



**HAYMAN,
Marilyn Jean
Jan. 16, 1937 -
Oct. 25, 2016**


Marilyn Hayman passed away peacefully at the Ottawa Hospital, Civic Campus, surrounded by her children and caregivers, on Tuesday, October 25, 2016, at the age of 79.

She was predeceased by her beloved husband of 55 years, Ronald Hayman in January 2014. Her memory will be cherished by her sons Chris (Kimberley) and Terry (Faith); her daughter Leah (John) MacMillan; former daughter-in-law Christine; grandchildren Adrian, Melody, Leif, Connor and Aidan; her elder brother Gerald and his family; her in-laws; and many friends and colleagues whose lives she has touched.

Born in Watrous, Sask., to Buford and Hazel Beavers, and raised on the farm, she attended a one-room schoolhouse. Active in 4-H, sports, band and cheerleading, she went on to graduate from the University of Saskatchewan with a two-year teaching degree. Shortly afterwards, she accepted a teaching position on the Royal Canadian Air Force Base in Marville, France, where she met and married the dashing young pilot officer, Ron Hayman. While travelling the world and raising her children as a military spouse, she continued her education until graduating as a Doctor of Psychology. Settling in Ottawa, she went on to run a large successful psychology practice for many years. During this time, Marilyn became President of the Ottawa Distress Centre and helped found the Ottawa Women's Business Network. She also earned her private pilot's licence. Marilyn remained a positive force in the lives of everyone she met. She lived her life with compassion, grace, and enthusiasm, caring for her family and friends with a deep love they will always carry with them.

For all who wish to attend, Marilyn's celebration of life will be held at Beechwood, Funeral, Cemetery and Cremation Services, 280 Beechwood Avenue, Ottawa, at 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 13, 2016. Reception will follow.

Donations to the Alzheimer Society (www.alzheimer.ca) in lieu of flowers would be appreciated.

 *Services funéraires, cimetière et crémation*
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