

Mary Forrest-Weatherley

(Nee Coombs)

May 26, 1913 ~

October 13, 2011

With sadness, but grateful for a life well lived, the family of Mary Forrest–Weatherley, announce her peaceful death at the age of 98, at Avens Manor, Yellowknife.

Mary was born in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan and in 1937, she and her husband, Thomas Forrest, made their way to Yellowknife. As a pastry chef, she and Thomas worked closely together for many years at the Cominco Ptarmigan Mine and later at Con Mine. Mary and Thomas raised four sons in the north and will be remembered for their pioneering spirit in Yellowknife.

Mary was predeceased by her son Tommy (1958) and her loving husband Thomas (1973). She leaves behind to remember her, her sons, Robert (Evelyn), Jay (Pat), and Mickey; her grandchildren, Dwayne, Tammy, Laurie, Kevin, Tommy; her great-grandchildren; as well as many friends.

Mary will be most remembered for her sweet nature and kindness to others; she never had a bad word to say about anyone.

The family would like to extend their deep appreciation to Linda Koe, Dr. Eileen Peters and all the staff at Avens Manor for the years of dedicated care they provided Mary. They would also like to thank Janice McKenna for her help with arrangements during this sad time.

Mary's funeral service was held at the McKenna Funeral Home with Reverend Ron McLean officiating on Tuesday, October 18, 2011 and she was buried at the Lakeview Cemetery.

> "A beautiful life came to an end. She died as she lived - everyone's friend."