

Melvin Buchanan dies in Valleyfield, age 52

The Valleyfield community, along with many friends, was deeply shocked and saddened by the sudden death of Melvin (Butch) Buchanan, in Le Centre Hospitalier de Valleyfield on Saturday, Nov. 13, at the age of 52.

The funeral service was held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 17, at the Valleyfield Presbyterian Church.

The church was filled to capacity by his many friends and acquaintances, along with family members, who came to say their last goodbye to a very dear friend.

Following the service, his remains were laid to rest in Union Cemetery, Ormstown.

Melvin was born in Montreal in December, 1940. He was the son of the late Ralph and Pearl Buchanan. Along with his brothers and sisters he attended the Gault Institute.

For more than 30 years, up until his untimely death, he was a valued employee of Valleyfield Steel, and had been general manager for the past few years.

On June 10, 1967, he married Grace Baird, daughter of Betty and



MELVIN BUCHANAN

Clarence Baird of Ormstown.

The couple were blessed with one son, Thomas, who was born in 1969.

Butch had a happy, pleasant personality, and besides being very well known in this area, he also made many friends over the years, and will be sadly missed by everyone.

Deepest sympathy is extended to his beloved wife, Grace and his dear son, Tommy, of Valleyfield; his brothers, Ross, (Dorothy), of Montreal; Lorne, (Lois) of London, Ont. Ray (Aurore), of Valleyfield and Don, of Valleyfield. His sisters, Beverly, (Mrs. Fred Donald), of St. Timothee, and Diane (Mrs. Maurice Bouchard) of Nitro; also to his many nieces and nephews.

Births and Deaths

Cards of Thanks, In Memoriams, Marriage Notices, Engagements, Announcements.

DIED

LEFEVRE, Henry E. - At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, Que. on Nov. 27, 1993, age 93 years. Husband of late Dorothy Hanna, and late Dorothy Kellett. Cherished father and stepfather of Madeleine Whittick (Bill) of Miami, Fla., Alain Lefevre of Arundell, Que. and Ann Power (Geoffrey) of Conestogo, Ont., dear grandfather and step-grandfather of Rachel Lefevre of Montreal, Que. Stephen Whittick of Mount Albert, Ont., Dorothy Kostis (John) of Troutant, Ont., Dr. Wendy Gaskell (Stephen) of Miami Beach, Fla., Jennifer Whittick of Toronto, Ont., Michael Power of Winnipeg, Man. Ian Power (Colette) of Victoria, B.C. Great grandfather of Christine Whittick, Ryan Whittick, Geoff Power, Christopher Gaskell. Beloved brother of Gilberte Lefevre. Visitation hours 7-9 p.m. at Kelly Funeral Home, 19 Lake St., Huntingdon. Funeral service from St. John's Anglican Church on Tuesday, Nov. 30th at 11 a.m.

DIED

ELLIOTT, Florence - Peacefully at Allandale Nursing Home, Milton, Ont., on November 29, 1993, in her 92nd year. Beloved wife of the late Eddie Elliott. Loving mother of Grace and her husband Murray Lamb. Grandmother of Michael, Karen and Steven. Funeral service will be held at the Oakview Funeral Home, Oakville, Ont., on Wednesday (today) at 11:00 o'clock. Interment Dunn Cemetery, Franklin Centre. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to Allandale Nursing Home, Milton, Ont., or to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks for cards, calls, flowers and visits to the hospital from all my friends and neighbours. It was greatly appreciated.

Steve Forster

CARD OF THANKS

In the name of the Messier family, we wish to thank all those who through masses, cards and comforting words expressed their sympathy to us upon the death of our dear daughter, Margie. Please accept this as personal words of appreciation.

Georges and Virginia Messier

We would like to thank all those who expressed us their sympathy following the death of Mrs. Bernadette Bertrand, either with cards, flowers, mass offerings, visits to the parlor or attendance at the funeral. We wish to thank Dr. Hébert and the personnel of the Huntingdon Hospital Centre, for the good care given to our mother and the attention she received. Please consider these thanks as personal.

The Bertrand Family

The family of the late Jean Mather wishes to express heartfelt thanks to their relatives, friends and neighbours for the many acts of kindness extended to us during her illness and at the time of her death. The cards, flowers, phone calls, visits and memorial donations were greatly appreciated. A special thank you to Dr. Brissette and the nursing staff of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for their excellent care.

Alvin, Joan and family

To friends and neighbours for their kindness and sympathy at the recent passing of our mother, Grace Fleming. Sincere thanks to Dr. Lemieux and the Staff at the Huntingdon County Hospital for their kindness and tender care during her last illness. Also to members of the CLSC for their kind attention and care in her home. All have been very much appreciated.

Alison Berridge
Cameron Fleming

IN MEMORIAM

McEWEN, Donald H. - In loving memory of our dear husband, father, father-in-law and Grandpa who passed away eight years ago, on December 5, 1985.

Jean,
Betty, Rodney and family
Don and Lois
Bob, Marge and family
Kathy, Giles and family

Harris Buttress, 78 dies in Valleyfield

The Valleyfield community was greatly saddened by the death of Harris Buttress, on October 22, in Le Centre Hospitalier de Valleyfield, at the age of 78.

The funeral service was held on Monday, Oct. 25, in the Valleyfield cathedral.

Along with his family members, many old friends and acquaintances attended the service.

He was laid to rest in the Valleyfield Catholic Cemetery.

Harris was born in Montreal in May, 1915. He was the son of the late James and Agnes Buttress, formerly of England. The family moved to Valleyfield in 1919, when Harris was just four years of age. He attended the Gault Institute from where he was a graduate.

In January, 1940, he married Germaine Rheault, of St-Tite, Que., who at that time was a

Registered Nurse at the Valleyfield hospital, after which she was a nurse for many years at the Schenley Distillery in Valleyfield.

Harris became an employee of Shawinigan Light & Power Co. in Valleyfield, a job from which he was released for War service, when he joined the RCAF.

He was posted to Iceland, and also saw service in other parts of Europe.

After the war, he returned to his job with Shawinigan, which eventually became Hydro-Québec. He worked for Hydro until 1980 when he retired at age 65.

Deepest sympathy is extended to his beloved wife, Germaine, of Valleyfield; their dear daughter Christine, and grand-daughter, Tracie-Ann, of Laval, Que., also to his two sisters, Lorraine, of B.C. and Joan, (Mrs. Graham Miltimore), of Cornwall, Ont.; and sister-in-law, Mrs. George Lalonde of Valleyfield.

-Elsie Melanson