

**Jean Goode**

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North Metro again said goodbye this month to another of its longtime members, Jean Goode. Jean passed away after a brief illness and will be sadly missed by her chorus sisters.

Jean was a member of the former Toronto Chapter and when it re-formed she joined North Metro, where she was a proud member for approximately 15 years. Justifiably thrilled with her Regional First Place Medals and International Gold Medals – she was equally as gratified by her annual 'Perfect Attendance' Pins – which she was presented with for many years.

Jean had two sisters and two sons. She doted on her family and the many family get-togethers they had. She often said her family was her real hobby. When one of her sons bought a home and moved away, he found another home in the area for 'Mom and Dad!' Jean and her husband promptly purchased it so that family events could continue as before.

Just over a year ago Jean became the extremely proud grandmother of a little boy – William. And another generation began for Jean to dote on. He was the light of her life!

Throughout the years, Jean worked very hard to help provide for her family – always her main focus. This work ethic showed itself in the level of her contribution to her chorus.

It isn't easy for us to say goodbye to members of our chorus family. Jean – you won't be forgotten!

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