November 21, 2018 at 04:48 PM

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“ My very deepest sympathies are extended to the de Montigny and Waller families and friends. There are so many memories to share of laughter, caring and comfort, listening, generosity and teachings, along with baking, eating meals together, walking the block with Annette and Gypsy and so many more. Our dear, kind hearted, our mentor Annette, we will miss you every day. We loved you very much. We are so fortunate to of had you in our lives and to have met and able to carry on the friendships with your families, such beautiful and caring families.

All our love Donna, Tony, Adam and Matt

**Donna Gabrielle** - November 21, 2018 at 02:04 PM



“ We are very saddened to hear of Annette's passing away. We had many delicious dinners at her house and enjoyed ourselves immensely. She was a very gracious lady who loved everyone. We are very blessed to have had her as a friend. We miss her very much. Our deepest sympathy to Annette's family. Gloria and Neil

**Gloria Halm** - November 21, 2018 at 04:03 PM



“ Aline and Brian, our sincere condolences. Bob and Jackie

**Jackie Johnston** - November 21, 2018 at 12:17 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



**Arlene Anderson** - November 21, 2018 at 08:47 AM



“ So sorry to read of Annette's passing. I know she was a great caregiver. That smile will be missed. Our condolences to the family.  
Ralph and Heather Sheane

**Heather Sheane** - November 21, 2018 at 08:32 AM



“ Bless you.

May you Rest in Peace my Dear Cousin. I hold dearly in my heart all your family from Cote & all the good memories from Lenore/Virdon. My sincerest condolences to all your family. Ray

**Raymond de Montigny** - November 21, 2018 at 07:23 AM

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“ It is very hard to say good bye to someone I have loved so very much. We had many, many fun times together. I bussed my way out to Virden several years in a row, never knowing what fun was awaiting me. Annette was always at the bus depot to pick me up (bag and baggage) and bringing her precious dog with her. One year it was to be there to watch all of the humming birds coming back to their summer home. Another year it was to be there to watch the calves being born and another time I even went ski-dooing with Pat while the others sat back and watched. We tipped over once but came back laughing so that was great. Annette was always number one in my books. She was so thoughtful and understanding and so much fun to be with. I'm really going to miss all of the fun times we had but I know you were getting tired and God said it was time for you to come home and rest. You will always be remembered . Peace be with you always.

With love, Ida.

**Ida Aquin** - November 20, 2018 at 10:06 PM

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“ Our sincere sympathy to the Waller and deMontigny families, Annette always had a smile and friendly greeting whenever we saw her.

**Bill & Linda Drake** - November 20, 2018 at 07:42 PM

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“ To Annette's family - our sincere sympathy to all.  
Murray & Carole Sangster

**Murray & Carole Sangster** - November 20, 2018 at 06:13 PM

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“ It is so very hard to share a memory of time spent with Annette as I will cherish all my memories. What I know and love the most about Annette is she had the biggest heart. I have never met such a special lady like her. Annette welcomed everyone into her home, dogs, cats, people and treated everyone like royalty. Going to the farm was so special, long conversations around the kitchen table, so many laughs a FEW

drinks, special occasions.

You will be missed so very much.....Love Bev

**Bev de Montigny** - November 20, 2018 at 05:36 PM