



## REMEMBERING **Selma Sawatzky**

October 24, 1937 - May 2, 2024



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### **Tribute from Wiebe and Jeske Funeral Home**

Wiebe and Jeske Funeral Home Staff send our condolences to family and friends.

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### **Tribute from Monica Grove**

Relation: Niece

I have a photo of when I was about 4 years of age with a play tea set that my Aunt Selma had given me. It was really special to me because at that time my brother and I didn't have many toys. Also, it was something special from my Aunt, just for me, and not a toy that was to be shared with my older brother.

I have come to see how many infusions of care came from my Aunt Selma over the years - from that thoughtful tea set to week-long stays at the Sawatzky house, to endless homemade soup and buns, to sharing of recipes (there was a certain carrot dish she made that I still make to this day), to organizing extended family fun, to helping out at our elementary school, to just laughing and celebrating the energy that I had, to the care and love she poured on her grandchildren when they were small, to her endlessly faithful work at her church ... the list is a bit endless. I gravitated to her humour, her bell-pealing laughter, her energy, and her delight in fun and making things happen.

Aunt Selma took a real interest in the things I made and did. She would always chuckle and say, "Jaaa, Monika you are so creative!" I remember her coming to Aldergrove where I was staying with my Oma, and she picked up a book that I was in the process of writing, and she didn't merely acknowledge that I was writing a book - she actually took the time to read it. I remember being so touched and grateful for this kind of care and attention.

If ever someone deserved to be met at heaven's gates with "well done, thy good and faithful servant!" it is my beautiful, vivacious, generous, spunky aunt Selma.

I will miss her so much, and I'm so proud of the fact that she is part of my family.

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### **Tribute from Jacob Sawatzky**

Relation: Selma is my sister in law!

Linda and Jacob.

We are saddened to learn of Selma's passing!  
We have many good memories!  
Many occasions at Harrison Hot Spring!

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**Tribute from Anita**

My deepest condolences to the family. Selma was such a sweet sweet lady, kind and gentle, and full of the fire of God. I will miss her. Our city will miss her.

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**Tribute from Gloria Roxana**

Relation: Attended same Church

Dear Señor Enrique, Herb, Rob, Heinz and Rudy,

I will forever give thanks to God for having had the privilege of having Mrs. Selma in my life. As long as I live I will always remember her kind heart, her devotion to our Lord Jesus. I will always be grateful to her and all of you, you are a blessing. I don't have the words in me to tell you how grateful I am to having met you all.

