

**OLLINIK** - It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden passing of Patricia May Ollinik on Sunday January 9, 2022 at the Yorkton & District Nursing Home at the age of 78 years. Patricia was born on August 15, 1943 in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan. In 1950, she lost her parents and moved in with uncle & aunt, John and Ester McIntosh. John was her dad's brother. They took her in and raised her as another daughter in their family. When Patricia met Ray, she was working as a secretary. After they were married, she became a homemaker. She was always there for her children; she was a great cook, gardener, and seamstress. She was supportive of her girls, always encouraging and proud of what they did. Patricia loved walks, picking berries in the bush, travelling, shopping and celebrating all the holidays. Patricia was a kind, caring, individual who loved adventures, like taking trips into the states and she was happy and did the best that she could with whatever she had. She was

always there for her family; they were always number one for her. Patricia was truly a bright and shining light in the lives of her children. After all her children had left home and had children on their own, Patricia helped Ray with his business of remanufacturing toner and ink jet cartridges. She helped with this until they retired. Then they moved to Russell, Manitoba where Patricia enjoyed gardening and taking care of Ray until he passed. After Ray was gone, she lived with May and her family. She stayed with them until her mobility and the necessity for 24/7 care was evident. Throughout everything that has happened and everything that she endured she always had a smiling face and a good word to say. She was always positive and had a good sense of humor. Her sister-in-law, Irene would say that Pat would have said, "It could have been worse." Patricia's family would like to thank all the staff at the nursing homes that she had stayed with throughout the years. They are the Rosetown & District Care Home and the Yorkton & District Nursing Home. Patricia is predeceased by her beloved husband of 43 years, Raymond in 2010; her parents, Marshall and Doris (nee White) McIntosh; and her stepparents, John and Ester McIntosh. Patricia will be forever remembered by her daughters, May (Gordon), Barb (Rob), and Lana (Kim); her grandchildren, Gordon, Brennan, Matthew, and Jill; her step-brother, James; and step-sister, Linda and their families. Memorial donations in memory of the Late Patricia Ollinik may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation #1379 Kenaston Boulevard Winnipeg, Manitoba R3P 2T5 www.heartandstroke.ca 1-888-473-4636 or the Alzheimer Society of Canada #301 - 2550 12th Avenue Regina, Saskatchewan S4P 3X1 1-800-263-3367 www.alzheimer.ca/sk. Cremation has taken place and there will be no public funeral service as the family will get together for a private service at a later date. Kopan's Funeral Service is honoured to have been entrusted with cremation arrangements.