

A Tired Woman's Epitaph

*Here lies a poor woman
Who always was tired.
She lived in a house
Where help was not hired.
Her last words on earth were
"Dear friends, I am going,
Where washing ain't done,
Nor sweeping, nor sewing.
But everything there is exact to my wishes
For when they don't eat
There's no washing of dishes.
I'll be where loud anthems
Will be always ringing,
But having no voice
I'll be clear of the singing.
Don't mourn for me now,
Mourn for me never,
I'm going to do nothing
Forever and ever."*

Author Unknown

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Thelma G. Fullerton

1909 - 2010

FULLERTON, Thelma G. — 101, of Parrsboro, Cumberland Co., passed away Friday, May 14, 2010, at home. Born in New Salem, she was a daughter of the late John and Amelia (Ayer) Rector. Thelma was very active in her community, particularly as a long serving member of Parrsboro United Church and was president and founding member of the Over 60's Club. During Parrsboro's Centennial year, she, with her husband John, assumed the roles of "Governor & Lady Parr" serving as official Ambassadors for the town. She is survived by daughters, Zenith Rector (Utley), Parrsboro; Mary Canning, Parrsboro; daughters-in-law, Charline Canning, Calgary; Ivy Canning, Stittsville, Ont.; 23 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren; 10 great great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her first husband, Roy Canning in 1966; her second husband, John Fullerton in 2000; sons, Gordon, Glenford and Thornton; sisters, Sadie, Hazel, Mary, Ruby, Evangeline, Merna; brothers, Anthony, Freeland. Visitation 2-4, 6-8 p.m. Saturday [May 15, 2010] in Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro. Funeral 3 p.m. Sunday [May 16, 2010] in Parrsboro United Church, Rev. Greg Doyle officiating. Burial in Parrsboro United Cemetery. Memorial donations to the Cumberland Branch of Victorian Order of Nurses or Palliative Care of South Cumberland Community Care Centre, Parrsboro.



Order of Service

Opening Sentences

Opening Remarks

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn: *In the Garden*

Remembrances (Susan Trask)

Scripture

Choir: *An Evening Prayer*

Message

Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn: *Amazing Grace*

Benediction

Recessional: *A Beautiful Life* (recording)

Friends and family are invited to the lower level of Trinity United Church immediately following the committal service for a time of fellowship and refreshments.



The family would like to take this opportunity to thank the Rev. Greg Doyle; organist, Melvin Richardson and choir; the U.C.W. of Trinity United Church for providing the reception; family and friends for their support and expressions of sympathy; and to all who are present today.