



Dorothy June Nightingale

July 9, 1926 - January 20, 2018

(nee Wilson)

Passed away peacefully with her son and daughter by her side on January 20, 2018 at 91 years of age. Beloved wife of the late Jack Nightingale (1993). Loving mother of Jan Nightingale (Katarina) and Jill Maden (late Bill-2015). Treasured grandma of Jonathan (Liz), James (Laura), Thomas Nightingale (Hailey), Marshall (Karen) and Mackenzie Maden. Great-grandmother of Jacob, Victoria, Jack, Amy and Cara Nightingale. Sister of Margaret Sironen of Australia. Also, survived by her nieces Peggy in Australia, Beverly, Jaynie K, Janice and nephew Greg in the United States. Dorothy loved to golf and was an avid member of the Kingsville Golf and Country Club. She had many life long friends and she will be deeply missed. Cremation has taken place. On Saturday, January 27, 2018 family and friends are invited to gather at the Kennedy Funeral Home Ltd. (519-776-7378) 128 Talbot St. N, Essex after 11 a.m. followed by the Celebration of Life at 12 noon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hospice of Windsor & Essex County, the Windsor/Essex County ALS Society or a charity of your choice. You may send your condolences online at www.kennedyfh.com

She was the best mom in the world!

Cemetery

Events

Cremation

ON, N8M 2C4

JAN **Visitation** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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128 Talbot Street North, Essex, ON, CA, N8M 2C4

JAN **Service** 12:00PM

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Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



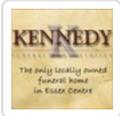
Kennedy Funeral Home - January 27, 2018 at 05:37 PM



“ A tribute video has been added.



Kennedy Funeral Home - January 22, 2018 at 09:31 PM



“ 4 files added to the album LifeTributes



Kennedy Funeral Home - January 25, 2018 at 07:09 PM



“ Jill and family - I was so sorry to hear of Dorothy's passing. She and I golfed at Kingsville for many years and I was so glad that she joined me and the 9 Hole Section in October for lunch. Thank you for bringing her out on that beautiful day to become re-acquainted with her many golfing friends. She was a wonderful, happy lady whose friendship I'll always treasure.

Joan Knowler - January 25, 2018 at 06:31 PM



“ Thankyou so much Joan. She so loved her golf and all you ladies

Jill - February 01, 2018 at 06:11 PM



“ 33 files added to the album LifeTributes



Kennedy Funeral Home - January 24, 2018 at 01:39 PM



“ Jill and family,
I am keeping you in my thoughts and prayers at this time of profound sadness.
Sincerely. Ann-Margaret Crowder

Ann-Margaret Crowder - January 24, 2018 at 09:46 AM



“ Thank you so much.

Jill - January 24, 2018 at 10:25 PM



“ 3 files added to the album LifeTributes



Kennedy Funeral Home - January 23, 2018 at 10:42 AM



“ 175 files added to the album LifeTributes



Kennedy Funeral Home - January 22, 2018 at 08:22 PM



“ Dear Jan & Jill and families - our deepest sympathy in the loss of your mother. We remember her as a very kind, elegant soul, who loved her family very much. We know you will miss her very much, but wonderful memories will help you through this difficult time.

I found this picture from our wedding, taken by your dad (1976). Thought you might enjoy it. Thinking of you all,
Bill & Gayle Neal



Gayle Neal - January 22, 2018 at 04:47 PM



“ Thankyou so much and yes we will really miss her. Great picture

Jill - January 22, 2018 at 07:15 PM



“ Dear Jan and Jill, I remember your Mother fondly from when I lived at Aunt Donna O'Neils. She made daily visits for coffee or crafts or a cup of sugar. They had a great friendship for so many years. I am sorry for your loss, I know you will really miss her. Thinking of you.
Donna Robertson

Donna Robertson - January 22, 2018 at 04:05 PM



“ Thankyou so much Donna

Jill - January 22, 2018 at 07:24 PM



“ Jan, Jill and families. I'm so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. Sending my love and sympathy to all of you. I will always remember your Mom's smile and her her energy. She amazed ever time I saw her walking uptown. She was quite a lady she will be missed. R.I.P Mrs, Nightingale. Peggy(Large) Buhler

Peggy (Large) Buhler - January 22, 2018 at 09:47 AM



“ Thankyou so much Peggy

Jill - January 22, 2018 at 07:26 PM



“ So many wonderful memories, a choice is impossible. Dorothy was always so kind, generous and cheerful. She was so energetic and creative, always with a project on the go. We marveled that her home was always so welcoming and elegant simultaneously - most of the furnishings having been made and designed by her. This even extended to painting the exterior recently! I and my late Brother were so lucky to have shared so many happy holiday experiences growing up as my Mother did with her as her 'big Sister'. She has had such a positive impact on our development, we always looked up to her and we are very thankful to share this as part of her wider family. Dorothy remained Mum's link to her Canadian family and Mum was amazed at her stamina and independence in maintaining their phone catch-ups in spite of the failings of the international communication services. Mum sends her apologies for not attending the ceremony, we would both be there if we could, there is so much to celebrate in her life. Love and blessings to you all. Auntie Margaret and Peggy.

Peggy Sironen - January 22, 2018 at 02:12 AM



“ Thankyou Peggy

Jill - January 22, 2018 at 08:28 AM



“ Aunt Jill,

The few times I met your mom she was kind and witty. So sorry for your loss. 91 is an amazingly long life and it sounds like she passed surrounded by love. Love you lots. Melissa

melissa mancini - January 21, 2018 at 07:40 PM



“ Thankyou so much Melissa

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 09:53 PM



“ I had the pleasure of booking some of Dorothy's travel arrangements back in the day. She was always so kind and appreciative. I am sure she could afford to travel first class if she wanted but instead was thrilled if you could find her a deal. Always had a smile on her face.

Brenda Quinlan - January 21, 2018 at 07:02 PM



“ Hey Bren, you took great care of her travel needs for sure. Thanks for the kind words.

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 07:18 PM



“ Dear Jan and Jill,
I was so saddened to hear of your Mom's death this morning. She was such a gracious and kind woman. Her lifelong friendship with our Mom was always heart warming and treasured by her. So many years of friendship they shared. It saddens my heart. Know that my thoughts will be with you and your families in the days and months ahead. I wish I could be with you Saturday but live in Colorado presently but my thoughts will be with you and your families.
Sincerely, Wendy Hamilton Nelson

Wendy Hamilton Nelson - January 21, 2018 at 06:18 PM



“ Thankyou Wendy. She so loved your mom too. I'm just so glad she was able to stay independant right up til the end.

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 07:21 PM



“ Jill so glad to hear your Mom was able to stay in her own home till the end. She was fiercely independent and would have been disappointed if she had been unable. We are so fortunate we had strong independent women as Mothers. I know she held a very special spot in your heart and will forever.

Wendy Hamilton Nelson - January 21, 2018 at 09:43 PM



“ Jill... Sincere condolences, and prayers ... Will never forgot seeing you, and Mom in the store. You are a saint...

Dave Pinkney.

David Pinkney - January 21, 2018 at 05:11 PM



“ Thankyou Dave, so nice of you to say.

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 07:24 PM



“ She was a great mom

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 09:54 PM



“ Jill and Jan: So sorry for the loss of your mother. Your mom was a faithful, daily visitor to our parents. We were amazed at her independence, strength and determination. She was a wonderful lady and we will all miss her.
Pat (Damm) Thomas and Laurie (Damm) Rishworth

Patricia Thomas - January 21, 2018 at 11:41 AM



“ Jill - We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. You enjoyed a very special bond with her and we know she enjoyed every minute spent with you! You, and your family, are in our thoughts and prayers at that time! Love Margaret and Kim

Kim Smallhorn - January 21, 2018 at 12:14 PM



“ Jill- So sorry for your loss. She is a wonderful lady and we will all miss her. Sending prayers and warm thoughts.

adrian maden - January 21, 2018 at 12:58 PM



“ Pat and Laurie, thank you so much. Your folks were so good for my mom, such good friends, always looking out for her.

Jill - January 21, 2018 at 07:27 PM