

# MICHELLE CLARK (WEBB)

1966 - 2020

Michelle Clark (nee Webb) was born on January 21, 1966, in Calgary. Her family relocated to BC in the early 1970s, situating in White Rock where she attended St. Angela Junior High (proudly winning the Empathy Award in 1982), then heading off to Semiahmoo Senior Secondary. Michelle graduated from Kwantlen College with a Nursing Degree in 1993, and worked in a few hospitals, which included spending time in the ER at Fraser Canyon Hospital in Hope, BC, and as a community nurse with the Sto:lo Nation.

Michelle was first diagnosed with breast cancer in January 2013. Shortly after recovering, she joined our Richmond crew as a novice in 2014. She paddled with them again in 2015, attending a few regattas in that time. She thoroughly enjoyed the time with her teammates, and her medals hang proudly in her home.

Michelle found out in February 2017 that the cancer had returned. She picked her fight song and surprised everyone by outlasting the six-month time frame she had been handed. Sadly, Michelle left us on March 27, 2020.

Michelle loved people, and loved to socialize with anyone and everyone, especially her friends and family (who were her pride and joy). She loved to sing, dance, and shop! She was an avid knitter and was known to even knit during a rock concert! She loved to travel, and some of her more memorable trips included Jamaica, Cuba, and Mexico. She also loved to host parties at the house, including birthdays, weddings, Grey Cup, Christmas, and New Year's parties.

She was taken from us far too early, and will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Michelle, may your next adventure be as great as your lifetime was.