

LAVINIA MUTTITT (LOVIE)

Lovie was born on her sister Mary's birthday in Dundee June 1935. Third daughter for James and Betty Marr, followed by Rita and James (jnr). Her dad went to war in 1939 where he was taken prisoner. Lovie never saw her father from the age of 4 till she was 10. Another brother and sister arrived after the war to complete the family of seven.

She was employed in the jute mills for short period till 1953 before going to Wittering to train as an engineer in the RAF, servicing and driving 3 ton trucks. She preferred working with the men rather than the women she said.

Here she met John and they were married in 1957 and they returned to Winston nr Debenham (John's home) Where Debbie was born in 1958 followed by Steven, John, Lynn and Kevin over the next 14 years.

They had moved to Culpho during this time where John worked as a stockman for Mr Lofts at Playford while Lovie worked as a housekeeper at Branson's college in Playford.

Sadly she lost Steven in a road accident in 1991, and was widowed in 1997. Her son John also died in 2010.

She played lawn green bowls for over 40 years for Bealings, Grundisburgh, and then Bredfield. She won quite a few trophies and competitions during this time.

She loved going out on the bus usually to bingo, or Felixstowe for lunch and a look round the charity shops. She managed to do this 6 days a week up till December last year, when her health deteriorated. She was in and out of hospital before going to Foxearth lodge at Saxstead for the last 10 days of her life.

She passed away on the 5th April 2019 Her Mum's birthday.