Doreen Wettig (nee Sparks) July 10, 1946

On July 12, 2010 at 6:20 a.m., Doreen saw her last sunrise.

Doreen passed away in Brandon, MB peacefully, with her family at her side, after a long struggle with cancer. She was born in Miniot, MB to Ivan and Katherine Sparks (predeceased). In 1979, along with her husband, Morley, she moved to the Great White North. Doreen was a longtime resident of Yellowknife from 1981 to 1998, having worked for both the CIBC and then the GNWT.

Doreen is survived by her sons Shawn (April), Darren, and Shelden (Kara), and her loving grandsons Thomas and Zachary who will forever miss their Nana. She was predeceased by her husband and closest friend, Morley, who also passed away from cancer in 1996. She will be fondly remembered by her many uncles, aunts, brothers, sisters, nieces and nephews, as well as her extended family of close friends that she and Morley made during their time in Yellowknife.

Donations, in lieu of flowers, can be made to the Brandon Regional Health Centre Foundation, “Western MB Cancer Care Project,” 150 McTavish Ave. East, Brandon, MB, R7A 2B3 (http://www.brandonrha.mb.ca/en/foundation/). Special thanks are given to the staff of the Cancer Centre and the Palliative Care Centre in Brandon, who provided outstanding care to Doreen through all stages of her battle.

Funeral services will be held at St. Matthew’s Anglican Cathedral in Brandon, on Friday, July 16 at 2:30 p.m. Interment will take place at a future date in Maryfield, SK.

Messages of condolence may be placed at www.brockiedonovan.com. Arrangements are in care of Brockie Donovan Funeral & Cremation Services, Brandon, MB, (204) 727-0694.