



Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall

June 24, 2016

No obituary found for this tribute.

Tribute Wall

LS

“ I met Dawn in the late nineties through painting classes and over the years a bond was created as we learned that we both attended OCA. She was a born natural artist and always learning.

I was impressed that she had kept up involvement with the OCA Alumni, The Arts and Letters Club, The Don Valley Art Club, Willowdale Group of Artists, The Botanical Artists of Canada and many more! Dawn kept me informed about current exhibitions and local artists. She also exhibited with the John Libby Gallery.

Dawn became not only a friend but a mentor to me! She believed in me and gave me a lot of encouragement over the years.

I miss painting together, our lunches at the TBG and on her back deck as we talked about art, family and life! Mostly, I will miss Dawn's inspiring encouragement.

*My thoughts are with you,
Leslie Staple*

Leslie Staple - January 01, 2018 at 05:34 PM

IK

“ Irene Krewski lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall



Irene Krewski - March 02, 2017 at 10:26 PM

TC

“ Dear Willie

Our deepest sympathy to both you and John.

We truly miss Dawn. Remembering how close our parents were, over past several years, brings to mind special memories of you all ... sailing on Lake Ontario, canoeing to your cabin, visiting art galleries in TO, swimming at nanny's cabin, and happy times skiing in BC.

We did share lots of laughs at dinner parties. Dawn had an awesome sense of humour, and it was Dawn's giggles that made us laugh too.

She will be remembered for her ever thoughtful gifts. Truly above and beyond! Never missing a birthday, we were the lucky recipients of Dawn's remarkable generosity.

That she continued to pursue her passion and talent for fine art throughout her lifetime, was inspiring to all of us. We are fortunate to have her art displayed in our homes. She shared her love of art with our kids by giving them special art supplies.

We always appreciated, that when we needed an extra hand in Calgary, you came to help out our family. Thoughtful and kind hearted, we are grateful to be in your circle of friends. Know that we often think of you as part of our family.

Yours Aye, from the Aitken clan to Dougall clan.

~ Robin, Sarah, Heather, Jim, Aidan, Colin, Colleen, Liam and Lindsay ~

The Aitken Clan - February 22, 2017 at 11:13 PM

JC

“ We often shared tea and cake with Dawn and Willie over the winter in Rossland and once in Toronto. Dawn was a lovely, warm person, full of stories and very kind to us and she will be sadly missed.. She still lives in our memories

Our thoughts are with Dawn's family.

Peter and Judith

Judith Clark - December 17, 2016 at 12:18 AM

CA

“ Dawn was a lady I had only a glimpse of, meeting her in later years. One thing was clear, how much she cared for her family and its this devotion I will always remember. Love to you all. Carol xx (Rossland ski bum)

Carol - December 16, 2016 at 03:17 PM

SB

“ I met Dawn one busy afternoon, in line at the post office. We soon discovered that we shared the same alma mater... The Ontario College of Art. Dawn invited me to her home, and into her heart, taking great interest in my career as a real estate agent, and the power of implementing the Graphic Design training I had at OCA. Dawn supported me greatly, attending my seminars, and offering encouragement constantly. I learned a great deal from Dawn in a very short period of time, not the least of which is that at any moment, you can meet a new friend, and be an inspiration to them. Thank you Dawn, for inspiring me, I am among many who will miss you. Sue Beard OCAD (1989), Real Estate Agent, Real Estate Stager.

Sue Beard - November 27, 2016 at 11:02 PM



“ I miss you so much, Grandma, you had the kindest heart and the warmest smile. I learned so much from you, from learning how to spell my name correctly, to properly dressing myself up in winter so I wouldn't catch a cold, you helped me with my reading and writing skills and always played 'pretend' with me if Scotia wasn't around. You taught all of my manners, to always say please and thank you and to wash my hands before every meal. I value the time we spent together even when I got older and wasn't around as much. I'm going to miss having you in Rossland every winter for Christmas and going to OCAD with you and Grandpa in the summers when we would visit Toronto. I know things were getting harder every year, but you still insisted coming to visit us, family truly was, and is the most important thing to you. I love you and Grandpa so so much and I hope you're in a happy place, with unlimited art supplies, perhaps painting a meadow full of beautiful flowers.

Lots of love
Indea

Indea D'aigle - November 16, 2016 at 03:06 PM

TC

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*~ Robin, Sarah, Heather, Jim, Aidan, Colin, Colleen, Liam and Lindsay
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The Aitken Clan - February 22, 2017 at 10:51 PM

ST

“ I really liked Dawn. I met her at an OCAD alumni luncheon, and she insisted I come to lunch with another group. She saw me as an agent of change, full of energy and new ideas, strong and determined. Well, the other group wasn't interested in new ideas or energy, and ran a mile when they picked up on the strength and determination, so we had a good laugh about that. Dawn was down to earth. She was generous, helpful, and full of fun. She was able to look at others without jealousy, and see abilities in them that she didn't have herself, but that would be useful in the greater scheme of things. I'm sorry she has left us.

My best thoughts are with you Dawn.

Suzanne Tevlin

Suzanne Tevlin - September 02, 2016 at 06:11 AM

NH

“ Naomi Hunter sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall



Naomi Hunter - July 08, 2016 at 02:27 PM

SK

“ I had the genuine pleasure to meet Dawn in the fall of 2011 when I joined the staff of OCAD's alumni relations department. Dawn was a loyal and dedicated alumni volunteer for over 20 years and, as I got to know her better, came to be someone I always treasured seeing and talking to at our events. A lovely, caring, and kind person, Dawn always made time to give of herself to OCAD and I was always happy to see her bright smile. I am happy to say, over the past few years I could call her a friend and I will miss her and her stories very much. My sincere sympathies to Willie and her children.
Stacy Kelly, OCAD University

Stacy Kelly - July 06, 2016 at 12:32 PM

LB

“ Lynn Bertrand lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall



Lynn Bertrand - July 05, 2016 at 10:56 AM

LB

“ Rest in peace Dawn, you touched our lives with your artistic spirit. My heartfelt condolences to your loving family and dear friends. I also wanted to light a candle Much appreciated for your help to get this on her tribute page. Kindest regards, Lynn

Lynn Bertrand - July 05, 2016 at 10:55 AM

NH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Naomi Hunter - July 04, 2016 at 09:26 AM

NH

“ DAWN DOUGALL

Dawn Dougall studied art at the University of Toronto (B.A. Fine Art), Toronto Teachers College (Visual Arts Specialist), and The Ontario College of Art and Design.

Her works have been selected for exhibitions at John A. Libby Fine Art, Toronto Watercolour Society, The Arts and Letters Club, Mississauga Art Gallery, Rodman Hall Art Gallery, The Niagara Falls Botanical Exhibition and other locations across Ontario.

Dawn won the APUS scholastic Award (U of T), IODE Art Scholarship (Doon School of Fine Arts) and the Richmond Hill Group of Artist Jurors' Choice Art Award.

TECHNIQUE USED FOR "VISIONS"

"I put acrylic paints on my palette and instead of diluting the intensity of the pigments with water, matte gel medium is used to create a range of transparency."

Naomi Hunter - June 30, 2016 at 08:08 AM

DB

“ *Donna Blanco lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall*



Donna Blanco - June 30, 2016 at 04:56 AM

DB

There was 'something' about Dawn that I was attracted to from the very minute I met her back in 2013 at the OCAD Alumni BBQ.

I didn't realize initially she was the 'subject' of an interesting portrait photograph I had shot that same evening.

Dawn was up high, looking out on top of Maggie Broda's rooftop as if on a ship at sea.

It reminded me of the Titanic for some reason.

The last thing she said to me was two months ago (she never said that much to me before) after our last OCAD U Alumni meeting when some of us met up at a club to hear Jazz.

*She said to me, "You will do important things."
I took it as a serious blessing.*

Donna Blanco - June 30, 2016 at 05:11 AM

DB

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Donna Blanco - June 30, 2016 at 04:53 AM

MB

“ 3 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Maggie Broda - June 29, 2016 at 03:17 PM

NH

“ *Naomi Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dawn Gloria Dougall*



Naomi Hunter - June 28, 2016 at 04:54 PM

KH

“ *What a wonderful woman. I met Dawn at OCAD's 1950s Reunion. She helped coordinate it and I was so lucky to have had a volunteer who was so helpful and dedicated. I asked her if she would consider volunteering on the Alumni Council and she said "yes". She was so kind-hearted and willing to help out in whatever way she could. She always telephoned me from Toronto and when she was visiting her family out west. I love Dawn and she will truly be missed. My condolences to Willie, her son and grandchildren and the many friends she leaves behind. Miss you always and I'm glad I got to become your friend.*

Karen Henry, OCAD University

Karen Henry - June 27, 2016 at 12:29 PM