

Sue Dawson (nee Gough)

1948-2023

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Susan Kathleen Dawson (nee Gough), "Sue, Mum, Nana, Auntie Sue-Sue" of Victoria, BC, on May 27, 2023.

Susan was born on March 19, 1948, in London, England, and immigrated to Canada in 1960. Predeceased by her parents, Harry (1992) and Eve (2018), and brothers David (1969) and Gerry (1979), Susan is survived by her daughter, Julie Crowe; granddaughters Emily and Alicia; their father and grandfather Albert Smith; sister Patsy Dobbie (Gord); nieces and nephew, Jenny, Maria (Tony), and Jesse (Jamie) and their families; and many loved family members and friends in Canada, the UK and the USA.

Susan had her first kidney transplant in January of 1990, and the second, a gift of life from her daughter Julie, in November of 1996. In addition to these life-saving surgeries, Susan fought many health battles throughout the years and was known to family, friends, and medical professionals as a walking miracle. The exceptional medical care provided by her Doctors, nurses, and caregivers enabled her to enjoy her beloved daughter and adored granddaughters - the lights of her life.

A tiny but amazing woman, Susan was a pillar of strength and love for all who had the privilege of knowing her. She had the heart and soul of a warrior, brave and strong until the end. Strong in faith, Susan is now at peace in God's arms with loved ones.

At Susan's request, there will be no service; however, please consider becoming an organ donor or donating to the Kidney Foundation of Canada www.kidney.ca in her loving memory.

"Though she be little, she is fierce." - Shakespeare

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