

## A MOTHER'S *Love*

A mother's love is something  
that no one can explain;  
It is made of deep devotion  
and of sacrifice and pain.

It is endless and unselfish  
and enduring come what may,  
For nothing can destroy it  
or take that love away.

It is patient and forgiving  
when all others are forsaking,  
And it never fails or falters  
even though the heart is breaking.

It believes beyond believing  
when the world around condemns,  
And it glows with all the beauty  
of the rarest, brightest gems.

It is far beyond defining,  
it defies all explanation,  
And it still remains a secret  
like the mysteries of creation.

A many splendored miracle  
that man cannot understand,  
And another wondrous evidence  
of God's tender guiding hand.



Honoured to serve the family of Marlene Plewes  
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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

*Marlene Plewes*

APRIL 3, 1935 — JULY 10, 2019

Marlene Beverly Plewes, beloved wife of the late Arthur Plewes, passed away peacefully at the St. Michael's Health Centre – Palliative Care Unit on Wednesday, July 10, 2019 at the age of 84 years.

Marlene is lovingly remembered by her son, Darcy (Bonnie) Plewes of Lethbridge, her grandchildren, Brandon & Sue Ann Plewes, her brothers, Wayne Chute of Lethbridge and Gary Chute of Lethbridge, her brother-in-law, George (Norma) Plewes of Bermuda and her sister-in-law, Alice Eichhorn of Saskatoon, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her husband of 43 years, Arthur James Plewes, her parents, Burton & Dorothy Chute and her parents-in-law, Howard & Rita Plewes.

Marlene was born in Lethbridge on April 3, 1935. She attended Henderson College of Business in Lethbridge, where she met Arthur—the love of her life. The two were married on June 17, 1968 and soon after they were blessed with their only child, Darcy. Once she finished college, Marlene worked for various provincial and federal government departments.

Marlene loved to travel with her family to various places throughout Canada and the USA. She always loved to camp in Glacier National Park and Flathead Valley. She spent many hours enjoying nature by going for hikes, taking nature shots and picking huckleberries. Her last trip was with her two brothers when they visited Mexico and the California Coast.

She cherished every moment she shared with her two grandchildren, whether they were here in Lethbridge or traveling together elsewhere.

Marlene enjoyed spending time with her church family and friends. She was an active member of The Seventh Day Adventist Church. She liked singing with the church choir—and occasionally sang a few solos.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Canadian Cancer Society ([www.cancer.ca/en/donate](http://www.cancer.ca/en/donate)) or to a charity of your choice.

### CELEBRATION OF MARLENE'S LIFE

Seventh Day Adventist Church  
2606 - 16 Avenue South | Lethbridge, AB  
Tuesday, July 16, 2019 at 1:00 P.M.

Officiant — Pastor James Wesley

#### Order of Service

Welcome & Prayer

Congregational Hymns: *In the Garden* #487  
*Old Rugged Cross* #159

Eulogy & Homily

Congregational Hymn: *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* #499  
Prayer

#### Interment

Following the Celebration of Life, Marlene will be  
laid to rest with her beloved husband, Arthur,  
in Mountain View Cemetery

#### Pallbearers

Phil Hubbard — Eugene Dick — Walt Kalkan  
Jerry Thomas — Dave Roque — Larry Berteotti Sr.

#### Reception

Following the Interment, family and friends  
are invited to further share this day back at the  
Seventh Day Adventist Church Hall