



## Vera Hastings

April 24, 2016

Vera Mae Hastings, on Sunday April 24th in her 93rd year, Mom's life on earth ended and she joined Dad for eternity. Born in Chatham Township to Robert and Mary Hinds, Mom saw and experienced so much during her lifetime. Like others of the Greatest Generation she endured the Great Depression, witnessed one of the most horrific conflicts known to mankind and persevered to find love and happiness. Mom married the love of her life, with him created their own home, raised a son and after all was said and done shared a long and happy retirement enjoying all the pleasures life has to offer. Dad and Mom laughed together, cried together and through 70 years of marriage until his passing were never apart. Finally now they are together again.

Mom first and foremost was a wife, homemaker and mother but also had several jobs outside of the home during her lifetime. She worked in a munitions factory during the war and was one of the "Bond Room Girls"...she worked as a sales lady at Lemac Gift Store, was a cashier at Gordons Super Market and in her final working years was a regular fixture behind the counter at Durfy's Bakery (a "Bismarck " always came home for us when she was done work).

Mom was predeceased by her parents Robert and Mary Hinds, her husband Arthur, sister Margaret and her husband Albert (Burt) Murphy, Mother in law Electa Hastings, Brothers and Sisters in law Robert and Agnes Hastings,

Vernon and Eleanor Craig as well as Sister in law Jean White. Mom was also predeceased by her and Dad's dearest friends Jack and Betty Pierce....two people who shared so many camping memories and whose friendship meant so very much to them.

Vera is survived by her son Drew Hastings and his wife Katherine of Albion, Indiana, Grandson Robert (Rob) Hastings of Wallaceburg, Granddaughters Jennifer (Todd) Henderson, Mary (Brett) Keelean and Ellen (Doug) Bolen as well as 10 great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild to be born in May all of Albion, Indiana.

A private family graveside service will take place at a later date. In remembrance donations may be made at the funeral home to a charity of your choice.

To those who cared for Mom, were her friends, visited her, helped her or just inquired and cared about her wellbeing we sincerely appreciate all that you did for her and brought into her life.....

In the words of the wonderful comedian Red Skelton who Mom loved.... "May God Bless".

HAYCOCK-CAVANAGH FUNERAL HOME, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg 519.627.3231 entrusted with arrangements. Online tributes may be left at [www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca](http://www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Vera Hastings*

January 29, 2023 at 11:37 PM



“ *Judy Depooter sent a virtual gift in memory of Vera Hastings*



**Judy Depooter** - May 20, 2016 at 05:06 PM



*I have fond memories of Vera----she was a great co worker and friend--  
--you will miss her smile and her kind heart*

**Judy Depooter** - May 20, 2016 at 05:07 PM



“ *Wayne Skinner lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings*



**Wayne Skinner** - May 03, 2016 at 02:38 PM

CJ

“ Chris Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Chris Jenkins - May 01, 2016 at 02:05 PM

HB

“ Drew when I saw you on Monday I was not aware that your Mom had past away . I'm very sorry for your loss . May you keep tight all the good memories of your Mom .



Helga and Leo Benoit - April 29, 2016 at 10:21 AM

MH

“ Mike & Marg Houle lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Mike & Marg Houle - April 29, 2016 at 08:06 AM

M(

“ Mary Dunlop (Missy) lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Mary Dunlop (Missy) - April 29, 2016 at 02:32 AM

DC

“ Don And Berneida Childs lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Don and Berneida Childs - April 28, 2016 at 06:40 PM

BT

“ Brian And Linda Thornton lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Brian and Linda Thornton - April 28, 2016 at 10:00 AM

MO

“ Very sorry for your loss Drew

Mike OFlynn - April 27, 2016 at 03:15 PM

TB

“ Sorry for your loss, Drew. what a wonderful tribute to your mom

Tom and Judy Bachus - April 26, 2016 at 11:26 PM

DB

“ Dear Drew and family, so sorry for your loss. X

Dave and Jackie Burnett - April 26, 2016 at 08:07 PM

GH

“ *Gayle & Austin Hockin lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings*



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**Gayle & Austin Hockin** - April 26, 2016 at 02:31 PM



“ *Drew, I am so very sorry to hear that your mum has passed. She had such a huge influence in my life growing up. What an incredible lady. I hope you are surrounded by much love and support, and I know that your mum will remain a vital and loving part of your daily life. I know your dad will be happy for her at his side again. Keeping you and your family so very close in thought and prayers.*



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**Sue Braiden** - April 26, 2016 at 11:12 AM

VC

“ *Verna Christian lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings*



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**Verna Christian** - April 26, 2016 at 10:55 AM

DK

“ Don Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Don Kennedy - April 26, 2016 at 10:53 AM

DJ

“ Dave Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Dave Jenkins - April 26, 2016 at 10:52 AM

JH

“ Jim And Lynda Hedges lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Jim and Lynda Hedges - April 26, 2016 at 08:58 AM

RY

“ Rose Yazbeck lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Rose Yazbeck - April 26, 2016 at 08:02 AM

L(

“ Lynn Gingras (Poirier) lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Lynn Gingras (Poirier) - April 26, 2016 at 07:40 AM

AS

“ Arden And Virginia Smith lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Arden and Virginia Smith - April 26, 2016 at 07:26 AM

BB

“ Bonnie Burke lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Bonnie Burke - April 26, 2016 at 07:16 AM

JD

“ Julie DeMeyer lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Julie DeMeyer - April 26, 2016 at 07:00 AM

SS

“ Sharon Smith lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



sharon smith - April 26, 2016 at 06:44 AM

LM

“ Linda & Bill Mikel lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Linda & Bill Mikel - April 26, 2016 at 05:48 AM

GD

“ Gerrit & Cori Dykhous lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings



Gerrit & Cori Dykhous - April 26, 2016 at 05:27 AM

RL

“ Drew, so very Sorry to hear about your mom, she will be truly missed.



Rose Lauwereys - April 25, 2016 at 09:13 PM

KW

“ *Kathy & Ron De Wolf lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings*



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**Kathy & Ron De Wolf** - April 25, 2016 at 08:25 PM

KP

“ *Kevin And Sue Poole lit a candle in memory of Vera Hastings*



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**Kevin and Sue Poole** - April 25, 2016 at 05:53 PM

KP

*so sorry about your loss Drew sending prayers your way*

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**Kevin and Sue Poole** - April 25, 2016 at 05:54 PM