



## Darlene Gordon

May 10, 2025

With the heaviest of hearts we announce that Darlene Joyce-Ann Gordon left us to be reunited with her beloved husband of 40 years Chip Gordon (2012). She will live on in the hearts of her children Heather Gordon and Don Gordon (Melanie). Darlene was a cherished and devoted grandmother to Ruby (Jessy), Janey and Lara. Daughter of the late Lee and Lila Hofmann and dear sister of Garry Hofmann (Tom) and the late Wayne Hofmann (Judy, surviving). Many from the community will remember Darlene from her years working at the Real Canadian Super Store before she retired 10 years ago. She will be extremely missed by her many colleagues and friends especially, Cheryl and Marilyn.

Family and Friends are invited for visitation at the Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg (519-627-3231), on Tuesday, May 13, 2025 from 2-4 and 6-8pm. Her Funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be held at Our Lady Help of Christians Church on Wednesday, May 14, 2025 at 11am. Following Mass Darlene will be laid to rest at Riverview Cemetery beside Chip. If you wish to make a donation in her memory, please consider the CKHA Dialysis Unit. Cherished stories and tributes may be left for the family at [www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca](http://www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 13. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home  
409 Nelson Street  
Wallaceburg, ON N8A 4G9 (CA)  
(519) 627-3231  
contact@cavanaghfuneralhome.ca  
<https://www.cavanaghfuneralhome.ca>

## Visitation

MAY 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (Est)

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## Funeral Mass

MAY 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady Help of Christians Church  
422 Elgin Street  
Wallaceburg, ON (CA)

# Tribute Wall



“ Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Darlene Gordon



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - May 12, 2025 at 11:01 AM

JK

*Deepest sympathy to all Darlene family. She was so special. I was deeply honored to be on her list of friends to see. She will be truly missed..rest now my friend. Until we meet again. Love Jo-Anne n Gary.*

Jo-Anne Kinny - May 12, 2025 at 03:07 PM

MO

“ so sorry to hear about your moms passing



Mike O'Flynn - July 01, 2025 at 09:24 PM

ST

“ *To the Family of Darlene  
Your mom and dad were great friends when my dad Neil Seney sat  
on Chatham Kent Council. Many times we heard stories of the fun  
and laughter they had with your parents. Our parents are now in  
heaven so I am sure they are having fun and solving all of Chatham  
Kents issue  
Sincere sympathy sent your way  
The Seney Family  
Sally,Patti and Ben*

Sally Thompson - May 25, 2025 at 07:36 AM

BM

“ *Heather and Ruby so sorry to hear of Darlene's passing. She was a  
great person to work with, a great sense of humour and a real  
community minded person. She will be missed.*

Barb macko - May 22, 2025 at 09:21 AM

MD

“ *Dear Heather and Ruby, I am so sorry to hear  
of your Mom and Grandma's passing. I was  
very shocked to learn of it. She was such a  
lovely lady. You are in our thoughts and  
prayers.*



Mary Van Damme - May 20, 2025 at 08:27 PM

JR

“ *Dear Heather & family,  
Our deepest condolences on the passing of  
your mom. May she now be resting in peace.  
Judi Rettinger & Jake Eddleston*



Judi Rettinger - May 19, 2025 at 11:27 PM

BS

“ *Sending our Heartfelt Condolences to Darlene's Family and Friends. We are so sorry to hear of her passing, she was a super nice person and she will be missed*



**Brian and Elaine Shaw** - May 19, 2025 at 12:26 AM

BT

“ *Bob Thomas lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



**Bob Thomas** - May 17, 2025 at 08:46 PM

JM

“ *I have known Darlene since 1976 and like her Mother, she always seemed to be in a good mood taking time to speak and cast that friendly smile. I recall many good times that Darlene and Chipper shared together. It is very sad to see Darlene leave us, but I know that Chip will be welcoming her back with open arms.*

*My deepest sympathy goes out to Don, Heather, and families.*

**Jim Myers** - May 16, 2025 at 10:35 PM

SC

“ *We are so very sorry to hear of Darlene's passing. Our thought are with all of you.*

**Sherry(Rose) & Dave Crowe** - May 16, 2025 at 10:07 PM

SG

“ *sally gale lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



**sally gale** - May 16, 2025 at 08:11 AM

MV

“ *Dear Heather and Ruby and Don and all her family, how everyone will miss Darlene's smile and sweet personality. I got to know her better after her Mom Lila passed away, who also was a sweet and humerous lady who enjoyed her life. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*



**Mary VanDamme** - May 15, 2025 at 08:22 PM

FJ

“ *Sending our deepest sympathy and prayers to Darlene's family.*



**Frank and Cathy Johnston** - May 15, 2025 at 01:08 PM

SC

“ *Sarah Copeland lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



**Sarah Copeland** - May 14, 2025 at 07:29 AM

WD

“ Wendy And Ron Denning lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Wendy and Ron Denning - May 13, 2025 at 09:33 PM

DL

“ We were so sorry to hear of the passing of Darlene. Darlene and Chip were the best of partners in life. Chip was so spontaneous in everything that he did Darlene was always there. Their smiles said it all. I am sure she said to Chip more than once "What Next". They made so many memories together that will provide comfort to the family through this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family,. Del and Bev,

Del and Bev Lunn - May 13, 2025 at 09:28 PM

BA

“ Bonnie & George Azevedo lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Bonnie & George Azevedo - May 13, 2025 at 08:41 PM

LP

“ My Deepest condolences to the family.  
Darlene was a beautiful lady and always pleasant and greeted you with Happy Hello everytime I seen her.  
May she RIP.

Lisa Parker - May 13, 2025 at 03:28 PM

TB

“ *Tim Bechard lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Tim Bechard** - May 13, 2025 at 03:09 PM

JT

“ *Sending our deepest condolences to all of Darlene's family. May she rest in peace.*



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**Jack and Kim Thomaes** - May 13, 2025 at 02:22 PM

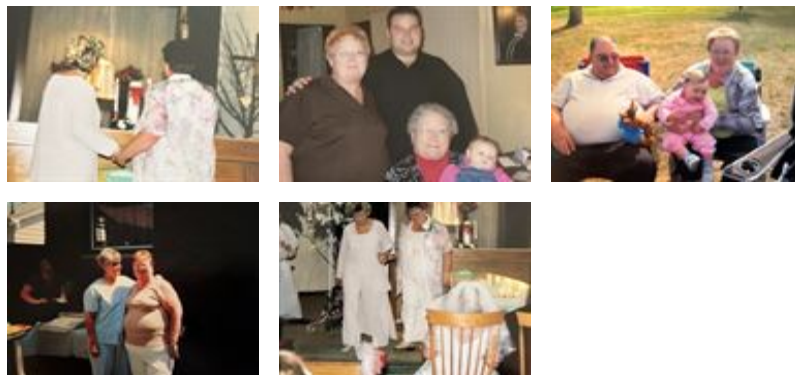


“ *To the Gordon family, Darlene was such a great lady, always a smile and great conversation, hugs go your way* ❤️🌸🙏

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**Margaret Aarsen** - May 13, 2025 at 01:11 PM



“ *14 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home** - May 13, 2025 at 09:56 AM

DF

“ *Darlene Findlater lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Darlene Findlater** - May 13, 2025 at 09:21 AM

RG

“ *Rod and Carolyn Gallerno lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Rod and Carolyn Gallerno** - May 13, 2025 at 08:49 AM

TT

“ *Teresa and Jody Trembley lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Teresa and Jody Trembley** - May 13, 2025 at 08:28 AM

CA

“ *Cathy lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Cathy** - May 13, 2025 at 07:34 AM

BV

“ So sorry for your loss of Darlene, may she rest in peace.

Bob Van De Veire - May 12, 2025 at 10:11 PM

BV

“ Bob Van De Veire lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Bob Van De Veire - May 12, 2025 at 10:10 PM

CL

“ Cathy Lucier lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Cathy Lucier - May 12, 2025 at 09:42 PM

SV

“ Sherry VanGeersdaele lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Sherry VanGeersdaele - May 12, 2025 at 08:43 PM

ER

“ So sorry for your loss Heather, Ruby and Family Randy and Elaine



Elaine Rutter - May 12, 2025 at 08:43 PM

JK

“ Jo-Anne Kinny lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Jo-Anne Kinny - May 12, 2025 at 07:18 PM

BV

“ So sorry for the loss of Darlene, may she rest in peace.

Bob Van De Veire - May 12, 2025 at 05:27 PM

BV

“ Bob Van De Veire lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Bob Van De Veire - May 12, 2025 at 05:25 PM

JD

“ *Most Beautiful Lady , with a Never ending smile ...Rest with Love Darlene , you gave a beautiful life to everyone who knew you . Thinking of your family today and always*  
*Joann*



JoAnn Dunn - May 12, 2025 at 04:53 PM

RY

“ *Rose-Marie Yazbeck lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



Rose-Marie Yazbeck - May 12, 2025 at 04:45 PM

FV

“ *Francine Vigh lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



Francine Vigh - May 12, 2025 at 04:17 PM

PL

“ *Pat/Gail Lucier lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



Pat/Gail Lucier - May 12, 2025 at 04:13 PM

CV

“ *Connie Vermast sent a virtual gift in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Connie Vermast** - May 12, 2025 at 04:04 PM

SS

“ *Your mom was such a special person with a big heart!, I know that she has her wings and she will be an angel wTching over all of you!, My deepest sympathy to the family*

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**Simone Stallaert** - May 12, 2025 at 03:39 PM

TS

“ *Todd and Nancy Sharrow lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Todd and Nancy Sharrow** - May 12, 2025 at 03:07 PM

NA


“ *Norma Authier lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Norma Authier** - May 12, 2025 at 01:33 PM

CF

“ Heather, Ruby and all other family, condolences and so very sorry for your loss. As you know Heather, Ruby your family has played a huge part of my family for yrs and goes on as you Heather being another mom to our Tayah, Darlene being another grandma cause well you’s know, and Ruby being more than best friends another sister and I’m glad Tayah also had you’s when she struggled. She always had Darlene treating her like her own, so kind hearted a down right family woman. You raised them girls yo be great people with hearts 



*Hugs and Love Heather and Ruby I know this is truly a huge loss.*

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**Carrie & Brad Falconer** - May 12, 2025 at 12:52 PM

JS

“ So sorry for your loss , she was a very beautiful person .

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**jim snary** - May 12, 2025 at 12:51 PM

DD

“ Sincere condolences to the Gordon Family



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**Dan andCheryl Dehens** - May 12, 2025 at 12:10 PM

SD

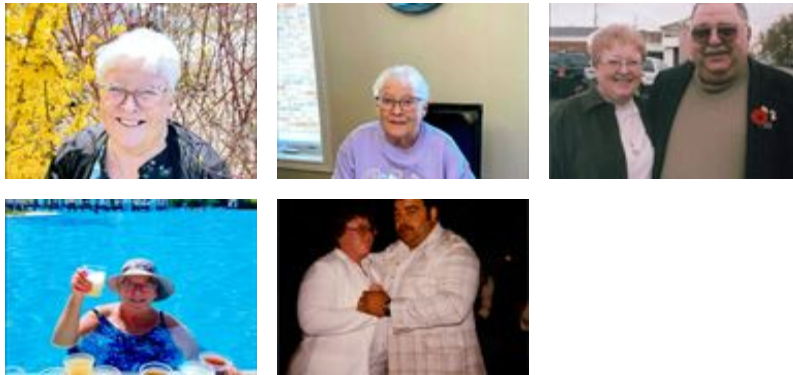
“ Sherry Darling lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Sherry Darling - May 12, 2025 at 11:09 AM

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CAVANAGH  
FUNERAL HOME

“ 78 files added to the album Life Tributes



Haycock-Cavanagh Funeral Home - May 12, 2025 at 10:56 AM

GA

“ Gary and Rita AUTHIER lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Gary and Rita AUTHIER - May 12, 2025 at 10:40 AM

CM

“ Cheryl May lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Cheryl May - May 12, 2025 at 10:38 AM

DB

“ Deb and Mike Bradie lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Deb and Mike Bradie - May 12, 2025 at 10:02 AM

BO

“ Bonnie lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Bonnie - May 12, 2025 at 09:48 AM

WC

“ Our condolences to Darlene family  
May she rest in peace  
Wayne and Verna Christian



Wayne and Verna Christian - May 12, 2025 at 09:39 AM



“ George McGaffey lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



George McGaffey - May 12, 2025 at 09:08 AM



“ Karen Corr lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Karen Corr - May 12, 2025 at 08:41 AM



“ Sending our sincere condolences to Heather and Don.  
Thinking of you during this difficult time.  
Sincerely,  
Jean & Dave Elliott



Jean&Dave Elliott - May 12, 2025 at 08:32 AM



“ Sandy Ouellette lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Sandy Ouellette - May 12, 2025 at 08:26 AM

JN

“ *Julie Nemeth lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



Julie Nemeth - May 12, 2025 at 08:15 AM

MS

“ *My condolences to her family & friends. Darlene was a bright light in the world. She always had a smile & laugh that made everyone happy to see her. She will be so happy to be reunited with her beloved Chip. Rest in Peace Darlene. Thoughts & prayers to her children.*



Marjory & Rick Smith - May 12, 2025 at 08:08 AM

FR

“ *Fab Van Raemdonck lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



Fab Van Raemdonck - May 12, 2025 at 07:52 AM

MC

“ *Darlene used to babysit my kids when I worked at Eaton Yale. She had a heart of gold and my kids loved her - even when they had to sit in a chair in the corner when they were bad. haha My deepest sympathies to her family. Marian Calvert* 💕💕

Marian Calvert - May 12, 2025 at 07:51 AM

MJ

“ *Sincere condolences to the family*

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**Marlene Judson** - May 12, 2025 at 07:50 AM

MC

“ *Most sincere sympathy. Darlene was such a sweet and gentle soul, she will be fondly remembered. Mari Cole & Stan Jackson*



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**Mari Cole** - May 12, 2025 at 07:40 AM



“ *Leonard Atkins sent a virtual gift in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Leonard Atkins** - May 12, 2025 at 07:21 AM

CB

“ *Connie Blair lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Connie Blair** - May 12, 2025 at 07:17 AM

CF

“ *My heartfelt sympathies and prayers are with Darlene's family.*



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**Cindy Feddes** - May 12, 2025 at 04:23 AM

GF

“ *Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Gerry Flynn** - May 11, 2025 at 11:41 PM

DG

“ *I've known Darlene for most of my life, 1st as my good friend Heather's Mom and then through Heather's Marriage, Childbirth of Ruby, until present day. Darlene was an excellent help to me with the UAW Euchre Club she was always the 1st person to volunteer or help anyone. You will be very missed Darlene but when we think of you being re-united with your Beloved Chip, it brings a knowing smile to everyone that knew just how much you missed him. Love Always, Dee & Rick Gallerno & Family*

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**Dee Gallerno** - May 11, 2025 at 10:38 PM

JF

“ *Very sorry for your loss. We will keep you all in our prayers.*



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**Jeff, Steph, and Colton Fox** - May 11, 2025 at 08:56 PM

FM

“ *Heather, Don and families.  
Darlene will be missed by everyone whose heart has been touched by her. She was an amazing human being. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.  
Faith and Dugal*

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**Faith MacKellar** - May 11, 2025 at 08:43 PM

TK

“ *Darlene was friendly and great to talk to. She will be missed by her community and family. We are thinking of the Gordon family at this sad time. Our sympathy.  
The Keirsebilck's*

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**Tracy and Gary Keirsebilck** - May 11, 2025 at 08:36 PM

JS

“ *Sincere condolences to Heather and Donnie, and family. May your memories be cherished of your mom, until you meet again.  
There are many fond memories of working with Darlene at Zehrs and then at RCSS! Fly high with the angels with Chip! God bless*

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**joanne & ed sinclair** - May 11, 2025 at 08:36 PM

JS

“ Sincere condolences to

joanne & ed sinclair - May 11, 2025 at 08:33 PM

KF

“ Heather, Donny and family---so sorry for your loss.

Ken and Linda Fox - May 11, 2025 at 08:23 PM

LS

“ Lola and Matt Pamer and Wayne Saunders lit  
a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon



Lola and Matt Pamer and Wayne Saunders - May 11, 2025 at 07:30 PM

DM

“ Darlene was one of the loveliest women that I  
knew. It saddens me to hear of her passing.



Dawne Mudford - May 11, 2025 at 07:07 PM

AH

“ Grandma Dar will be missed dearly. I have some great memories  
spending time with Grandma Dar, that I will cherish forever. Sending  
a humongous amount of love to you all.

Alyssa Hamilton - May 11, 2025 at 06:56 PM

JN

“ *Julie Nemeth lit a candle in memory of Darlene Gordon*



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**Julie Nemeth** - May 11, 2025 at 06:46 PM