



Eva Marion Patricia Schaper

February 3, 2025

Loving wife, mother, and grandmother Eva Marion Patricia Schaper (nee Kime), 83, of Whitby, Ontario suddenly passed away on Feb. 3, 2025 in Whitby, and is now resting with the Lord.

Marion was born Dec 12, 1941 in Whitby, Ontario to Haddon William Kime and Norma Gertrude (Peacock) Kime. She lived most of her life in Ajax, Ontario.

Marion is survived and will be greatly missed by her sons Andrew Schaper and spouse Krystyna, Grant Schaper and spouse Valerie, and Kirk Schaper, along with grandsons Nathan, Justin, Gregory, Aidan, and Nolan and her brothers and sisters Ron Kime, Norine Fenemore, Marvin Kime, and Lorne Kime. "Aunt Marion" will also be remembered by numerous nieces and nephews.

Marion was predeceased by the love of her life, Frank, whom she married on August 25, 1962 and spent 59 years with until his death in Dec, 2021.

Marion was a kind person able to empathize and give others the benefit of the doubt. Helping others was the focus of her professional and personal life. She worked as both a teacher, and later, as a nurse for 17 years. Service to others ran through her personal life, whether it was helping others get to their medical appointments or with the challenges of parenthood. Her Christian

faith was a central part of her identity, and she was actively involved in both the local St Andrew's Presbyterian church and in supporting international missions. Marion was a role model in kindness to all those around her.

A celebration of Marion's life is scheduled for March 9, at 2 pm Eastern time, 11 am Pacific, via Zoom. In lieu of flowers, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated.

The celebration of life service for Marion will be accessible at the zoom link below:

March 9, 2pm ET / 11am PT

Zoom link: <https://us05web.zoom.us/j/9998087452?pwd=2cljnNQgrykKhD0Q7PuleGU8aspC6b.1&omn=85452857157>

Tribute Wall

WS

“ *The memorial service for Marion was a very special time. She was a wonderful aunt and sister-in-law. It was a privilege to know Marion.*

Wayne, Shirley and Marja Schaper

Wayne Schaper - March 12, 2025 at 07:50 PM

AN

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andrew - March 08, 2025 at 04:14 PM

VM

“ *I am very sad about Marion's death. She was a dear friend to alot of people and I enjoyed her company. We had good times together. Thinking of you at this sad time. My condolences to all of her family and friends. From Valerie Maggs a neighbour on her floor.*

Valerie Maggs - March 08, 2025 at 12:56 PM

GS

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Please note that March 9 happens to be the 'Spring Forward' day where for most of us the night before our clocks will move forward one hour.

Gregory Schaper - March 08, 2025 at 11:37 AM

JA

“ *Marion's life was a beautiful reflection of her deep faith, boundless compassion, and incredible generosity. She touched everyone around her with her kindness, always ready to lend a helping hand or offer a listening ear. Her heart was big, and her spirit was filled with love for others.*

Her selflessness and care for others were an inspiration worthy to imitate. We are grateful for the privilege of having known her and will carry her example of love and kindness in our hearts.

Rest in peace, Marion. You are in the best place! Quiroga Family

Jimmy and Abigail - March 07, 2025 at 05:43 PM

EL

“ Schaper family, sorry for the loss of your beloved Mother, Nana, MIL, sister.... Marion, you were a fabulous MIL. You were always kind and caring. We didn't get to spend enough time with you yet I have fond memories of you helping me when the kids were little, your visits to CA, and ours to Ajax. You kept in touch with calls and cards that always contained a sweet note or a letter. You shared your love of Canadian authors with me- I always enjoyed discussing books and reading with you. I learned how to make bean salad, oatmeal raisin cookies, and lemon pie - no one could make them better than you! You were inspirational to me in how active you were in retirement (swimming, social activities, and volunteering.



Elissa Lawson - February 15, 2025 at 12:29 PM

AL

I so miss my friend Marion. For over 50 years we have been friends. We lived on View Street and you on Harwood . We had bible studies together with other neighbours. The last couple of years you moved I to Durham Christian Homes in Whitby . You always faced each challenge with a smile. Enjoy your heavenly home Marion.

Anne Iopers - March 05, 2025 at 09:10 AM

MM

To the family of Marion. For most of my life your family has been part of my life. Frank was a teacher at Valley View in Greenwood, my public school for all my primary years. Then off to Pickering High and Drew was in my grade and think even in my home room for our years there. Along the way, Frank and Marion joined St Andrew's Pickering Village (my family church for many generations) and threw their labours and support into grooming the grounds and helping church function by sharing their many talents. Your mother worked at Lakeridge Oshawa for 17 years and I am in my 31st year there, so not that we crossed paths there, but we did share the common subject for many conversations. Marion was a no nonsense, straightforward, practical personality which I am sure made her one great nurse. I enjoyed many social interactions with both your parents over the years. My last visit with Marion was at Reverend Murphy celebration of life. Although the sight was failing fast, she told me how much she was enjoying the events and new friends at the apartment complex and that she had mastered bus routes to get her around. I was deeply saddened to see she has passed as with the exception of eyes, she seemed the same feisty character as ever. I thought I would cross paths with her for many more years. sincerely Martha Jean Murdoch-Harman

Martha Murdoch-Harman - March 09, 2025 at 09:27 AM

EL

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Elissa Lawson - February 15, 2025 at 12:07 PM

AS

“ we miss you

andrew schaper - February 13, 2025 at 12:08 PM

NW

“ There are so many wonderful memories of Aunt Marion during family get togethers, the Schaper picnics, lunches & most recently summer concerts in the Ajax square. She was always so kind & thoughtful & she will be missed dearly by her family & friends. Sending condolences to Drew, Grant & Kirk & their families. Love Frances & Alan Schaper, & Nancy (nee Schaper), Cam, Tia & Megan Wylie ❤️

Nancy Wylie - February 12, 2025 at 05:53 PM

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Helen Carey - February 12, 2025 at 10:23 AM

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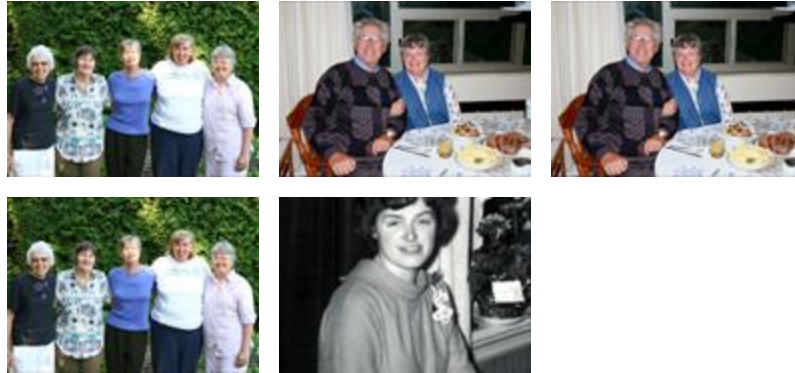
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Helen Carey - February 11, 2025 at 12:40 PM

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Helen Carey - February 11, 2025 at 12:11 PM

EB

“ *"Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die.'* " Love you Aunt Marion. You are with the King now.

Emma Basaran

Emma Basaran - February 11, 2025 at 04:49 AM

KS

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Kirk Schaper - February 10, 2025 at 09:41 PM

MR

“ Marion was a lovely neighbour on our street. She was known for her thoughtful generosity and kindness. My last visit with Marion was at her new residence for a delightful lunch and tour of her new home. Already she had made friends with some of the residents.

I spoke with Marion very recently. after her eye surgery, while she was under the care of her brother. We arranged to connect once she was back in her own home. She was so appreciative of my call. Little did I know that our next meeting would be in Glory. That will be a joy one day.

Our first connection with Marion and Frank was in our home over dessert and coffee. We so enjoyed our visit and sharing of spiritual values. How shocked and sad we were that Frank suddenly passed away 5 days later. Now again we are shocked and very sad. We do extend our deep condolences to the family. Thankfully one day you all will be reunited in heaven.

*With blessings and care
Mary and Ross Reid*

Mary Reid - February 10, 2025 at 05:26 PM

JJ

“ Marion and Frank were among those at St. Andrew's Ajax who encouraged me as I 'came back' to Jesus in 2004. The backyard bible studies and small group in-church studies were always part of their lives and they were always there to add their support. Marion's sister Norine and I were in the same year at Pickering District High School - small world, never thought I'd end up living in old Pickering Village! Grateful to have known Marion. May God's blessings be with her family at this time of mourning. Lovingly, June Anne Johnstone

June Anne Johnstone - February 10, 2025 at 11:55 AM

AK

“ I have so many wonderful memories of my Aunt Marion. Of her home and her beautiful vegetable garden, time spent on the beach and swimming during family picnics (when I was just a little girl), of her and Frank attending our wedding, surprise phone calls from her always remembering birthdays, wedding anniversaries, random surprise gift packages that were mailed to me containing amazing family photos and cards and other mementos from years ago. She was always honest and forthright and offered solid excellent advice (she would probably use the word "suggestion"). I also appreciated her dry sense of humor. The last time I saw Marion was just before her move to the new apartment. I went to her house to have tea and cookies with her and Aunt Helen and we shared memories and it was a wonderful afternoon. (She made GREAT cookies!) Marion Schaper was an amazing woman, generous and loving and big-hearted. We will miss having her in our lives. To my cousins Drew and Kirk and Grant (and their families): may beautiful memories of your mother comfort you during this time. ~ Aysun and Heinz

Aysun Kuck - February 10, 2025 at 10:03 AM

KS

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Kirk Schaper - February 10, 2025 at 09:52 AM

EB

“ To my wonderful sister-in-law Marion: My heart is heavy. You will be missed so much. Through the years, we always shared stories about bringing up our children and the challenges of running a household while still working full-time. I admired your energy, your devotion to God & family & community - and especially what a supportive, loving wife you were to my brother Frank. My condolences go to Drew and Kirk and Grant and their families. Marion, I thank you for all the fun times and the family get-togethers and the honest talks and your friendship throughout more than six decades. Rest in peace with Frank. I will always hold the memories close to my heart. ~ Ellen (Schaper) Basaran

Ellen (Schaper) Basaran - February 10, 2025 at 09:48 AM

JM

I met Frank and Marion when we were doing a tour of Israel and the holy Land. As a result Frank and Marion introduce us to his cousin and we went to the southern states working with the Christian reform Church. Frank was always going to garage sales and bring home treasures and Marianne was amazing in that she would put up with her garage full of these treasures. We always had great times with Frank and Marion. There were wonderful couple and true friends. I'm sure they will be sorely missed by the family..

Jim Morrison - February 10, 2025 at 02:08 PM

JS

“ I always like Marion. We had some mutual acquaintances from the Oshawa General Hospital. Marion and Frank were good examples to all of us in their Christian influence, and how they supported missions, even going to the mission fields. Their beautiful lives won't be forgotten.

John and Janice Soley - February 10, 2025 at 09:45 AM

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Kirk Schaper - February 10, 2025 at 08:56 AM

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Kirk Schaper - February 10, 2025 at 08:48 AM

AP

Wonderful amazing Family of Frank & Marion Schaper

Ann M Pospischil - February 11, 2025 at 03:32 PM

AP

We are shocked and very sad. Me and my Family extend our deepest condolences to the family. We live on the same street and enjoyed their friendship for many years. Still missing Frank, now Marion. My heart goes out to their Family. God Bless

Ann M Pospischil - February 11, 2025 at 03:37 PM

KA

“ I will miss Marion. We first met at Oshawa General Hospital when she was a nurse in the Crisis Unit. After she retired, she volunteered for many years with us at the Pregnancy Help Centre of Durham. She loved life and she loved on our clients. She was just an amazing woman!

Kathy - February 09, 2025 at 08:56 PM