

***In Loving Memory of  
Melanie Matchatis***

*Cold Lake First Nations*

***Born***

*October 2, 1930  
Cold Lake, Alberta*

***Passed Away***

*April 1, 2022  
Cold Lake, Alberta  
at the age of 91 years*

***Wake***

*Tuesday & Wednesday April 5 & April 6, 2022  
Cold Lake First Nations Band Hall  
Cold Lake First Nations*

***Mass of Christian Burial***

*Thursday, April 7, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.  
St. Raphael Catholic Church  
Cold Lake First Nations*

***Celebrant*** *Father Thomas Dieu Nguyen*

***Final Resting Place***

*Cold Lake First Nations Community Cemetery  
Cold Lake First Nations*

***Pallbearers***

*Kevin Scanie, Ryan Loth, Jason Matchatis,  
Ethan Matchatis, Travis Matchatis, Stephen Matchatis*

***Lovingly Survived by***

***Children***

*Robert (Julie) Machatis  
Ronnie Matchatis  
Linda Matchatis*

***Eighteen Grandchildren***

***Forty Eight Great Grandchildren  
Fourteen Great Great Grandchildren***

***Sister***

*Thelma Redcrow*

***Predeceased by***

***Husband***

*Henry Matchatis*

***Children***

*Rita, Melvin, Ernie, Gary,  
Berton, Gerald, Allan*

***Grandchildren***

*Barry, Jody, Mitchel*

***Great Granddaughter***

*Shatima*

***Parents***

*Josephine & John Blackman*

***Siblings***

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*My Mother*

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*Thank you for all the years we've known each other and the confidences and hopes and troubles that we've shared. Thank you for the understanding we bring to each other, for the patience we have with each other's faults; for the advice and even the scolding's we are able to give each other without either of us taking offense.*

*Thank you for the help we have been to each other-in this way, and so many more. Thank you that because of her I am a better, happier person, and that she has grown as a person too, because of me.*

*Thank you that she would give me anything in her power-time, money, work, possessions, encouragement, sympathy – whatever my need, and that she knows I would be as quick to respond to whatever her needs may be.*

*Thank you that we can laugh together, cry together, rejoice together. And although we may not see each other as often as we would like, when we do come together it is always the same.*

*Lord, bless and keep her, this person you fashioned and filled with qualities that have meant so much to me. Lord, thank you for this very special friend...*

*My Mother.*

*Larry S. Chengges*

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