

## **Frances Anita Moore (Bodeker)**

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Fran Moore was a long-time member of the Grande Prairie & District Branch of the Alberta Genealogical Society and a dedicated supporter of genealogy, local history, and heritage preservation in the Peace Country.

Fran contributed to the Society for many years through her involvement in Branch activities, historical research, and community heritage projects. In 1988, the Branch celebrated the publication of *Edson to Grande Prairie Trail*, a local history book to which Fran and other contributors devoted considerable effort. In 2018, she was recognized during the Branch's fortieth anniversary celebrations for her longstanding service and contributions to the Society.

Born near Valleyview, Alberta, in 1938, Fran spent much of her life in the Peace Country and developed a deep appreciation for the people, families, and communities that shaped the region. Her interest in genealogy and local history reflected a commitment to preserving the stories of those who came before and ensuring they would be remembered by future generations.

Beyond her involvement with genealogy, Fran was active in her community and devoted to her family. She and her husband, Clifford, built their life in the DeBolt area, where they raised their family and remained active members of the community for many years.

Fran's contributions to genealogy, local history, and heritage preservation helped strengthen the work of the Grande Prairie & District Branch and preserve an important part of the Peace Country's history. She is remembered for her years of service, her commitment to historical research, and her dedication to preserving the stories of the region.