

# ***"Skip" Eaton passes away in Kodiak***

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Juanita "Skip" Eaton died quietly at her home Monday, June 12, attended by her husband, Hank Eaton, her son, Clyde Haas of Anchorage, and Dr. Bob Johnson, her physician.

Skip came to Alaska in 1949 and lived in Anchorage until 1960 when she moved to Kodiak. She worked first in the flower shop of the old Montmartre Restaurant and later in Solly's Restaurant. She also worked

for the Kodiak Senior Citizens. Skip was a member of Eastern Star Lodge and was very active in charitable activities around town. For seven years she worked as a volunteer social worker for the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

In addition to her husband and son, Skip is survived by three grandchildren living in Anchorage.

There will be neither graveside nor memorial services conducted in Skip's behalf. Her remains will be cremated and the ashes scattered at sea. Father Kreta of the Holy Resurrection Russian Orthodox Church, a much-admired, long-time friend of hers, will perform the eulogy. She requested that contributions

be made to the American Cancer Society.

Two days before her death, Skip and Hank Eaton submitted the following letter of thanks to friends who made her last days more pleasant:

"To the many, many friends of Skip Eaton for their cards of cheer, newsy letters, beautiful flowers, personal visits, and the prayers that made her prolonged hospitalization bearable, we thank you one and all. Skip is unable to thank each one individually as she would like to, and takes this means of expressing a heartfelt gratitude that can be known only to those who have endured such an experience. May God bless you all."

Skip and Hank Eaton