



## Margaret Elizabeth Watt

July 17, 1924 - May 26, 2014

WATT, Margaret Elizabeth  
July 17, 1924 – May 26, 2014

Margaret Watt (nee Tait) of Calgary passed away on May 26, 2014 in her 90th year.

Born in Brandon Manitoba to John and Martha Tait, she was predeceased by her husband Reverend George Watt and her brothers, Jack, George and Robert Tait. Margaret and George were married in Brandon, Manitoba on June 29, 1945 and then lived in Toronto, Shellbrook, Dungannon, Oakville, Jasper and Edmonton.

Margaret is survived by her children: Wenda, Don (Cindi), Valerie, Virginia (Neal), Heather (Frimen) and Melanie (Kevin) and by her grandchildren: David (Jen), Erin (Matt), Sonia (Seamus), Andrew, Sarah, Tait, Graeme and Colin and her great-grandchildren: Else, Sebastien, William and Oliver.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on May 30, 2014 at 1:30 p.m. in Millwoods United Church, Edmonton.

Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Rev. George and Margaret Watt Bursary [alumni.utoronto.ca/watt](http://alumni.utoronto.ca/watt) or to a charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Pleasant Cemetery

5420-106 Street  
Edmonton, AK

# Tribute Wall

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“ *To the extended Watt Family;  
Please accept our family's sincere & deep condolences on the loss of a wonderful woman. The entire Watt family was a huge part of the fabric of our family's life in Oakville especially in the life & work of St. Paul's. My late parents, Anne & Bill Jackson, worked closely with both Mr. & Mrs. Watt, living out their lives of dedication & compassion to others.*

*To Wenda, Don, Valerie, Virginia, Heather & Melanie - you were fortunate to have been well-loved by Margaret Watt. I hope that your many memories bring you comfort & peace in the loss of your Mom.*

*Blessings to all,  
Betty Jackson Clost  
Ted Jackson*

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**Betty Clost** - June 03, 2014 at 06:56 PM

RM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Watt family on the death of Margaret.

*The Rev. George and Margaret Watt Bursary has a special meaning to us as it was Joe Hockin and Roy McEwen who established the Bursary on behalf of St. Paul's United Church members so many years ago.*

*Joan & I have kept in touch with Margaret over the years at Christmas time. We will miss her wonderful messages.*

*Blessings to the Watt family.*

*Sincerely,*

*Joan & Roy McEwen*

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**Roy & Joan McEwen** - May 31, 2014 at 02:39 PM

DA

“ To the extended Watt family,

*Please, accept my condolences on the passing of the lovely woman whom, throughout my time at St. Paul's, I knew as "Mrs. Watt." Both, she and "Rev. Watt," were greatly admired and respected by church members of all ages. Whether meeting members of the congregation, especially children, after services in the W.H. Morden gym, in what is now named Watt Hall or in St. Paul's sanctuary, both Reverend and Mrs. Watt did so with a warm radiant smile.*

*It remains a great honour to have had them attend our wedding at St. John's U.C., Oakville and reception in 1972.*

*Dave and Liz Arnold*

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**Dave and Liz Arnold** - May 31, 2014 at 09:58 AM

RR

“ We send sincere sympathy to all the family and friends of your mother.

*She touched so many hearts with her spirit of love and caring  
She was a special gift from God to all.*

*I remember especially the farewell party at St. Paul's. it was sad to see them go, but such a treasure to have known them both.*

*As long as they are in our hearts, they are never really gone.*

*Our prayers are for your comfort and for her peace.*

*Blessings, love & hugs to all from Harold and Reeta Ryerse*

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**Reeta Ryerse** - May 31, 2014 at 09:32 AM

FB

“ *To all members of the Watt Family...*

*It is with great sadness that I extend my deepest sympathy to each of you on the passing of your loving mother. Margaret was a very special person who helped so many people in so many ways. She was a pillar of strength for her family and her church.*

*I have many wonderful memories of good times past at St. Paul's United in Oakville with the Watt Family and I will always remember Margaret, George and each of their children, some of whom I had the pleasure of having in Sunday School and Young People's. I shall miss Margaret's annual Christmas card with all the news of her family and her activities.*

*Margaret will be sadly missed but never forgotten. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.*

*God Bless,*

*Fred Bostock and family*

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**Fred Bostock** - May 30, 2014 at 07:28 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to all members of the family. I have fond memories of Margaret (and George) at St. Paul's. She was a rock in our community.*

*Wonderful memories will keep her spirit alive.*

*Stephen Arcand & Family*

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**Stephen Arcand** - May 30, 2014 at 03:15 PM

DS

“ Dear Family of Marg Watt,

*Our heartfelt condolences go out to each one.*

*Marg did indeed create a full life for her family. What a beautiful person. Of course, it's hard to think of your dear mom without thoughts of your dear dad too. They were a wonderful couple serving their Lord together. We are blessed for having them at St Pauls for so many years.*

*Our sympathy with love,*

*John & Donna Starkey (June, Ian and Kirk)*

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**Donna & John Starkey** - May 30, 2014 at 01:36 PM

LH

“ To members of the Watt family

*Please accept my sympathy on the death of your Mother. May all the good times you shared with her bring you comfort and strength as you mourn her loss.*

*I have many good memories of Marg's time here in Oakville and I will remeber her as one who loved her family and gave of herself in all the capacities in which she served.*

*God bless  
Laura Harper*

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**Laura Harper** - May 30, 2014 at 01:24 PM

JB

“ It is with sadness and sincere condolences that we learn of the death of Margaret Watt; while she and George lived in Oakville, she was much loved and respected by the congregation of St. Paul's United Church. After their departure from Oakville, George and Margaret kept in touch with friends here, at Christmas time and other special occasions; they also had several visits here, opportunities for us to welcome them anew and to wish them well. Both Margaret and George are part of the strong fabric of a church that they were instrumental in leading over many years; the present congregation reflects their concern and guidance and they are missed.

Sincerely,

Janet and François Bollinger

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Janet Bollinger - May 30, 2014 at 11:35 AM

MW

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Melanie Watt - May 29, 2014 at 06:31 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Margaret Elizabeth Watt.



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May 29, 2014 at 03:23 PM