



## Olga Yvonne Trone

January 10, 2022

In Loving Memory of Olga Yvonne Trone  
July 7th, 1921 – January 10th, 2022

It is with great sadness we announce the peaceful passing of Olga Yvonne Trone, (mother, grandmother and great-grandmother) on Monday January 10th, 2022 at Chester Village, Long Term Care, Toronto, Ontario. Olga was 100 years young.

Born Olga Yvonne Zamchira, July 7th, 1921 in Potochyshcha, Ukraine as the 4th oldest of 9 siblings, including three brothers Stephen, Tony and Sidney. Along with her sisters Stella, Anne, Mary, Sylvia, and Jean.

Predeceased by her husband, Bernard, Olga is survived by her children, Deyanne Holmes (Gary), Arlene Moller (Jens) and Barbara Bryan (Steve), her grandchildren Christopher, Alan, Sven, Julia, Kyle, Aaron and Bentley, her four great-grandchildren, Masha, Tim, Claire, Abby and three siblings, Ann, Sylvia, Jeannie, along with numerous nieces and nephews.

After a dramatic exodus from war, the Zamchira family immigrated to Canada in 1928 to be reunited with their father. Olga's parents, Sophia & Mikhail Zamchira settled the family in what was then Fort William. As a large family needing help, Olga dutifully left school to work – her dreams on hold of becoming a teacher, Olga remained a life-long learner. Always busy, always crafting. She could read, write and speak fluently in English, Ukrainian, Polish and some Russian. She was barely 21, when she met Bernard Trone. As a

dancing-duo, Bernie literally swept her off her feet. They married December 24th, 1943 in a double-wedding ceremony.

After several moves, Olga and Bernie eventually settled in Toronto to raise their family. An avid-gardener, she was an active member of Eastview Senior's Club well into her early 90s, Olga began a half-acre community school garden, she maintained into her late 80s. She will always be remembered as lively, a fun-loving soul, a true altruist, adventurer and healer - her heart-felt generosity and kindness followed her everywhere. She will remain in our hearts as forever loving.

Due to Covid restrictions, Olga will be cremated and a private family funeral will be held on January 23rd, 2022, 2:00 pm at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. An End of Life Celebration will follow at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please donate to: Sunnybrook's Garry Hurvitz Brain Sciences Centre, or A Living Tribute Canada to have a commemorative tree planted.

# Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the album *Olga Trone Celebration of Life*



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**Steve Orsini** - January 23, 2022 at 11:03 AM

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“ I want to express my heartfelt condolences to the entire Trone-Bryan family for such a great loss of an incredible individual. Olga was very special to me. While I didn't know her my whole life (21 years), she was very special to me. When I met Barbara, Olga took me in as one of the family and always gave me unconditional love and support. I will never forget her love, compassion, and zest for life. Here is a video clip created by her granddaughter Bentley Bryan that captures the heart and soul of Olga. She will be missed but will be in our hearts forever. See Link: <https://1drv.ms/v/s!Ao8se eF-3lr6mb9oxSQ9ctwa74CqcQ?e=tbV0TD>  
Steve Orsini

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**Steve Orsini** - January 23, 2022 at 01:42 AM

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*I'd like to thank Bentley Bryan and Steve Orsini for composing and posting this beautiful photo/vodeo tribute to our amazing mom who lived a very full and joyful life. Deyanne Holmes*

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**Deyanne HOLMES** - January 30, 2022 at 12:32 AM

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“ *What a beautifully written tribute!! How lucky we were to have known such a woman. Deyanne, Arlene and Barbara - you had a truly amazing mother. Olga overcame the horrors of war and the hardships of immigration to lead an accomplished, successful and joyful life - raising three lovely daughters - all of them talented. I always enjoyed her gardening stories and hearing about her latest projects. As well, she took such pride in her grandchildren. It seems to me that she was very content, always happy and took great pleasure in everyday life. Also, I am forever grateful that she and my Mom became good pals.*

*The photo in the Toronto Star is stunning!!!*

*With love and deepest sympathy to Olga's family.*

*Pat Cooke*

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**Pat Cooke** - January 22, 2022 at 02:20 PM