



Frances Gertrude Kellner

June 25, 1930 - January 24, 2026

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Frances Gertrude Kellner Obituary

It is with sadness, love and gratitude that we announce the passing of our dear mother, Frances Kellner in Simcoe on January 24, 2026. Frances was born and raised at the family farm in South Cayuga, Ontario. She was a long-time resident of Simcoe, after marrying Charles Kellner (2005) in 1954.

Fran and Chuck raised their five children on Foster Street in Simcoe, with many wonderful neighbours over the years. Fran was the dearly loved mother of the late Cyndi (Garfield) Cressman (2025), Jeff (Debbie) Kellner, Sally (Kim) Kellner, the late Peter (Anne) Kellner and Amy (Stephen) Kellner.

She was the cherished grandmother of Nicholas Kellner (Sarah), Alicia Armly (Matthew), Lauren Kellner (Adam), Becky Kellner (Ryan), Molly Keefe (Stephen); and Abbey Cressman. She was "step" granny to Charlene Tam (Jason); Darryl Cressman (Deeanne); and Eryn Kirkwood.

Fran was the proud great granny and "step" great granny of Seven.

Fran was previously an active long-time member of St. James United Church, where she received support and friendship over many years.

Her family wish to extend a heartfelt thanks to her former "Foster St." neighbours, her newer friends at Cedarwood Village and the many wonderful staff who work there. Our mom loved flowers and animals. Her dear cat Sam will miss her.

Family and friends will be received at JASON SMITH FUNERAL CHAPEL, 689 Norfolk St. N, Simcoe, on Saturday February 7, 2026 from 10-11AM with a funeral service in the chapel at 11AM. A private family interment will take place at a later date at Oakwood Cemetery. Donations to Purrfect Companions Animal Rescue, Simcoe Humane Society or to St. James United Church would be appreciated.

Be at peace and fly with the angels sweet Mum. You will always be in our hearts.

Online condolences may be shared at WWW.SMITHFUNERALCHAPEL.CA

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Visitation

Saturday, February 7, 2026

10:00AM - 11:00AM

Jason Smith Funeral Chapel
689 Norfolk St. N
Simcoe, ON N3Y3R3

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Funeral Service

Saturday, February 7, 2026

11:00AM - 11:30AM

Jason Smith Funeral Chapel
689 Norfolk St. N
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Final Resting Place

Oakwood Cemetery
Simcoe, ON

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To all Kellner families, we were so sorry to hear of Frans' passing. We lived next door to them on Foster Street for 20 years and couldn't have asked for kinder or nicer neighbours. They always made the neighbours part of the family and very good with our son's Jeff and... [Continue Reading](#)

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