

**MOORE**

November 27, 1939 - September 5, 2007

If tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're apart. For every time you think of me, I'm there in your heart.

It is with very heavy hearts that we tell you about the passing of our Mother, Grandmother and friend Doreen. She gave us all the stepping stones in life to become the people we are today and through it all she was proud of us all in each and every way. Her family meant the world to her, and she meant the world to her family. She will be missed forever. Until we meet again your loving family. CHILDREN: Julie (Julien) Aubin, Delia (Dean) McNally, Sandra (Jack) Noveroske, Marilyn (Paul) Vickers, and Dean Jr. GRANDCHILDREN: Stephen (deceased), Jesse, Chad (Chrissy), Alex, Kadee, Derek, and Kyle (deceased). GREAT GRANDCHILDREN: Alycia, Kylee, Mya, and Preston. A Farewell to Doreen's life on Earth was held at Fosters Garden Chapel in Calgary, September 6, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. with Paul Vickers officiating.

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**MUELLER**

Anna was born on October 4, 1926 in Gersau Switzerland and passed away on September 27, 2007 at her Eagle Hill home surrounded by her loving family. Anna was predeceased by her husband Karl in 1978. With 69 years Anna decided to move to Canada to live with her only daughter Christa and family. Christa and Peter Reinhard enjoyed Anna's loving care for many years while raising their children Jason (16), Kevin (14) and Randy (13). Anna will be missed by her friends, her two older sisters and numerous relatives in Switzerland. Most of all the family here will miss her warmth, love and presence as they will have to say a last farewell. The funeral service will be held on Thursday October 4, 2007 at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church at 2:00 p.m.

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**BELL**

Eldon Bell, husband, father, grandfather and friend to many passed away suddenly and unexpectedly on Sunday, September 30, 2007 at the age of 57 years. He was born April 5, 1950 in Nipawin, Saskatchewan. Eldon was a good man and will be missed by all those who meant so much to him. He was predeceased by his son Joshua in 2000, sister Shirley Kimmie in 1977, father Charlie in 1988 and mother Mary in 2002. Eldon is survived by his loving wife Cheryl; son Christopher; granddaughters Wendy and Jessica all of Sundre; brothers Bob (Gloria) of Prince Albert, SK, Larry (Pat) of Saskatoon, SK, Wayne (Lorraine) of Maidstone, SK, Ron (Dorothy) of Nipawin, SK, Murray (Penny) of Langham, SK; sisters Martha Geall of Nipawin, Sharon (Keith) Gray of Tisdale as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins. Memorial services were held on Friday, October 5, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at Sundre United Church with Reverend Frank Johnson officiating. Memorial donations may be made directly to the Alberta Heart & Stroke Foundation. As a tribute to Eldon Bell, a tree will be planted in the Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds. Heartland Funeral Services Ltd, Sundre, entrusted with arrangements. 403-638-4393.

## **OLSON**

It is with great sadness that we announce the peaceful passing of our wife, mother, sister and friend, Catherine Ogwen Olson (nee Stalker, Jones). Cathy grew up loving the farm life in Sundre. She won many trophies and awards showing sheep through the 4-H Club. Her love of horses continued to grow as she enjoyed many riding adventures with friends. Cathy married her first husband, Dave Stalker in 1977 at Sundre and began her studies in nursing. In 1979, Cathy stopped her studies and began to raise her three children, Shannon, Thomas and Robert. Cathy worked as a LPN providing personal and medical care to ladies with disabilities as well as in several hospitals. In 1992, Cathy met and married her soul mate, Darcy. Together they moved out to Sundre to raise their family and begin to acquire horses. In 2001, Cathy and Darcy were blessed with the safe arrival of Cassidy to round out their family. Cathy continued to work as an LPN in the Colonel Belcher, Peter Lougheed Centre, Bethany Care Centre, Olds, Sundre, Didsbury and Red Deer Hospitals. Cathy provided wonderful care to all she came in contact with. She was able to put people at ease with her chattiness and good sense of humor and quick laugh. In 2004, Cathy found her niche and was taking courses to become a dialysis nurse. However, before she could complete her training, Cathy was seriously injured in a car accident and was paralyzed from the neck down. Over the past 3 years, Cathy and Darcy continued to enjoy the country life raising their youngest daughter and horses. They enjoyed many camping trips and visits with family and friends. Her love of country music, movies and her elephant collection were a continued source of joy. Cathy was predeceased by her parents and an older brother. She leaves to mourn her passing her best friend and husband, Darcy; daughters Shannon and Cassidy; sons Thomas and Robert; brother Trevor; sisters Elaine (Jim), Lynwen (Tony) as well as numerous in-laws, nieces, nephews and friends. A memorial service was held on Thursday, September 27, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at the Olds Seventh Day Adventist Church, Olds, AB with Pastor Bill Wigley officiating. Memorial donations may be made directly to the Spinal Cord Injury Treatment Centre. As a tribute to Catherine Olson, a tree will be planted in the Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds. Heartland Funeral Services Ltd., entrusted with arrangements. 403-507-8610.

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## **GEIGER**

1941 - 2007

Harland Lee Geiger of Sundre, Alberta went to be with his Lord and Saviour October 8, 2007. Harland Geiger was raised in Sundre. He was educated first at Sundre, and then graduated from High School from Prairie Bible Institute. He then graduated from Mountain View Bible College with a Diploma in Biblical Studies and the "Harold Oake" Service Award. He returned to the farm when his father became ill. Harland has farmed in the Sundre area for 45 years, raising cattle and hay crops. During which time he built the family home. Harland's artistic ability began early in life when he realized he had a talent for painting. He has always been open to challenges. He once saw an iron sculpture done from farm implements and his mind just started turning. He has built everything from a junk-yard dog to iron rocking loveseats. He loved the metal work and was truly gifted with his hands. He also loved creating works of art from wood. Many people have Harland's art work displayed in their homes. Harland was a giant of a man full of integrity and love for mankind. He had such a gentle spirit and a tender heart that often would bring him to tears when listening to a favourite hymn or especially when speaking of his Jesus. His love for his wife was deep and evident in his gentle words. His relationships with family were paramount and he let each member know of his love. Harland's faith was unshakable and he was an inspiration to all. Only eternity will reveal the impact he has made on earth. For certain he has earned his crown. Harland is survived by his loving wife Joann, his children Harley (Leanne) Geiger, Lea-Anne (Jefferey) Vincent, Joyce (Bill) Thiessen, Jo-Ann (Anthony) Potter, Sandra (Hutch) Baylis, Tracy (Jennifer) Rowsell, and Angela (Kingsley) Reed. He is also survived by his brother, Cecil (Alice) Geiger, his sister, Audrey (John) Stokoe, and brother-in-law, Jack (Larisa) Boltz. His grandchildren, Michael, Christina, Crystal, Daniel, Michelle, Harrison, Carolynne, Ashley, Megan, Leah, Kaitlin, Ethan, and Benjamin. Harland is also survived by seven nieces and nephews and many acquaintances and friends. Harland was predeceased by Lorraine on January 4th, 1995, and sister, Lola Stelter on December 18th, 2006. A celebration of Harland's life was held at the McDougal Chapel Missionary Church in Sundre, Alberta on Thursday, October 11th, 2007. Interment took place in the Sundre & District Cemetery. Memorial Donations may be directed to the Rocky Mountain College Scholarship Fund at 4039 Brentwood Road, NW, Calgary, Alberta T2L 1L1. Arrangements entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Chapels, 5226-46 Street, Olds, Alberta (403) 556-3223. Proudly serving the community for over 45 years.

**WALDMAN**

September 21, 1914 - October 8, 2007

Dr. Eric Waldman beloved husband of Martha, of Sundre, passed away at home with his family by his side on Monday, October 8, 2007 at the age of 93 years. Eric was born on September 21, 1914 in Vienna, Austria. He received his Ph.D. in Biology in Vienna, leaving Austria in 1938 for New York City, NY. When the Americans went to war Eric felt it was his Patriotic Duty to join the fight for his country spending seven years in active duty and twenty-four years in the reserves. In the period from 1946 - 1949 he was the founder of the Western German Intelligence and this is where he felt he had the biggest impact in life. Eric retired as a Lieutenant Colonel. After active duty Eric received his Ph.D. in Political Science. He was a Knight in the Order of Malta receiving the German Order of Merit First Class. In his late years he loved to read, paint, and to hike. Eric deeply loved his family, especially his wife. He was a brilliant and modest man, and was always passionate about world affairs. Eric was a devoted teacher, mentor and a life long scholar. Besides his loving wife Martha, Eric is survived by one daughter and son-in-law Heidi and Lee Kolstad, of Sundre, AB; son and daughter-in-law Christopher and Donna Waldman, of Calgary, AB; four grandchildren Sonja, Joshua, Jonathan, and Kristina; and one great grandson Tresten. He is also survived by two bonus sons Giovanni (Kirsten) Gay, and Marco (Romy) Gay, both of Germany; and two bonus grandchildren Thomas and Felix. Eric was predeceased by his first wife Jo Ann, and his parents Sophie and Leo Waldman. He is deeply loved and will be deeply missed by his family and all that knew him. At Eric's request no Formal Services will be held. Forward condolences through [www.mcinnisandholloway.com](http://www.mcinnisandholloway.com). In living memory of Dr. Eric Waldman, a tree will be planted at Fletcher Park Memorial Forest by McINNIS & HOLLOWAY FUNERAL HOMES, Cochrane Funeral Home, 369 RAILWAY STREET, COCHRANE. Telephone: (403) 932-4740.

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**GRACE**

Ida Irene Ruth Grace (Nettnay) was born September 15, 1918 and passed away peacefully October 13, 2007 at the age of 89. Ida was one of eight children who were raised in the Big Prairie area between Cremona and Sundre. Ida married Earl Grace July 8th 1936 and raised their chosen children on the farm at Westward-Ho. Ida is survived by all of her children. Duane (Jo-Ann) Grace of Sundre, Erlene (Walter) Mennear of Sundre, Norris (Norma) Grace of Sundre, and Josephine of Smokey lake. Ida is also survived by 10 grandchildren and fifteen great grand children and many extended family members. She was predeceased by her husband Earl in December 1993 and by six of her siblings. Ida recently resided at the Sundre Hospital Long Term Care and the Family would like share a special thanks to the wonderful staff who provided excellent care to our Mother and Grandmother. Earl and Ida were married for 57 years, they lived a full life enjoying time with friends playing cards, time at the Cremona Curling Club, and enjoying all of their grandchildren and great grandchildren. Ida was a member of the United church and was a lifetime member of the Royal Purple. Ida is remembered for her crocheting, knitting, and cooking by her family and friends. A celebration of Ida's life will be held at the Sundre United Church, 118 Center St., Sundre, AB on October 18, 2007 at 2:00 PM with a lunch to follow in the church hall. Memorial donations can be made directly to the Sundre Hospital Long Term Care Facility. PERSONAL ALTERNATIVE FUNERAL SERVICES, Calgary & Red Deer 1-888-216-5111.

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## **HENGEN**

Mary Ellen Hengen passed away peacefully at the age of 94 years on October 12, 2007 in Unit 4 of the Didsbury Care Centre. Mary spent her childhood years in the Kelwood, Manitoba area. She moved to Milk River, Alberta in 1930, where she met Olaf Hengen. They were married on September 14, 1932. In 1946, they returned to the Kelwood, Manitoba area where they farmed until 1957. In the fall of 1957, they acquired the service station at Westward Ho where Mary resided until moving into the senior's residence in Sundre. From Sundre, she was transferred to Unit 4 of the Continuing Care Centre in Didsbury until her passing. The family would like to thank the doctors, staff and volunteers of Unit 4 of the Didsbury Care Centre for the excellent care provided for their mother. Mary was predeceased by her mother Johanna Pedersen 1913, her father Jens Pedersen 1985, brother Clifford 2001, sister Edith McFarlene 2003 and her husband Olaf Hengen 1975. She is mourned by her eleven children Marvin (Iris), Ed (Vi), Norman (Betty), Rosemary, Leonard (Lorna), Carole (Dick), Jim Joyce (Danny), Roberta (Garry), Robert, Erle (Penny). She leaves behind twenty grandchildren, thirty six great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sisters Thelma (Stewart), Dorothy (Jim) and many nieces and nephews. As Mary's favorite season of the year was spring time, the family will have a memorial service to celebrate her life in the spring of 2008. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made directly to the Rosebud Health Foundation, Didsbury. As a tribute to Mary Hengen, a tree will be planted in the Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds. Heartland Funeral Service Ltd., Olds entrusted with arrangements. 403-507-8610.

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## **SARTY**

Carol Lee Sarty of Red Deer passed away at the Red Deer Nursing Home on Tuesday, October 23, 2007 at the age of 73 years. Carol will forever be remembered for her kind heart, laughter, her wonderful sense of humour and her great home cooked meals. She always had a great garden and loved the outdoors. She loved going to local horse shows and Saturday afternoons she enjoyed watching horse racing, usually on the 'edge of her seat'. She always had a smile when her kids came home from school and usually something freshly baked waiting for them. Her greatest joy in her later years was her grandchildren and watching her family grow. Carol will be lovingly remembered by her children Jim (Dena), Janet (Gordon), Keith (Kathy), Mark, Eva (Donald) and Dan (Sherri); 13 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren and 2 sisters, Kay and Shirley. Carol was predeceased by her husband Dugald and 2 brothers, Frank and Duke. A Celebration of life was held at the Chapel of the Rocky Funeral Home on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. Cremation entrusted to the Rocky Mountain Crematorium. As an expression of sympathy, donations may be made in Carol's memory to the Red Deer Nursing Home. Rocky and Sylvan Lake Funeral Homes and Crematorium, your Golden Rule Funeral Homes, entrusted with the arrangements. 403-845-2626.

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## **ROBSON**

Bruce Robson passed away October 20, 2007 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. He died peacefully with his partner Nunta and his daughter Jay Jay by his side. Bruce was predeceased by his parents Ernie and Evelyn Robson, his brother Keith, and his nephew Stacey. Bruce was born on May 12, 1941 in Cornation, Alberta. When he was six years old his family moved to Sundre, Alberta, and here Bruce attended the McDougal Flats School with his siblings. After Bruce left Sundre he began working for the eastern division of an oil company based out of the United States. This was the beginning of several adventures in far off lands that eventually took him to the place he would call home for the next thirty plus years of his life - Thailand. Though Bruce lived abroad in Thailand he never forgot Canada, and the frozen winters. He loved getting email, letters and phone calls from the folks at home. He was always grateful to those who kept in touch, with his letters invariably ended with "hop you win the big one. Bruce will ever be missed by Nunta and JayJay, his sister Virginia, his brother Ernie and sister-in-law Nanet, his friend Harry, and numerous other family and friends. His ashes will be scattered in a place he and Nunta chose together in the country he loved. The Robson family want to thank all of those who sent well wishes, prayers and hope to Bruce during his illness.