



## Ms. Maria Magdalena "Matti" Sevink

June 21, 2015

Passed away June 21, 2015 at Bridgepoint Health at age 59, Madeline or "Matti" had been a long time resident of Toronto. An artist and writer, she was also an entrepreneur, starting several small businesses over the years. Always a passionate advocate of worthy causes, she had in later years hosted several rescue dogs.

Lovingly remembered by family and friends, Madeline is survived by her mother, Johanna, and sister, Mayah (Gus). With roots in both Toronto and cottage country, several celebrations and tributes are planned over the coming weeks. If desired donations may be made to [www.bloodhoundrescue.ca](http://www.bloodhoundrescue.ca) or [www.torontocatrescue.ca](http://www.torontocatrescue.ca)

# Tribute Wall

PC

“ *I miss you, sweet soul.*

Pat Case - June 21, 2020 at 10:32 PM

AN

“ *Ani lit a candle in memory of Ms. Maria Magdalena "Matti" Sevink*



ani - July 11, 2015 at 11:20 AM

SB

“ *Sharon A. Brown lit a candle in memory of Ms. Maria Magdalena "Matti" Sevink*



Sharon A. Brown - July 09, 2015 at 07:21 AM

SB

“ *Matti, you made your transition from physical to non-physical so quickly. But this I know, relationships are eternal. And I count you as a major player, on my team, in this unceasing adventure that we're upon.*

Sharon A. Brown - July 09, 2015 at 07:21 AM

AN

*That's so beautiful Sharon.*

ani - July 11, 2015 at 11:19 AM

  
C  
Brown

“ I knew Matti through my sister Sharon. She was always smiling and welcoming and generous. I liked her very much. Enjoy your new non-physical state Matti! We'll miss you!

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**C Brown** - July 05, 2015 at 12:12 PM

CL

“ I shall miss Matti, I shall miss her phone calls asking if I have time for a coffee, I shall miss bumping into her as I walked down the street, I shall miss her very distinctive laugh. Matti was a perfectionist - whatever she turned her hand to she did well including writing, fine art painting and sculpture, photography, knitting, sewing oh, and running her own business. She wasn't a braggart but she was a wonderful raconteur; you couldn't sit with Matti for any length of time without thinking "You did what?! I had no idea!" as she slipped a little tidbit of information about herself into the conversation. She always found it amusing that others were impressed with things she'd done.

*Matti had no time for fools, thoughtless people, judgmental people or poseurs. She was big on social justice and walked gently on the earth.*

*Now Matti is becoming stardust which seems only fitting.*

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**Christine Lever** - July 02, 2015 at 02:01 PM

FT

“ I was very saddened to hear this news. I haven't been in touch with Matti for a long, long time and regret that very much now. We worked together for several years at the Canadian Film Institute in Ottawa in the 80s. Apart from her regular duties at CFI, Matti was a great cook and often catered the small receptions we had when various guest filmmakers were in town. She was such a kind, good soul and was much loved by those of us who worked with her. I can still hear her laughter. To her family, my deepest condolences.

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**Frank Taylor** - June 29, 2015 at 03:02 PM

JB

“ I was a client of Matti's, and am so going to miss our little monthly email exchanges! We never met in person, but I knew she was lovely from our interactions. My heart goes out to all who knew her and who will be missing her.

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**Julie Bot** - June 29, 2015 at 02:24 PM

GA

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



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**Gab** - June 27, 2015 at 03:16 PM

GA

“ Gab lit a candle in memory of Ms. Maria Magdalena "Matti" Sevink



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**Gab** - June 27, 2015 at 03:15 PM

GA

“ Thank you Matti for sharing your life with us. For making us laugh and for encouraging us to stand up for ourselves. We are going to miss you so very much.

*My heart is heavy as I remember your beautifully contagious laugh...*



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**Gab** - June 27, 2015 at 02:49 PM