ELIZABETH SHANNON

ELIZABETH SHANNON Peacefully, after a brief stay at St. Boniface Hospital our mother, Elizabeth Shannon passed away on Tuesday, October 21, 2014. She is survived by her sons, George, Robert and Fred. Our Mom was a great teacher, whether as a professor or a parent, her quiet enthusiasm and zest for life underscored everything she turned her hand to. Her happiness was in the doing. Mom taught in the Department of Clothing and Textiles at the University of Manitoba for over 25 years. Her innovative research into the design of apparel for those with special needs took her to the University of Arizona, her work employing AutoCAD for the Apparel Industry took her to the National Research Council's Canadian Institute of Industrial Technology. As a friend, mentor, or as our Mom she was a tower of strength, whose loyalty and wisdom powered her formidable resolve. Whether at a Blue Bombers game, the opera or symphony she enjoyed life and her sense of humour rarely deserted her. She was an inveterate traveller who also loved to be at home. We will all miss Betty S. Plans for a celebration of Elizabeth's life are ongoing. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake Winnipeg Foundation, 300-207 Fort Street, Winnipeg, MB Canada R3C 1E2. Wojcik's Funeral Chapel & Crematorium, 2157 Portage Avenue, 204.897.4665, is in care of arrangements. wojciksfuneralchapel.com