



Jessie J. Maxfield

January 10, 1927 - October 1, 2018

Jessie Maxfield (nee Reid), passed away on October 1, 2018. Jessie was born to Thomas and Elizabeth Reid on January 10, 1927 in Hamilton, Scotland. Jessie was a Lance Corporal in the British Army during World War II. In 1951, Jessie married the love of her life, Vincent Maxfield. The two traveled extensively during their lives. In 1954, they emigrated to Canada. A few years later, they returned to England for about a decade. In 1968, the two made their way to the United States, where they enjoyed the rest of their lives together. Jessie enjoyed many things, including playing darts, playing trivia, and getting together with her Red Hat groups. She also enjoyed reading, watching Westerns and Coronation Street.

Jessie is the cherished wife of 57 years of the late Vincent; the loving mother of Lee (Gerald) Williams; the beloved grandmother of Kate (Kurt) Daly; and the dear sister of the late Maisie (the late Frank) Grieves, Tom (the late Joan) Reid, the late Henry Reid, Betty (the late Terry) Lilley, Cathy (Brian) Lee, the late Ian (the late Joan) Reid, Richard (Lil) Reid, and the late Hamish Reid. Jessie's family will receive friends on Monday, October 8, 2018 at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. (3 blocks East of Van Dyke), Utica, from 2:00 p.m. until the time of her Celebration of Life Service at 7:00 p.m. Memorials are appreciated to Hospice of Michigan. Please share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

OCT 8. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall

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“*Jessie and I were co-workers for many years, she was always willing to share her Kit Kat or her tea. My most vivid memory is that her husband Vin would buy her a box of candy every single week without fail, too sweet. RIP sweet “Jessica Dragonette”, you will be missed.*

Deepest Sympathies, Nicki Nilan

Nicki Nilan - October 02, 2018 at 09:14 AM

LW

*Hi Nicki,
Thank you for your kind words about Mum. We toasted her yesterday, with chocolate covered cherries, one of her favorites!*

Lee Williams - October 02, 2018 at 09:05 AM

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“*Lee Williams lit a candle in memory of Jessie J. Maxfield*



Lee Williams - October 02, 2018 at 09:06 AM

LW

Hey Mum, I thought this would be safer than lighting it near your oxygen source, wink wink

Lee Williams - October 02, 2018 at 09:08 AM

LW

“ Dearest Mum,
I miss you so much already, but know that after all your years of suffering you are FREE. Free to dance with Daddy, free to eat anything you want, free to be with all of your sisters, brothers, Mum and Dad, Grannies and Grandpas that have gone before. What a reunion in Heaven! You are the strongest, bravest woman I know, Mum. I am so glad you decided to live with us for all these years. I would take care of you all over again in a heartbeat. You are my hero...and I will love you forever.

All my love, your daughter Lee

Lee Williams - October 02, 2018 at 09:02 AM

BV

Dear Lee a d Gerry:
Words cannot express how saddened we are on the passing g of Lee's mum. We know what a special woman. She was to have such a grateful daughter and son in law. We know she has eternal rest with all the saints in heaven. Where there is no pain. Or sorrow, just life e everlasting. You z d Gerry may have peace in your hearts to know that everything you did was for the love that you have for our Saviour and the love fro your mum. Stand tall saint for your job does not go unnoticed. Not just by your friends but by the one that counts the most. Our live and prayers to the family.
Your new friends, through a good friend,
Barb a d Paul Veselenak

Barbara and Paul Veselenak - October 02, 2018 at 01:27 PM