



**CROFTON, Marie (nee White) (1943)
1925 - 2022**

It is with sadness that we announce the passing of our mother, Marie Crofton. Marie was born in Victoria in 1925, and often shared her fond memories of growing up in Victoria during a very different era. She met the love of her life, our father, John Crofton while working in Vancouver. After he joined the RCAF, they raised a family of 3 boys while living in Whitehorse, Montreal, Metz France, Ottawa, Toronto, and Edmonton. She always loved the west coast, however, and subsequently enjoyed her retirement years on Saltspring Island and Victoria. After the passing of our father, she enjoyed a later life relationship with her friend, Reg, and is remembered fondly by his daughter, Gail Smith and her family. Marie was always a great patron of the arts and was an active supporter of, and volunteer at, the Victoria art gallery. She leaves behind her 3 sons, Desmond (Wararat), Kevin (Lynn), and Neil (Christine), and her 3 grandchildren, James, Evan, and Leila. We will especially miss her sparkling smile and her impish/irreverent sense of humour. A special thanks to Dr. Tiislar for her kind and compassionate care at the end.

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