



## Ms. Roberta Adeline Mitchell

February 10, 2018

Roberta Adeline Mitchell died peacefully in her sleep, three days short of her 84th birthday, on Saturday, February 10th, 2018 in Toronto, Ontario, following a long battle with Alzheimer's. She was born to Robert and Adeline Mitchell in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario and lived in Toronto for most of her life.

Roberta had numerous vocations in her life; teacher, salesperson, and a bookkeeper, but her most fulfilling job was being a mother, grandmother, and finally a great-grandmother. Two of the things that she was very involved with while her children were growing up were Girl Guides of Canada and politics, especially campaigning for Pierre Trudeau. She loved spending time at her cottage and everyone has wonderful memories of being there with her.

Roberta was a vivacious reader (To Kill a Mockingbird was her favourite book) and there was rarely a crossword puzzle she couldn't complete, a Jeopardy or Trivia question that she couldn't answer, a Scrabble word (real or imagined) that she couldn't come up with. Roberta also loved a cup of tea, turtle chocolates, college basketball, Nascar Racing, and travelling. A trip to Australia and New Zealand on her own, at the age of 73, was one of the highlights of her life.

Roberta is lovingly remembered by her children Debbie, Patt (Bruce), and Kenn, grandchildren, Tim (Lisa), Mark, Megan (Ayana), and Phil (Brittany), and great grandchildren, Emma, Shaylah, Luke, and Nate, as well as extended family members. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider donating to the Alzheimer's Society of Toronto in memory of Roberta. Condolences to the family may be made online at <http://www.aftercare.org>

As per Roberta's wishes there will be no service.

Your wings were ready, but our hearts were not.



# Comments

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“ Jan Norrie lit a candle in memory of Ms. Roberta Adeline Mitchell



Jan Norrie - February 13, 2018 at 10:54 PM

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“ My sincere sympathy to you, Debbie, and all of your family. I remember meeting your mom a few times when she came to Roywood...she volunteered a couple of times in the library as I recall. I know you have many wonderful memories which will sustain you in all the days to come. Nancy Barclay

Nancy Barclay - February 13, 2018 at 06:23 PM

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“ Karen Battersby sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Roberta Adeline Mitchell



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