

Helen Agnes Ruckle – Vic High teacher 1961 - 1981

RUCKLE, Helen Agnes December 20, 1924 to June 14, 2018 It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Helen Ruckle at age 93. She lived life fully until a few days before her death, enjoying her walking group, the Victoria Symphony, the Pacific Opera as well as her week-end trips to Salt Spring Island to maintain her family home and garden. Helen was born on Salt Spring Island and later taught school there before settling in Victoria where she taught at Lansdowne Middle School and Victoria High School. Her quiet, wise counsel was appreciated by so many, both professionally and personally. She was gracious, independent, a lover of sports, had great integrity, and a wonderful sense of humour and will be greatly missed by her cousins and many friends. She was predeceased by her parents, Henry and Mary (Patterson) Ruckle, brothers Gordon and Norman, sister Nan, niece Gwen and nephew Henry Jr. There will be no service but a private gathering will be held at a later date. For those wishing to make a donation in Helen's honour, please consider: Friends of Ruckle Park Heritage Society, c/o Brenda Guiled, 127 Heidi Place, Salt Spring Island, B.C. V8K 1W5.

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