



*"Your mother is always with you.  
She's the whisper of the leaves  
as you walk down the street.  
She's the smell of certain foods you remember,  
Flowers you pick, and the fragrance of life itself.  
She's the cool hand on your brow  
when you're not feeling well.  
She's your breath in the air on a cold winter's day.  
She is the sound of the rain that lulls you to sleep,  
the colours of a rainbow,  
She is Christmas morning.  
Your mother lives inside your laughter.  
She's the place you came from, your first home,  
and she's the map you follow with every step you  
take.  
She's your first love, your first friend,  
even your first enemy,  
But nothing on earth can separate you;  
Not time, not space, not even death."*

**APPRECIATION**

The family wishes to express their gratitude for your kindness evidenced in thought and deed,  
and for your attendance at the funeral service.

SCHULER-LEFEBVRE FUNERAL CHAPEL - Humboldt, Saskatchewan

*"Dedicated to those we serve."*

*In Loving Memory Of*  
**Marlene Lefebvre**



*November 28, 1935 ~ March 18, 2020*  
**84 Years**

## **FUNERAL MASS:**

Tuesday, August 4, 2020 - 10:00 a.m.  
St. Augustine Roman Catholic Church, Humboldt, Saskatchewan

**Celebrant:** Fr. Prosper Abotsi

**Greetings:** Allen Lefebvre

**First Reading:** Keith Martin

**Responsorial Psalm:** Elaine Nickel & Wayne Lefebvre

**Second Reading:** Gail Lefebvre

**Intentions:** Judy Jones & Deb Stumborg

### **Music Ministry:**

Danielle Lefebvre - Violinist

Manny Lefebvre & Jeannine Koenig - Recorded Duet

Jay Reinelt - Bagpiper - Recorded

### **Urnbearer:**

Lee Lefebvre

### **Honorary Pallbearers:**

Nicole Hauesler   Stuart Lefebvre   Tyler Stumborg   Adam Lefebvre  
Ryan Stumborg   Carter Jones   Mitchel Jones   Kurtis Jones  
Joel Lefebvre   Jackson Nickel   Danielle Lefebvre   Ben Nickel

## **INTERMENT:**

St. Augustine Roman Catholic Cemetery, Humboldt, Saskatchewan

### **Memorial Donations:**

St. Mary's Villa Foundation  
PO Box 1743, Humboldt, SK, S0K 2A0

Stuart Lefebvre Memorial Bursary  
Campion College, University of Regina,  
3737 Wascana Parkway,  
Regina, SK, S4S 0A2

Marlene was born in Watson, SK and grew up in Englefeld, SK where she attended both elementary and secondary school. Following her graduation in 1954, she enrolled in the nursing program at St. Paul's Hospital in Saskatoon, earning her designation as a Registered Nurse. Marlene and Lee grew up together in Englefeld and were married there in 1957. After spending several years in northern Manitoba, they returned to Humboldt in 1962 and built the home where she lived until moving to St Mary's Villa, in early 2019. In addition to raising their family of six children, Marlene continued to nurse for many years, first at St. Elizabeth's Hospital and then St. Mary's Villa. Marean Lake was also a focal point for Marlene and her family. In 1968 she and Lee started construction on their cabin and for over 30 years spent every summer there. Many memories were made at the cabin and it remains a treasured part of the family. Family was her focus throughout her life, she was the matriarch and anchor of an ever-expanding brood. For Marlene the sun rose and set on her family and she was never happier than when in their presence. They will miss her bread and buns, garden produce, sewing and knitting, and her love of canasta and jigsaw puzzles. But above all they will remember her endless support and her steady hand through the good times and the bad. Marlene is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, **Leonel** "Lee" Lefebvre and their children, **Allen** (Gail), **Debra** (Lloyd) Stumborg, **Judy** (Barry) Jones, **Elaine** (Jerrod) Nickel and **Wayne** (Juliette); brother Keith (Hildegard) Martin; 11 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents Oswald and Mary (nee Regenwetter) Martin, son Barry, grandson Stuart and sister Dennise Martin. Marlene is also survived by members of Lee's family: Mary Lefebvre, Jeanine Koenig, Pauline Reinelt, Gabriel (Leslie) Lefebvre, Daniel Lefebvre, Emmanuel (Cindy) Lefebvre; and predeceased by Lee's parents Gustave and Marie (nee Moisan), and other family members: Aline Lefebvre, Violet Lefebvre, Shirley Lefebvre, Tony Koenig, Carl Reinelt and Marcel Lefebvre.